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We have placed in our window one of our Standard Grand Sewing Machines, which we offer for sale to the highest bidder. Bids can be made by mail or by a personal call at our store. Bids will be received until September 8th NOON, at which time they will be opened and the highest bidder notified.

This Machine is the HIGHEST PRICED and BEST family machine ever made. Sold by Wanamaker of Philadelphia for $45.00 CASH. List price $65.00. Makes both Chain and Lock Stitches perfectly on all grades of cloth, using all grades of cotton or silk. The most beautiful as well as the most practical. Call and see it.

In making your bid use this coupon, or write out one similar to it:

My bid for the Standard Grand Sewing Machine is.....on the following terms:

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CHESTERTOWN, - - MARYLAND

☞ P. S.—Be sure to write "Sewing Machine Bid" on the corner of your envelope, so it will not be opened before Sept. 8th.

ROCK HALL NOTES.

Two new fires last week caused lots of excitement among our people. The first occurring about 12 o'clock Friday night destroying the dwelling occupied by Capt. Thomas Elburn in Denby. The contents were also destroyed. Capt. Elburn and family barely escaped with their lives. The fire was caused by a lamp that was left burning through the night. The house belonged to Mr. J. A. Casey and was insured. The second fire occurred at midnight Saturday and destroyed the store and goods of Henry Mercer, of Skinners Neck. A terrific explosion of gun powder aroused people for miles around and m[illegible] the to render aid but were too [illegible] went scarcely anything. The [illegible] to save fire is unknown. [illegible] cause of the

The Democ[illegible] and Republicans have got their t[illegible] before the people, now "let th[illegible] G. [illegible] The personel of the [illegible] ticket seems to be satisfactory to the voters of that craft.

The rain of Sunday night and Monday brought the biggest kind of relief but it was too late to rescue the crops from a large shortage in this section.

There were almost as many strangers in attendance at the M. E. service on Sunday as there were home folks. It was inspiring to see such a goodly number present, and we feel sure they enjoyed the pastor's discourse on Faith.

Mr. Daniel Joiner and son-in-law, of near Baltimore, were guests of Capt. J. B. Downey over Sunday. Mr. Joiner was many years ago a most worthy resident of this place. He is still brim full of enthusiasm in his trucking and church work.

Mr. J. W. Fogwell who was paralyzed last September and later meeting with a severe accident necessitating his confinement in the hospital for several months, is now making a grim effort at recuperation at the home of his sister, Mrs. Cannan, Green Lane.

Rev. Mr. Downey who suffered a second stroke of paralysis some weeks ago is still in a helpless condition.

Mr. George Ayres, Jr. had a distressing mishap on Thursday of last week. His right arm was caught in the shafting of his gasoline engine and terribly shattered. Dr. Schwatka was summoned to render aid but the case was beyond his skill and he ordered the young man to be taken to the hospital which was done immediately. Reports say he is doing as well as could be expected. If complications doesn't set in, it is thought that amputation of the arm will not be necessary.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Crew and son Karl are spending a season of pleasure from home. Mr. Crew is at Betterton and the madame and son over in the Diamond State.

The M. E. Sunday School annual picnic was held on Thursday at Deep Landing. It was a joyous affair.

Downey and Hicks' cannery is now in full operation with first-class facilities for the canning season.

Mr. John Brice is one of the lucky peach growers of this section. He is shipping large quantities of the fruit.

STILL POND ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Crew, of Baltimore, have been the guests of Mrs. J. H. Warren, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Price have been visiting in Atlantic City and Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Atwell have been visiting relatives near Sassafras.

Mr. and Mrs. William Clark spent several days at Atlantic City this week.

Miss Annie Wilson, of Laurel, Md., is visiting friends in our town.

Mrs. William Parr is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. Urie, of Kennedyville.

Miss Laura Norris is the guest of Miss Lizzie Saunders, near Rock Hall.

Miss Helen Winkelman has returned to her home in Baltimore after spending sometime with Mrs. May Jewell.

Miss Alice Pynell and Miss Grace Engel, of Washington, are the guests of Mrs. D. L. Crew, at Still Pond Creek.

Miss Avis Dodd, of Chestertown, is visiting relatives in our town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones have returned to their home in Philadelphia after spending several days with relatives in our town.

Mr. Chas. Ford has been visiting relatives near Sassafras.

We are indebted to Messrs. Becker Bro. & Son, Baltimore, for two of their neat souvenir knives. Any of our subscribers can obtain one of the knives by sending 10c to defray expenses of postage, etc., to Becker Bro. & Son, Lexington and Frederick streets, Baltimore, Md.

Tolchester has been the mecca for thousands this week.

CHESTERVILLE NOTES.

Emmanuel M. E. Church South [illegible] Chesterville—Sunday School at 9.30, [illegible] preaching at 10.30, League at 7.30. [illegible] Wednesday night service at 8.

Trinity Millington—[illegible] Sunday School at 2 p. m., Preaching [illegible] 7.30 p. m. Ves[illegible] at 3 p. m., League at Thursday nig[illegible] [illegible]er service and address. [illegible] service at 8.

Rev. C. [illegible] with M[illegible] D. Bulla is spending a week [illegible]r. and Mrs. Ford.

Mrs. John Stephenson and her sister, Mrs. Foster, arrived in town Tuesday from Cape May.

Mr. William Dobson had a slight shock Tuesday afternoon. Dr. Barwick is attending him.

Mr. Walter Gale had an accident to one of his horses while driving from Fredericktown to his home whereby the horse was badly injured by a piece of the pole piercing it. Mr. Gale was also hurt by being thrown to the road.

The Elliotts of Chestertown are doing a fine job of frescoing in Emmanuel Church.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

CHARLES W. SIMPSON.

Mr. Charles W. Simpson, a widely known resident of Northeast Baltimore, and a prominent contractor and builder, died Thursday at the University Hospital. Mr. Simpson, though he was 64 years of age, had attended daily to his business until 10 days ago. He then began complaining, and upon submitting to a thorough medical examination it was found that he was suffering from a complication of diseases. He was removed to the University Hospital.

Mr. Simpson was born in Baltimore and was the youngest of six brothers. One of these died some time ago, but the other four are still living, and each of them is older than the deceased. When quite young Mr. Simpson traveled over the Western States, and upon returning to Baltimore entered the contracting business and had continued in it ever since.

In addition to his commercial life Mr. Simpson devoted much of his time to church work. He was one of the founders of the Broadway Methodist Protestant Church, Broadway and Monument street. He had served as steward and trustee for many years, as well as having represented his church in the annual conferences. He took great delight in the Sunday school, and was for many years teacher of a class of young men.

He was a member of the Old Glory Council of the Junior Order United American Mechanics. This order will have charge of the funeral, which will take place from his home, 1601 East Preston street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock; thence to Broadway M. P. Church, where services will be conducted by Rev. W. A. Melvin, pastor of the church. Interment will be in Loudon Park Cemetery. Mr. Simpson is survived by his widow (Mrs. Louisa Simpson), four daughters (Mrs. Emma Bottiger, Mrs. Leroy Walker, Misses Anna L. and Ethel I Simpson), two sons (Messrs. Edgar V. and Charles V. Simpson), and five grandsons. Four brothers (Messrs. Andrew J., Thomas V., of Chestertown; George W. and Henry I. Simpson) and one sister (Miss Sarah Simpson) also survive.

G. OLDHAM MASSEY.

George Oldham Massey, oldest son of the late Dr. C. H. B. Massey and Mrs. Amanda Massey, of Chestertown, died at his home in Philadelphia, Thursday evening, aged fifty years. Mr. Massey was born in Cecil county and for a number of years farmed in the lower districts. Several years ago he removed to Philadelphia, where he engaged in business. A widow who was a Miss Ellison, and one daughter survive him.

His funeral was held at his late residence Sunday afternoon and the remains were carried to Elkton Monday morning at eleven o'clock and taken to Bethel Cemetery for interment.

"SIX MONTHS SOX" 25c value for 12½c at Vansant & Newsome's

MARRIED.

Mr. E. Roland Matthews and Miss Erma Medders, both of Chastertown, were married last Saturday, August 14th, at the home of Mr. W. W. Sheats, 2222 Lanvale Place, Baltimore, by Rev. L. W. Gosnell. The bride is the attractive daughter of Ex-sheriff Andrew Medders. The groom is the only son of Mrs. A. P. Matthews and is stamp clerk in the Chestertown post office.

Plentiful.—No doubt it will be gratifying to the small boys, and girls also, to learn that the chestnut crop this year promises to be a very large one.

SALE RECORD.

Tuesday, August 24th—Public sale of valuable Store Property near Rock Hall. Frank C. Wilkins, assignee.

Tuesday, August 24th—Public sale of valuable Real Estate near Rock Hall. Frank C. Wilkins, assignee.

Monday, Aug 23—Sallie V. Moffett, administratrix, will sell a large lot of personalty on the Pearly Moffett farm.

Wednesday, August 25th—Public sale of personalty of Wm. F. Woolleyhan, on the "Pierce Farm," on road from Earleville to Revbold's Wharf.

Thursday, August 26th—Large personalty sale of Wilbur W. Hurlock, on the Cosden Farm, in Rich Neck, Queen Anne's county.

Friday, August 27th—Mrs. Samuel L. Usilton will sell lot of Furniture and Tools in Rock Hall.

Saturday, August 28th—Executor's sale of lot of household and kitchen furniture of the late Willard S. Dill, in Chestertown. M. W. Vickers, Jr., Executor.

Monday, August 30th—Personalty sale of Mary E. Neal, on the Lusby Farm in Quaker Neck.

Monday, September 6th—Personalty sale of James A. Smith on the farm known as the Parks or Merritt Farm near Betterton.

Wednesday, September 8th—Personaly Sale of Henry K. Reed and Wm. R. Reed on the Calder farm near Fairlee Lauding.

School Notes.—The Kent Teachers' Institute has been postponed indefinitely.

Miss Mary Nicholson has resigned as teacher of Flatland school.

Kent schools will begin Monday, September 6.

Large Deal Planned.—A movement is said to be on foot to consolidate the Diamond State Telephone Company's lines, which cover the Eastern Shore, and the American Telegraph and Telephone of New Jersey. Should this be accomplished the capital stock of the two companies will involve 920 millions of dollars.

5,000 AT WOODLAWN CAMP.

Five thousand people attended Woodlawn camp meeting last Sunday. The services were of an all-day order, starting at 6.30 o'clock and continuing until 10 o'clock at night. The preaching was in charge of Rev. J. M. Barnetto, of Baltimore, and Rev. Louis E. Barrett, of Chestertown. The camp will break on Wednesday morning. It has been one of the most successful camps ever held.

FARMS AND TIMBER LAND FOR SALE.

FARMS AND TIMBER LANDS AT lowest prices, on easy terms; greatest bargains in Virginia. Write for free catalogue. Address J. R. ELAM, Charlottesville, Va.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

One large BLACK SOW with three spotted pigs came to my place on or about July 1st, 1909. The owners will come forward, prove property, pay charges and take same away.
W. R. KENDALL,
aug7 3t Worton R. F. D.

GASOLINE LAUNCH FOR SALE.

I have 2 Gasoline Launches and have no use for but one. I offer cheap to quick buyer a 17 ft. clinker built launch, with a 2½ H. P. Hubbard engine, grassless wheel and fast, all in good condition.
CHARLES S. SMITH.
aug7 3t Chestertown, Md.
Also for hire at any time a gasoline launch.

PRIVATE SALE

AT SHREWSBURY RECTORY, near Kennedyville, AUGUST 9th to 14th, a Square Piano; Beds, Bureau, Tables, Chairs, Rugs, Stoves, Dishes and other household articles. TERMS CASH.
aug7-3t* REV. SAMUEL EDSON.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

25-40 H. P. 4 Cylinder 4 Cycle Triebert Marine Motor; cost over $800; for sale at a bargain, or will exchange for a good Launch. Suitable for large launch or freight packet.
LOUIS K. STAM,
jy31 3t Chestertown, Md.

ICE CREAM PARLOR.

Mrs. J. C. Loud wishes to inform the public and her friends generally that she is prepared to serve ice cream by the plate, gallon or freezer. Harlequin or block cream sold, and made a specialty. Special rates made to Sunday Schools, Societies and Churches. Ice Cream parlors open to-day on High street. All orders promptly attended to. For particulars apply to
MRS. J. C. LOUD,
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THE SHOE STORE.

Clean-Up Sale--All Low Shoes Reduced

Odd pairs and odd sizes will creep into the best regulated Shoe stock. When odds and ends show up in this store we make short work of them, with a price cut deep enough to insure their leaving home. Of course there's no money in it for us—but it cleans up the stock and you get the benefit of the prices. A saving in every item.

$4 00 Grade now at	. .	$3.00
$3 50 Grade now at	. .	$2.60
$3.00 Grade now at	. .	$2.25
$2.50 Grade now at	. .	$1.7

All Children's Oxfords greatly reduced. Call and save money on up-to-date goods.

C. C. JONES,

THE SHOE MAN, CHESTERTOWN, MD

LOW PRICES

We have a full line of Fly Nets, 40, 50 and 60 Lashes, Lap Robes, Horse Collars, Collar Pads, Plow Lines, Special prices on Work Bridles.

$1.60 Work Bridles, only.....$1.25
$2.50 Work Bridles, only.....$1.95
Special all next week.
☞ Now is the time to buy.

LIME AND HAIR
AT LOW PRICE.

2-ply Tar Roofing only.....60c Roll
250 Bed Mattresses only.....$1.95
Window Screens and Screen Doors all sizes,

TIN AND AGATEWARE ON SALE
ALL NEXT WEEK.

15c Flour Sifter only 10c
15c Tin Dish Pan, only.....9c
35c Coffee Pot, only.....19c
30c Coffee Pot, only 15c
50c Dish Pan, only 20c
40c Dish Pan, only 28c
8c Pie Plates, only 4½c
85c 12-quart Stew Kettle, only 68c
65c 10-quart Stew Kettle, only 58c
☞ Other bargains in Tin and Agateware to be sold next week.

LOOK LOOK

ON WEDNESDAY of next week every purchase of $1.00 we are offering one 35c BROOM for only 10 cents. One to a customer.

DAILY QUOTATIONS paid for Eggs next week. All country produce in trade.

Yours for business,
JAS. T. BROWN & SONS,
EDESVILLE, MD.

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The Place Where QUALITY Counts

Free Dinner Sets

We are Still Giving Away Absolutely FREE 42-Piece Dinner Sets

We had 30 of these beautiful hand-painted Dinner Sets to be given to our cash customers. So far only three persons have called with the numbers. Whenever you make a purchase always ask for a ticket, even if it is only a 10-cent purchase. A list below will show the lucky ones and the numbers that call for sets of dishes.

No. 1, Green.	39	Mrs. S. E. Ford
No. 2, Grey.	1669	Mrs. Arnold Willis
No. 3, Salmon.	241	Mrs. Tilden Brice
No: 4, Blue.	310	To be called for
No- 5, Light Blue.	311	To be called for

$2.69 $2.69

Ladies' Shoes

We have had unheard of success for the past week with this great clearing-up sale on Ladies' Fine Shoes, and don't forget it.

It is while they last at only $2.69. Regular $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00 values.

Half Price Half Price

Children's Shoes

In this our most important department we have decided to continue our Half Price Sale as long asthey last, so as to make room for Fall Shoes and to give our trade the advantage of buying the best shoes for really less than common ones sell for.

ONE-HALF OFF REGULAR PRICE.

49c For 3 Yards 49c

White Goods

We have in this sale Shirt Waist Patterns of Three Yards. There are a hundred pieces in this lot of beautiful patterns—plaids, Stripes and plain. None in the lot sold for less than 20c a yard, and most of them were 30 and 35c. Now for only 49c a piece of Three Yards.

Trunks, Bags and Suitcases

We have the most complete line of Trunks, Bags and Suitcases in town at great savings. A few prices below will convince the buyer.

TRUNKS from	$2.50 to $20.00
BAGS from	35c to 10.00
SUITCASES from	89c to 8.00

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