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Spring Bargains

AT

STILL POND BARGAIN STORE

Special attention is directed to our New Spring Lines of Waistings. A visit to this department will convince you that our different lines are up-to-date in many respects.

Beautiful Line of New Spring

Waistings

35c Pino Crepe Cloth, per yard only 29c.

White Mercerized Waistings, all the latest Fancy patterns, yard 23, 25, 29, 49c.

20c Basket Weave Cloth, per yard 15c.

In this department we are especially strong in Fine Madras, Silk and Zephyr Ginghams, French Percales, White and Black India Linens, Irish Linen, Persian Lawns, Nainsook, Taffeta and China Silks.

All Wool Albatros in blue, cream, pink and brown 50c.

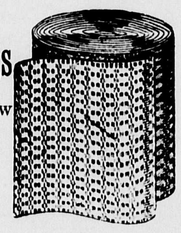
We have the LATEST NOVELTIES in LADIES' COLLARS, TIES and RUCHINGS.

GREAT REDUCTIONS.

Lancaster Best Apron Gingham now	5½c
8c Unbleached Muslin, 1 to 5 yd lengths only	5c
8c Unbleached Muslin 5 to 10 yd lengths	5½c
Fine 10c Unbleached Muslin only	8c
10 and 12c Unbleached Muslin 1 to 10 yd lengths now	8c
25c Danish Cloth only	18c
35c Dotted Swiss	25c
23c Dotted Swiss	18c

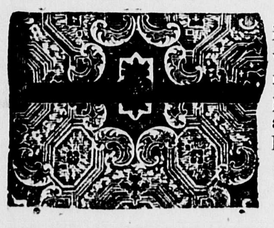
Before placing orders for

Chinese and Japanese Mattings



It will be to your advantage to see our New Stock. Low Prices, Better Qualities, Larger assortments of new ideas in small patterns, large carpet effects, stripes, small pin checks, etc., etc,

CARPETS! CARPETS!

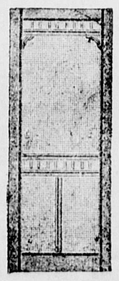


Not a large line, but an exceedingly good one. Patterns selected with extreme care, every one of recent design. We desire an opportunity to prove to you our ability of saving money on this line.

The Sultan North Proof Reversible Carpet at	$29.35
Wool Ingrains	$40.45
Extra Heavy Ingraids	$50.59

SCREEN DOORS

ALL SIZES.



Clear Walnut Screen Doors only	69c
Fancy Natural Hard Finished	$1.10 and $1.19

Window Screens

35c Window Screens	25c
25c Window Screens	20c
20c Window Screens	15c

We have serveral sizes and lowest prices on

The Pittsburgh Perfect Steel Wire Fences

Harness Harness Harness

Good Work Collars	98c	Plow Traces	16c, 20c, 25c
Heavy Work Collars	$1.25	Plow Lines	13c, 20c, 25c
Heavy Hair Faced Collars	$1.98	Back Bands	12c½, 18c
Heavy Work Bridles	$1.19, $1.25	Collar Pads	25c, 28c, 35c

Few Specials:

1 lb Can Shield Brand Chipped Beef	19c	Paper Good Pins	1c
Best Beans, quart	8c	Black Basting Cotton, spool	1c
3 Bars Ark Soap	5c	½ Pound Gold Medal Baking odaS	1c
1 Gallon Good Syrup	25c	2 Pounds Bread Soda	5c
Washing Soda, pound	1c	Best Dried Apples, pound	7c
Clothes Pins, dozen	1c	2 Pound Can Tomatoes	6c

Remember not once in a while, but al the time, we sell the "same goods for less money." We pay the highest market price for Country Produce.

F. H. Harper & Son,

STILL POND, MARYLAND

Good Health to the Children

Children especially are fond of dainties, and the housekeeper must look carefully to their food.

As good cake can be made only with good eggs, so also a cake that is healthful as well as dainty must be raised with a pure and perfect baking powder.

Royal Baking Powder is indispensable in the preparation of the highest quality of food. It imparts that peculiar lightness, sweetness and flavor noticed in the finest cake, biscuit, doughnuts, crusts, etc., and what is more important, renders the food wholesome and agreeable to young and old.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Locust Grove Notes.

Mrs. A. B. Chrisfield has returned to her home after a pleasant visit to her daughter, Mrs. Edgar Davis, Phila.

Miss Anna S. Matthews, our popular teacher, spent Sunday with her sister in Chestertown.

Miss Mary Stauffer has returned home after a pleasant visit to Miss May Webb.

Miss Emma Grantlin is visiting Mrs. G. W. Sutton.

Mrs. Jos. Culley, who fell and broke her arm, is improving.

Mrs. Harry George has returned home after visiting her mother, Mrs. S. S. Price.

Miss Hallie Sutton has returned from a pleasant trip to Phila.

Our Children's Day services will be held Sunday night, May 28.

Miss Susye Hall entertained Miss Pauline Stauffer the past week.

Miss Emma Medders has secured a position in Baltimore.

Our "Country Store" was quite a success, $27 being netted.

Miss Bessie Webb and Miss Carrow, of Kennedyville, spent Monday at the home of Mrs. J. S. Webb.

The death of our esteemed friend, Mr. Clifton Hurtt, was greatly felt by the whole neighborhood and sympathy extended to the sad family.

Miss Della Price has been visiting her aunt near Kennedyville.

As the weather is getting warm some of the young men near our town are enjoying the Sunday morning sea breezes which come from the Sassafras river. Surely this section of dear old Kent has attractions. Wonder what it is?

SASSAFRAS ITEMS.

The Picturesque May Processions were held in the Catholic Churches on Sunday in honor of the Virgin Mary. The month of May being especially consecrated to her. Clear skies and a genial warmth made the day an ideal and beautiful one for the ceremonies.

Miss Leah Vansant has made quite a hit by opening her store here.

Mr. and Mrs. Phenus Jones are entertaining their daughter and friend, of Philadelphia, for the past fortnight.

County commissioner C. B. Dudley, visited Sassafras on Monday looking remarkably well.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Staats have invited their son, Mr. R. S. G. Clift, to come and bring his two dear little children and make their home with them at their beautiful home at the edge of Sassafras. Words can't express such beautiful kind and loving thoughts and we do feel so thankful, for his children will receive a mother's love and care from his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Ernest entertained for dinner Mr. Robert S. Griffith on Friday.

Dewey Park will open for the season May the 24.

The architects, painters, etc are at work remodeling the M. P. Rehoboth Church here.

Mrs. John F. Ernest and two sons, John F. and Douglass, left on Tuesday morning for Philadelphia

Mr. Jacob T. Shallcross has been suffering for the past week with a painful carbuncle on his neck.

Mr. Robert S Griffith who has been visiting his children Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. E W. Staats, left on Monday for his Pennsylvania home, much to the regret of every one, for we were all very sorry to see him take his departure.

Mrs. Sheppard Morris has been seriously sick for the past ten days. We are pleased to state she is much improved at this writing.

The funeral of Mrs. R. S. G. Clift was held on Wednesday last from her late residence near Massey, interment in the M. P. Rehoboth cemetery at two o'clock and was largely attended. Rev. F. S. Cain delivered a fine sermon. The bearers were Messrs. Harry Griffith, Charles Griffith, Isaac Gibbs and her three brothers the Messrs. Hodson.

Mr. Augustus Dreka returned from Florida on Saturday after an absence of over seven months.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Hodson moved on Friday last from Massey to their son's, Mr. I. Hodson, near Sassafras.

Mr. Robert Shallcross, of Chestertown, visited his uncle, Mr. Jacob T. Shallcross, last week.

Mr. R. S. G. Clift and two children, moved on Friday last to his mother's, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Staats.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

KENNEDYVILLE NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Powell gave a social Monday evening in honor of Miss Nickerson and Miss Hutchins, of Dover, The evening was pleasantly spent in dancing and games. Messrs. Medders and Kelley with violins and Mr. Hurlock with mandolin and Mr. Bramble at the organ entertained the company with music. About 10 o'clock the guests were invited to the dining room where an elegant collation consisting of fruits, candy, cake, ices, coffee and chocolate was served. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Bedwell, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nickerson, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Miller, Mrs. Carrow, Misses Mary and Lulu Smith, Elverda Edwards, Marie Davis, Nola Bedwell, Mary Nickerson, Elverda Huchins, Anna Foulks, Florence Powell, Flora Wheatley, Maggie Scott, Helen Powell, Emma Hessner, Minnie Melvin, Elsie Bedwell Miss Hurding Mary Ringgold. Messrs. Will and Charlie Smith, Clarence Kelley, Robert Morgan, Dol Melvin, Robert Jarrell, Earle Nickerson, B. Ball, Harry Johnston, John and Sewell Lee, Mr. Crew, of Kennedyville; Walter Bramble, Warren Hurlock, Webster McIntyre, John Benjamin, Sam'l Minner, Walter Rambo, Chestertown; Harry Scotten, Walter Hill, Locust Grove; Grover Rigby, Sudlersville; Samuel Ringgold, Ray Edwards, Mr. Weist, Millington; J. Ewing, Crumpton.

Miss Mary Nickerson, Miss Verda Hutchins, Mr. Robert Morgan, Mr. Grover Rigby and Mr. Walter Rambo, spent Sunday with Miss Florence Powell.

Miss Linwood Redmile left on Thursday for a visit with relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cleaver spent Sunday with Mrs. Edgar Price near Millington.

Mrs. Sue Shallcross and son, Ralph, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Webster Hill.

Rev. R. S. Rowe and wife are spending sometime with their daughter, Mrs. Rowe of New York.

Mrs. T. Godwin and Mrs. Elias Othoson, spent Wednesday with friends in Millington.

Miss Minnie Melvin returned home Tuesday after spending sometime with the Misses Powell.

Miss Nellie Barwick spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baxter, near Chesterville.

Kennedyville base ball club will cross bats with Washington College this afternoon on their own grounds. All are cordially invited.

Miss Susie Johnston has returned home after spending sometime with relatives in Baltimore.

J. Harry Rose, of Baltimore, son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles H. Rose, had a narrow escape from death Sunday He was suffering with a headache, went to a druggist for a remedy and was given a tablet with the letters A. K. on it which he took. In a very short time collection of the heart, cease [illegible] required the efforts of two physicians for a considerable time to restore him. Some time ago, a lady of Richmond, Va., who had been visiting here, went to church, and on her return took a similar remedy which produced death in ten minutes. Cases of this kind ought to be a warning to every one and the law should prohibit the sale, except on prescription, of all coal tar products.—Star Democrat, Easton.

Ayer's

Your doctor will tell you that thin, pale, weak, nervous children become strong and well by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Small doses, for a few days.

Sarsaparilla

The change is very prompt and very marked. Ask your doctor why it is. He has our formula and will explain.

"When 13 years old, for many months no one thought I could live because of thin blood. But, in a few weeks, Ayer's Sarsaparilla completely restored me to health."
MRS. E. BUCKMINSTER, Vineland, N. J.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for

The Children

Biliousness, constipation prevent recovery. Cure these with Ayer's Pills.

ROCK HALL NOTES.

The easterly wind storm of Thursday evening last week caught many of our fishermen out in the bay with their nets in the water. Quite a number of nets were lost, as it was impossible to boat them. One crew, Marion Downey and Edward Proctor, were blown across the bay into Bull's creek, which caused a great deal of uneasiness here. They reached here on Saturday very much to the joy of their families. It is reported that a fine new bugeye was wrecked by the storm.

Mr. McCloskey, with his traction engine pulled up about 900 peach trees on Saturday last for Mr. Alexander. The work was done in about 6 hours.

Saturday was a busy day with some of our merchants. One lady made a $50 purchase in clothing.

Who will get the postoffice plum that is hanging here is the all absorbing question these days. V. W. Kendall, J. E. Beck, J. T. Stevens are using, it is said, long poles in their endeavors to reach it. Our efficient encumbent, J. W. Downey, is as serene as a summer's morning, as he handles the pretty plum.

Corn planting and sheep shearing are the order of business among our farmers this week.

Our worthy insurance and fruit agent, G. W. Dill, is keeping batchelor's hall this week. Does he enjoy it? Not much if one may judge from his talk.

Mr. H. Kimbal is about to apply a fresh coat of paint to his dwelling. Mr. S. E. Cannon will do the work.

Mr. George L. Maslin with a force of 14 men have placed in first class condition the public road from Alexander's blackshith snop to the M. P. parsonage. Mr. M. is a No. 1 supervisor; he knows how to work his men to the best advantage for themselves and the county. Tuesday was the birthday of two of his men, and he treated them to a dish of splendid two-year-old canned peaches.

Miss Nellie Maslin, one of our young poultry raisers, notwithstanding depredations made upon her hennery the past few months, has sold nearly $25 worth of young chickens thus far.

Our worthy professor has succeeded in capturing 59 fine muskrats up to the end of the season just closed.

Mr. William J. Porter, motorman in the city railway employ, has been granted an eight day leave of absence. He and his good wife are spending the vacation among their many relatives and friends here. Will is in love with his position and is doing well.

Mrs. Wm. J. Ashley has been quite a sufferer from erysipelas of late, glad to say that under the skillful attention of Dr. Selby she is improving finely.

The fish case was squashed, except a fine was imposed for fishing without license, the cost of each, $12.20.

Rev. O. O. Farnsworth, of Washington, D. C. preached at the Seventh Day Adventist Church on Sunday evening from the following text: "Grace be to you and peace from God the Father and from our Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins, that he might deliver us from this present evil world, according to the will of God, and our Father." Gal. 1:3, 4. The News will probably give this sermon in full.

Mrs. M. Kramer, whose health has not been good, is taking a short rest with friends in Baltimore.

Two police boats, the May Brown and Anna B. Smith, were in Rock Hall harbor this week.

MILLINGTON ITEMS.

Mrs. Frank Reynold's, of Smyrna, spent Sunday the guest of Miss Pearl Ahern.

Mrs. J. P. Ahern, Mrs. C. M. Hurtt, Mrs Henry Tonkin, Mrs. Edwin Gardiner, Mrs. J. L. Smith, Mrs. J. E Hurlock and Mr. J. T. Ferguson attended the convention of the Home Missionary Society at Smyrna on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Milton Davidson and children, of Dover, were guests this week of Rev. Edwin Gardner and wife.

Miss Emma Gillispie, Sudlersville, Md, spent this week with her aunt, Miss Vic Power.

Miss Margaret Rolph, Wilmington, has been the guest of Mrs. Dr. Jeter.

Contractor Duling and workmen are progressing nicely on the fine new building of D. James Hall and when finished will have two store rooms with hall and offices on second and third floors.

The Millington boys played and lost the hardest fought game of the season at Clayton last Saturday. After ten innings of hard play an overthrow to 1st ended the game, the score standing 7 to 8 in favor of Clayton. The Chestertown Athletic Club will play here today.

Mr. George Bailey, one of our most popular young men, has accepted a position with a Dover firm and leaves here Monday.

Mrs. Susan Williams and Miss Bertha Bailey, of Kenton, were visitors at the Hotel Bailey Wednesday.

Mrs. C. M. Hurtt visited friends in Smyrna this week.

W. S. AND A. M. CULP

Lumber

Building Materials.

We are receiving several cargoes of LUMBER and are in a position to name you close prices.

We are agents for CAREY'S MAGNESIA ROOFING. Ask those who have used this roof and you will use no other.

W. S. & A. M. CULP

35c Broom 20c. 25c Wisk Broom 10c. $2.50 Cloth Baskets $1.00 Croquet Sets and Balls 75c. 35c Child's Lunch Baskets 23c. Closing out sale at C. S. Smith's.

Chocolate Almonds 40c is closing out sale at Chas. S. Smith's.

CLOSING OUT

Closing Out—To Quit Business

For sale very, very cheap the remainder of a $6,000 stock.

GROCERIES
TOBACCO
CIGARS
PIPES and
SNUFF
CANDIES
NOVELTIES
TOYS, DOLLS,
WAGONS, ETC

All To Go and Go They Must By June the First.

2 Five Foot Oak Frame, 1 Glass Show Case	$6.00
2 Six Foot Oak Frame 1 Glass Show Case	7.00
1 Seven Foot Nickle Frame 2 Glass Show Case	8.00
1 Eight Foot Nickle 2 Glass Show Case	8.00
1 Six Foot Oak and Nickle, 2 Glass Show Case	6.00

All Flat Top and in a No. 1 condition.

3 Sets Money Weight Scales, 1 pair cost $15.00 at $7.50; one cost $15.00 at $10.00; one pair cost $55.00 at $35.00. A quantity of other Scales to go cheap.

Molasses Pump and a lot of other STORE FIXTURES all to go at HALF PRICE.

Remember the date June 1

Charles S. Smith

Chestertown's Only Cash Merchant.

M. KRAMER,

ROCK HALL, MD.

This space has been sold to M. KRAMER for the next twelve months. He occupies the new Blackiston Building, which he keeps well stocked with

CLOTHING

for Men, Boys and Children.

SHOES for everybody.
DRY GOODS of all descriptions
Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings.
Mattings, Oil Cloth and Carpets

Watch this space, as it will contain some interesting announcements during the next 12 months.

M. KRAMER,

ROCK HALL, MARYLAND.

Our Store Is Headquarters!

FOR BARGAIN SEEKERS.

We are getting something new every day.

MATTINGS.

We still have a nice line to select from. Prices range from 8½c to 30c yd.

Rugs—25c to $2.50.

Window Curtains—a good one 50c curtain for 25c.

FURNITURE.

Enamel Beds—brass trimming, very heavy, for only $4.25.

Couches—Prices $4.50 to $12.00.

Special—6 Cane Seat Chairs and one Rocker, $5.00. Price good for this week.

Drop Head Sewing Machine, five year guarantee, $15.00.

PAINTS.

We have put in a full line of all kinds of paints. If you are thinking of painting give us a chance before buying. We have the price and quality.

WE SELL

Lime, Hair, Cement, Felt Roofing, Bailed Hay, Chops, Ships and Bran. Can furnish you anything you want.

CORSETS, 65c.

We bought last week 200 pairs Corsets regular $1.00 kind. Are selling them at 65c. A great bargain. Sale this Wednesday only.

DRY GOODS.

4-4 Fruit of the Loom Muslin, yd	6¾c
4-4 No Brand Muslin, yd	5½c
Lancaster Gingham, yd	5c
9-4 Sheeting, good, yd	16½c
12½ yard wide Percales	8½c
Light Calicoes, yd	2½c

GROCERIES.

1 lb Can Chipped Beef	15c
4 lbs Evaporated Apples	25c
6 Good Fat Mackere	[illegible]
1 3-lb Can Tomatoes, 1 3-lb can Beans, 1 3-lb Can Sweet Potatoes, 1 Can Shoe Peg Corn for	25c
Jar Syrup	9c
Good Prunes, 6 lbs	25c
Fairbanks Soap, 3½ bar 6 for	25c

Kilbourn & Warren

FAIRLEE, MARYLAND.