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HATS

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Chestertown, Maryland

Personal ❋ ❋ ❋ ❋ and Social

Miss Nellie McWhorter has been suffering from an injured foot for a month a horse having tread on it. On Wednesday Miss Nellie went to Baltimore for treatment.

Miss Phoeba Maul is spending the week in Baltimore.

Mrs. Hodgkins has returned from a visit to her niece in Galena.

Mr. Houston Toulson has decided to give up banking and will study medicine. He returned to Chestertown this week. His employers speak in the highest terms of him.

Mr. George B. McWhorter was carried to the Baltimore City Hospital Wednesday for an operation on his eye. He has suffered untold misery from a cancer on his forehead. On Monday while seated at the table he cried out with pain that something had broken in his head and the pupil of his eye was giving him great agony. The sympathy of this whole community go out to the popular citizen and his faithful wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Starcher and mother, of Grafton, W. Va., are visiting friends and relatives in Worton.

Mrs. Charles L. Freeny and interesting son, Ralph, have returned from a three weeks visit to Mrs. B. B. Freeny, at 1839 Edmondson Ave., Baltimore.

County Commissioner Brad. C. Dudley will remove into the property now occupied by Mrs. Julia Mallalieu, in Millington, and Mr. John Wood has rented the Numbers property.

Mr. Robert Huey, the efficient bookkeeper in the Second National Bank, is enjoying a visit to his home in Delaware.

Mrs. J. W. Chapman, Jr., and two children, of Baltimore, have been guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Vannort.

Dr. W. Frank Hines, of Baltimore, has been visiting his son, Dr. Frank B. Hines and wife.

Rev. Frank T. Little, Jr., is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Little, in Chestertown, and recuperating from an illness of several weeks in a Baltimore hospital.

Mr. Wm. Senart has gone to Benedict, Md., where he will be employed in a canning factory.

Mr. John Loud, of Wilmington, Del., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cordray Loud, on High street.

Mrs. John Masten, of Harrington, Del., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Jonathan Anthony.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bamberger are receiving congratulations. It's a girl.

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, of Church Hill, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Fred S. Russell, on High street.

Mrs. J. Frank Davis, of Wilmington, Del., and Mrs. J. W. Flesh, of Piqua, Ohio, are guests of their sister, Mrs. Wm. F. Russell.

Miss Louise Edwards has entered H. F. Jefferson's store to learn the millinery art.

Mr. Fletcher Truitt, of Wilmington, Del., has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Laura Pleasanton.

Miss Edna Copper has accepted a position as saleslady in Arlington L. Sparks' store.

Mrs. Elizabeth Merritt, of Baltimore, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. R. Twilley, on High street.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, of Cecilton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George D. Lotland on High street.

Mrs. B. W. Orium and Miss Mary Phipps, of Chester County, Pa., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. George B. McWhorter, on Washington avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Twilley returned last week from a visit to his aon, Dr. Marion T. Twilley, in Dover, and elsewhere. Dr. Twilley has not been well since his return.

Dr. W. H. Ivens has been elected assistant resident of the Veterinary Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia. Dr. Ivens is a Kent county boy and we congratulate him on obtaining the coveted position.

Mrs. D. L. Greenfield, of Westminster, spent Sunday in town with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hubbard and two children went to New York Thursday where they will be joined by Mrs. H.'s mother and sister, of Mexico, Missouri, and on Saturday they will all embark for a protracted stay abroad. Mr. Hubbard will not be away over six weeks.

As announced in the News several weeks ago Miss Miriam Hubbard will study abroad for a year.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Toulson have been in New York this week taking in the sights.

Messrs. William Janvier and B. J. McGuggan, of Locust Grove attended the funeral of the late Dr. John Janvier Black of New Castle, Del., on Thursday last.

Mr. Alfred Bramble, formerly of Kent, has sold his ice-cream business in Baltimore and is now employed on the railroad as conductor.

Mr. John Hogan, of Rock Hall, will remove to his farm, near Melitota, now tenanted by Mr. Wm. Cooper, Jr.

Mrs. Thomas W. Eliason, and son, Thomas, and Miss Blanche Constable are spending the week at Atlantic City.

Mr. Thomas Harding was called to his home in Laurel this week by the illness of his son, Swan.

Mr. A. L. Sparks was in Baltimore last week on business.

Mr. Frederick H. Russell attended the Hudson—Fulton celebration in New York last week.

Mr. Julian T. Numbers, of Millington, was the guest last week of Mrs. A. P. Matthews.

Mr. John W. Barnes is enjoying a well-earned week's vacation.

Mr. Mason Latham spent Monday in Baltimore.

Mr. J. Thomas Pennington is visiting relatives in Virginia.

Mr. Wm. Steele and sister, Miss Mary, have been guests of Dover friends.

Wm. McKenney, of Centreville, with a party of friends in his automobile while passing over the bridge below the residence of William C. McConnor, Miss Nannie Deaver was thrown out, but very luckily the young lady received no injuries.

Mrs. Joseph Rasin, Jr., was in Queenstown, Wednesday packing her household effects for removal to Centreville. Mrs. Rasin has procured a position in Baltimore and will assume her duties in the near future. Capt. James Pratt has rented the house which Mrs. Rasin leaves and will resume housekeeping there in a few days.

Mrs. Rolph Stevens and childrens, of Dover, are guests of Mr. Larry Reese and family in Kent.

Mr Walter Hill, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his parents, Kennedyville.

LOCAL BREVITIES

The Chestertown Public Library, hereafter, will be open in the afternoons from 2 to 5 o'clock.

A decided improvement has been made on Calvert street in the old Nelson Reed house.

The Modern Woodman, of Chestertown, will hold a public meeting in Fireman's Hall, Oct. 28th.

A marriage license was taken out this week by Mr. Robert R. Walbert and Miss Annie E. Hadaway.

The Kent County Grange is arranging to hold a Horticultural Exhibition in Stam's Hall, Oct. 21st.

A change of schedule of the Tolchester Company, to become effective Oct. 2, is published in this issue.

The town commissioners of Galena have fixed the tax rate at 25 cents on the $100. It is 40 in Chestertown.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. will present the flag to the Volunteer Firemen instead of the P. O. S. of A. as stated last week.

There will be interesting races at Rose Hill track, near Chestertown, Thursday, October 14. Two prizes will be offered in each race.

The foundation for Mr. Geo. French's new home on Mill street was laid last Saturday under the direction of Contractor Cannan.

A. Cohen has returned from the city and has received a nice line of fall goods which are now on display at his big Sandy Bottom Department Store.

An enjoyable fish-fry and oyster scald was given at the Cliffs on Thursday by a company from Chestertown. And other sections of the county. There were over fifty persons present and all had a pleasant day.

Work on the State road near Chester bridge is being carried on night and day. Two gangs are employed and these moonlight nights are ideal for the purpose. Two big barges of stone were unloaded in three days this week.

The sale of Mrs. Lydia Lusby's farm personalty, advertised in this paper, was largely attended and the stock and other property brought good prices. Mr. A. W. Vansant was auctioneer and H. W. Vickers, Jr. Esq., took the paper.

The Town Commissioners have begun grading for a pavement on Kent Circle. This new and pretty part of Chestertown has been long neglected, but the Commissioners are now turning their attention in that direction. Water mains and sewer pipes will come later, perhaps.

The fine driving mare of James Nickerson, of near Chestertown, was seriously injured Monday by falling in the road. A boy attempted to change bridle while the horse was harnessed to the buggy and the animal took fright, ran off and in falling broke her leg. Dr. Jarman advised killing her.

The cutting of corn has been finished in Kent. In some sections a fair yield will be garnered, while on poor farms scarcely sufficient corn to serve the farmer will be gathered. About Rock Hall there is a fair yield compared with other places. About Galena it is good. Mr. Holt Woodall, on the McCauley farm, expects a yield of 75 bushels per acre from a part of his tillage. Dr. Scott also has a good prospect. Mr. Isaac Gibbs, at Massey, does not expect over 50 bushels to the acre, while his neighbors will get more. Mr. Gibbs says he saw the rain descend on his neighbor's fields and never touched his!

Thieving.—Mr. Wm. Ford, at the county home, lost eleven pullets and a rooster a few nights ago. These fowls were Rhode Island reds and prized very highly. The thief certainly is a good judge of chickens.

Delightful Lecture.—Dr. H. B. Martin delightfully entertained more than a hundred persons Tuesday evening by a descriptive talk of his European trip. The lecture was given in the Parish house and was delivered in a conversational tone. Dr. Martin has been asked to give another at an early date as his 1½ hour's address only brought his audience to London.

Money Stolen.—The safe on board the steamer B. S. Ford was robbed of $185 last Friday between Chestertown and Baltimore. At least, this amount of money was placed in the safe by the Purser and when the city was reached the money could not be found. A detective has been put on the case.

Weddings.—The wedding of Mr. Ray Sparks, of Chestertown, and Miss Edith Fisher, of W. Philadelphia, took place Saturday evening at the home of the bride amid pretty surroundings. The bride wore dark blue satin and was attended by a city friend. Mr. Emerson Sparks, of Chestertown, was best man. After the wedding a reception was held and then the couple left for a trip to Canada. The groom is a Pullman conductor and with his wife will spend the winter in the South. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sparks, parents of the groom, attended the wedding.

Mr. Powell Ford, of Baltimore, formerly of Galena, and Miss Mary Clair, of Philadelphia, were married at the home of the bride in Philadelphia on Sunday.

Sales of Property.—Mr. Alfred Crouch has sold to Mr. W. K. Hudson, of Worton Manor Beach, his farm near Melitota, and the new owner is busy sowing wheat. The price is said to have been $5,000.

Mr. C. J. Todd and wife have purchased of Mr. W. W. Hubbard the store and dwelling on Queen street extended at the entrance to basket factory and now occupied by Mr. S. J. Coleman.

Mr. Frank E. Duyer has purchased of Rev. Mr. Eccleston the eligible building lot on corner Queen street and Church Alley, opposite Dr. H. G. Simpers' home for $1100.

Two farms were sold at public sale in Centreville Tuesday which belongsd to the late G. Wesley Taylor. Both places are on Corsica Creek. The Corsica farm, containing 268 acres of land, more or less, was bought by Mrs. Margaret Taylor, mother of Mr. Taylor, for $50.25 an acre, which amounted to a fraction over $13,467. The Newnam farm, containing 250 acres of land, was purchased by Mrs. Emma Rolph, a sister of Mrs. Taylor, for $53.00 an acre, which amounted to $13,250. These farms are in a high state of cultivation.

The farm of Hon. Joseph A. Wickes in Quaker Neck, now occupied by Mr. James Walbert, is reported as being sold to Mr. C. C. Brown, Jr., of Philadelphia. The price is said to be $7500.

The Cash Dealers.

New Goods Coming and Going All The Time.

EGG MARKET FIRM.
PRICE 28c.
CASH OR TRADE.

Next week we make a large exhibit of Genuine Rogers Table Silverware, consisting of Knives, Forks, Spoons, Sugar Shells, Butter Knives, etc, all real Rogers Nickel Silverware, and you have your choice of the entire lot for only 9c each.

That is, you get one piece of this Silverware with each dollar purchase, for only 9 cents.

This is Rogers Ware and needs no further recommendation.

NEW WASH GOODS, 12½c

A city visit will not afford a better selection of the pretty new Wash Goods than we are offering this Fall.

The choice Ginghams and Madras and Percales and other Wash Fabrics are here, and you have a fine pick and the price is 12½c.

ANOTHER LOT AT 9c

We have placed on the bargain table a large lot of regular 12½c Percales, Ginghams and Outing Flannels, and mark them all choice 9c.

FINE DRESS GOODS at 50c

This includes a beautiful selection of Fall colors in All-Wool Serges, Panamas, Mohairs, etc., representing extra values and assortment, all on sale at 50c.

CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS

for school, extra strong

15c Values, all sizes..... 10c
Special Hose at .....12½c and 15c

50 Dozen Fine, all Pure Linen Handkerchiefs are going out fast at these low prices:

Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 10c

20c Ladies' imported Handkerchiefs, fine hemstitched, pure linen and the greatest value you ever saw — Special Sale, only 10c.

Gent's Handkerchiefs, 15c

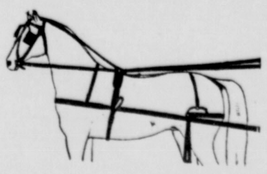
25c Gentleman's Handkerchiefs, same quality as above and will go on sale 15c.

Boys School Suits

Full and Complete Line.

Good Suits at.....$1.98
Special Suits at .....$2.50 to $3.50
Extra Knee Pants..... .....33c, 50c, 75c

Buggy Harness



If you need a SET OF GOOD HARNESS don't miss this special sale.

The $10.00 Harness for.....$ 8.50
The 12.00 Harness for..... 9.75
The 14.00 Harness for..... 11.00
The 15.00 Harness for..... 12.50
The 16.00 Harness for..... 13.50

All the Harness reduced in this close-out sale.

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FOR LADIES

New Fall Styles.

We sell the "DOLLY MADISON" Fine Hand Welt Shoes for Ladies, in all the new shapes and styles. A fine shoe, a stylish shoe. Price $3.00, $3.50.

The "High Standard Shoes" for Ladies. A fine custom shoe—wears well fits well and looks well. Price $2.25.

The Nurse Shoes for tender feet—a real comfort and satisfaction to any lady; special $2.25.

Our special lines of Ladies' Good Shoes at $1.75, $1.50, $1.39.

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We sell and recommend the SELZ "LIBERTY BELL" SHOES for Children as the best values on the market.

Children's Sizes $1.25, $1.50
Boys' Sizes $1.50, $1.75, $2.00

Full and complete line of the Infants and Larger Baby Shoes at 50c upward.

FOR MEN

"THE ROYAL BLUE" We sell the Selz "Royal Blue" Shoes for Men. The best shoe known for wear and comfort. Vici and Box Calf "Foot Form" Shoes. One price to everybody—$3.50 net.

The Men's Wear Well Shoes are without equal. Made in Box Calf and Gun Metal and Patent Leather; prices $2.00, $2.50.

THE HIGH TOPS

A large and select line of MEN'S HIGH-TOP SHOES in Black and Russett Calf, all styles; prices $2.50, $3.50, $4.50.

It will pay you to get your shoes at our New Shoe Store.

Don't overlook the "Water King" Shoes.

W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES

UNION MADE

FOR MEN
$5.00 $4.00
$3.50 $3.00
$2.50 $2.00
BOYS SHOES
$2.50 $2.00
$1.75

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The cool snappy weather calls for comfortable stoves.

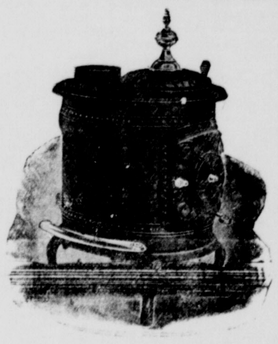
Guaranteed Oil Heaters."

We are selling dozens of these good Heaters because our "low-prices" and "guarantee" is worth consideration.

The $4.00 Oil Stoves for - $2.98
The $5.00 Oil Stoves for - $3.98

New Perfection Oil Heaters, made by Standard Oil Co. and guaranteed perfect. WE SELL THEM ON TRIAL FOR ONE WEEK—your money back if not satisfactory.

HOT AIR WOOD STOVES
FOR SOLID COMFORT.



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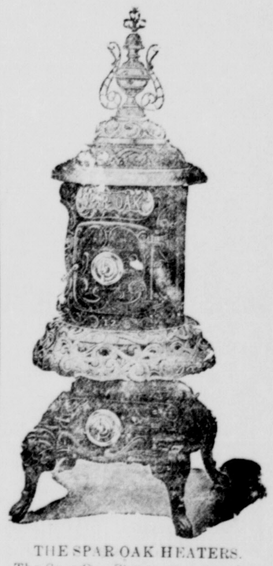
Iron Top, Iron Bottom, Heavy Lining, made for service and satisfaction. They have no equal for heating. Will burn anything—prices low—only $4.50, $5.50, $6.50 and $7.50.

Cheap Wood Stoves and Good Wood Stoves $1.98 up to $12.50

HOT AIR COAL STOVES.



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The Spar Oak Stoves are a new invention. Will burn wood or coal, requires little fuel, makes much heat. Works on the Hot Air basis and is a very attractive and satisfactory stove. Made in all sizes, $9.00, $13.00, $15.00.

OTHER HEATERS $9, $10.00 $11.00.

$60.00 Quick Meal Range, $47.50

The name tells the story of its convenience. It looks well, it cooks well, it bakes well and it lasts well, and then it costs but a little more than one of the inferior kinds. Right in construction, right in ornamentation, right in operation, symmetrical, handsome and strong. It has Duplex Grates, Balanced Oven Door, heavily braced, nonwarpable oven bottom; rivetless sheets, smooth and bright as a mirror, compose its body. Merit has brought the "Quick Meal" to the front and keeps it there.

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