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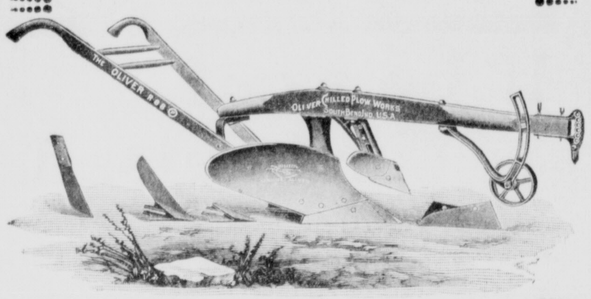

We carry in our stock the following celebrated lines:

Old Hickory Farm Wagons,
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Rakes and Twine.

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We are now building an addition to our building, and are going to add a line of

Carriages Runabouts and Surreys

This line, along with our already celebrated line of Harness, will put us in a position to save you some money. Be sure to see our Carriages before buying elsewhere.

We have received the invoice for one carload of Carriages already, and more are to follow soon. This car of Carriages ought to reach us in a few days.

Blankets

We have a few more good patterns in BLANKETS AND ROBES that we will sell at a discount now, as it is getting late in the season, to make room for our Spring Stock.

Stoves Stoves

We will also allow a good discount off on Stoves now, as we must make room for our incoming stock. So make haste and get what you may want before this stock is disposed of.

We are also going to add a line of AUTOMOBILE REPAIRS, OILS, Etc.

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Local Brevities.

THE Chestertown Council No. 177 Jr. O. U. A. M. has elected the following officers: Councilor, J. E. Pennington; vice-councilor, Bertie Crouch; conductor, A. L. Pope; warden, H. A. Pennington; I. S., H. W. Reed; O. S., J. H. Copper; asst. rec. sec., W. T. Bennett; chaplain, E. R. Matthews; Jr. Past. Councilor, J. G. Usilton.

WM. GRAVES, of Chestertown, the expert diver, went overboard Wednesday at the bridge and recovered a ring for Miss Susie Dunbracco in 18 foot of water.

THE pier at Betterton took fire Monday but was extinguished before any damage was done.

THE summer kitchen on Mr. Arthur Brown's farm, near town, took fire Monday and the roof was burned before the flame was smothered.

WORK on the new Chestertown Laundry will commence next week. The land was cleared of the colored house yesterday.

Banks Declare Dividends.—The Chestertown Bank of Md. on Wednesday last declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. amounting to $1000, and carried $2560 to undivided profits.

The Kent County Savings Bank declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. and carried about $1300 to undivided profits.

Burglar Escapes.—During Mr. Thomas S. Bordley's big sale of clothing Saturday Mr. Sterling detected a negro with a pair pants concealed under his coat. The negro, when charged with the theft, bought a pair of shoes, ties, etc., etc., and as he left the store picked up a coat! Mr. Sterling again detected the theft and gave chase. With the assistance of Mr. A. L. Carmine the negro was caught and delivered to Officer Cooper. The negro appeared very quiet and no nippers were put on him. When in sight of the jail the prisoner gave the officer a hard blow and escaped. Officer Cooper has not yet captured him, but if he makes his final escape it will be among the few he has lost.

Court News.—The Kent county commissioners have named a commission to examine the proposed new road in Worton to Worton creek, viz: Edward W. Hepbron, Richard Wilson, H. L. Boyd.

Mr. Thomas C. Roe, of the First district, has been named as clerk to the assessors for Kent county at $4 per day.

A removed court case from Easton will be argued at Chestertown next week before Judges Pearce, Adkins and Hopper. It is a case which pertains to the bonding of Easton for sewers or water.

Stockholders' Meeting.—The annual stockholders meeting of the Kent County Savings Bank was held Tuesday and the following directors unanimously elected: Milbourn A. Toulson, James H. Baker, Jefferson D. Bacchus, John D. Urie, Fred. G. Usilton, Charles S. Smith, Lewin W. Wickes, Wm. F. Russell, Howard Turner, J. Edw. Hurlock, Dr. G. I. Barwick, James A. Casey. The President's report showed a very gratifying condition and the usual semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. was declared. The new building will be completed this month.

BETTERTON'S BIG FOURTH.

We are glad to report that our little resort had the largest and best crowd of visitors on the Fourth that has ever been here before. Beginning on Saturday every incoming boat brought crowd after crowd until every hotel, cottage and private home was filled to overflowing and compelled to turn people away. One of the Ericsson steamers which left Baltimore at 6 30 p. m bound for here with a load of human freight was compelled to return to the city on account of fog. Had that steamer arrived here it is doubtful whether or not the boarding houses could have accommodated the large unexpected crowd on Sunday and Monday with meals. It was a grand Fourth for Betterton and every citizen is pleased. It was a great beginning for what looks like a big boarding season at our little resort. Owing to the streets and sidewalks being torn up to some extent for the laying of concrete, the prettiness of our village was somewhat lacking, yet the harbor and beach made up for this loss. The harbor was a beautiful sight, there being more yachts and launches anchored off here than ever before, and each was gayly decorated in its set of colors. The business and amusement places along the beach front were tastily decorated with flags. One noticeable feature of the day was the presence of numerous automobile parties, and each machine being decorated in flags.

It is claimed by Mr. Burn's engineer that his pretty and swift launch raced and defeated Fairbanks fast launch, of Baltimore. This recalls the fact that a race between Mr. Burn's launch representing the local place, Mr. Ainscows' fast launch, of Wilmington, and the Bauer's launch, of Baltimore, would be an interesting race at our little resort and some effort should be made to get the event.

Turner's New Pier was thrown open to the public Saturday night and its amusements, its accommodations, its appointments are certainly an addition to Betterton.

The Beach Amusea was certainly a favorite place during the holiday. A large crowd from both city and country enjoyed the skating and bowling.

CHESTERVILLE ITEMS.

Emmanuel Sunday School at 9.30 a.m., preaching at 10 30 a. m., League service at 8 p. m.

Trinity Sunday School at 2 p. m., preaching at 3 p. m., League service at 7.30 a. m., illustrated sermon at 8 p. m., The Second on the Book of Esther.

Mr. J. J. Lockwood is trying his auto. He steers like an old sport.

Mr. and Mrs. March returned to Chester, Monday. Miss Carry Spry accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson are spending sometime in Chesterville.

Mr. Frank Gale spent two weeks at home and returned to Woodwardsville Monday.

Mrs. Dwyer, Mrs. Holden, and Master Harry Dwyer went to Baltimore Monday.

IN MEMORIAM.

WIRTS.—In sad but loving remembrance of our dear baby, who died one year ago, July 11.

One long year has passed and still we miss him,
Friends may think the wound is healed;
But they little know the sorrow
That lies within our hearts concealed.

Hour by hour we saw him fade,
And slowly sink away;
Yet in our hearts we often prayed
That he might longer stay.

MAMA AND PAPA.

WEDDING EVENTS.

Miss Sophia Voss, of Georgetown, was married to Mr. William Firth, of Brooklyn, last Sunday. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents in Brooklyn.

At the M. E. Parsonage, Chestertown, Saturday, July 3rd, 1910, by Rev. L. E. Barrett, D. D., Charles P. Smith and Miss Nettie A. Fox, both of Kent county.

At the M. E. Parsonage, Chestertown, Monday, July 4th, 1910, by Rev. L. E. Barrett, D. D., Charles D. Rollison, of Kent county, and Miss Maggie D. Davis, of Wilmington, Del.

MILLINGTON ITEMS.

The "Greatest Fourth" in the history of our town was last Monday. People began coming from far and near at day break and continued down till night. At 10 o'clock A. M. the streets were almost impassable. At 11 30 A. M. the the big dress parade started from the railroad lots in the northeastern part of the town. The first prize was taken by Mr. Paul Comegys, the hardware man. His float consisted of a manure spreader decorated with bunting, and inside was the "Goddess of Liberty" carrying aloft an American flag. Around her were sitting young ladies dressed in the colors and bearing the names of the thirteen original colonies. The second prize was awarded to Miss Edna Spear, who was attired in the costume of the "Belle of the Plains." She carried an American flag and was seen defending it with her weapons. Immediately after the parade ended able speakers addressed the public from the veranda of Central Hotel. At 1.30 the Millington Concert Band gave a free concert on the plaza and then marched to the baseball grounds to see the great double-header between the Millington baseball club and the strong Parkside team, of Wilmington, Del. The first game resulted in a score of 9 to 3 in favor of Parkside, and the second with a score of 4 to 2 in favor of the "other side." At 8 P. M. another concert was given, after which the great display of fireworks was set off, and the balance of the evening was spent at the festival given for the benefit of the cand. All seemed to enjoy themselves, and we hope that in the future we will be able to show you even a better time than we did on Monday.

Mr. F. L. Spear, of Baltimore, spent a few days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Spear.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Disharoon and Mrs. Mary Jones spent the Fourth with friends in Federalsburg, Md.

Misses Mabel Stevens and Susie Harrington spent the week with Mrs. Chas. H. Stevens.

Mrs. S. Cohen and children returned to Baltimore Wednesday after spending a month with her sister, Mrs. I. Hollins.

Misses Elva and Beulah King, of Wilmington, spent a few days of this week with their aunt, Mrs. F. Lockerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Peacock and family, of Philadelphia, Pa., are guests of Mr. Leonard Wilson.

Misses Rebecca Maromity, of Baltimore, and Jennie Hollins, of Middletown, Del., are the guests of Mrs. I. Hollins.

The Millington baseball club played the Centreville team at Centreville on Thursday and at Millington on Friday.

The M. H. S. baseball team would like games with any team in Kent or Queen Anne's counties. Please address Henry Tonkin, Esq., manager, Millington, Md.

Mr. B. M. Hazell has launched another of those fine row-boats of his own make and has named it the "Doris," in honor of his little granddaughter, who enjoys it so much. He will launch his 35-foot passenger boat about August 1st and will make regular trips to and from Baltimore and points on the Chester.

Mrs. Oliva Carlisle, of Philadelphia, Pa., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Helen S. Ross, at her home on Cypress street.

Mrs. Thomas Phillips, of Wilmington, Del., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jennie Price, at "The Green Tree House."

Mr. F. C. Numbers is serving as relief agent at Wyoming, Del.

Mr. John Woodall, Jr., while riding homeward through Pearson's woods, near Blanco, last Sunday night, was held up and robbed of all his money and valuables by three highwaymen. Mr. Woodall says there were three negroes and a white man. The white man held his horse and the negroes took his money. Mr. Woodall had no weapons with which to protect himself.

Mr. Wm. Britton and family, of Camden, N. J., spent a few days this week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Britton.

The Misses Gillespie entertained Miss Bertha Phillips and sister for a few days this week. Miss Marie Gillespie is now the guest of Miss Phillips at her home in Sudlersville, Md.

Mr. Joseph Johnsou, of Philadelphia, Pa., was the guest this week of Mr. John Wiest, near town.

CHURCH NOTES.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Christ Church have elected the following officers for the ensuing six months: President, J. Frank Wheatley; vice-president, Miss Nettie Sutton; secretaries, Mrs. C. N. Satterfield, Mr. Robert Huey; treasurer, Miss Nettie Sutton; pianist, Miss Anna Smyth; assistant, Miss Minnie Hudson; librarians, Griffith Clift, Stewart Matthews, Arthur Bacon, C. N. Satterfield.

Dr. F. T. Little preached an earnest and patriotic 4th of July sermon at the twilight service in Christ Church Sunday evening. He spoke of the great and rapid growth of our country and with much force presented the two great evils which confront us—divorce and a corrupt ballot.

The picnic of Christ Church Sunday School will be held Wednesday, July 13, at Queenstown.

Chestertown M. E. Church, Rev. Louis E. Barrett, D. D., pastor—Services next Sunday, July 10th, as follows: 10.30 a.m. preaching by the pastor, subject, "The Fisherman and the Carpenter"; 2.15 p. m., Sabbath School; 7 p. m., Twilight service of one hour, singing from new song book, followed by short sermon from the pastor. All welcome, come and worship with us.

The M. E. Sunday School, Chestertown, will hold its annual picnic at Tolchester Wednesday, July 20, going down in wagons, etc.

Rev. J. Wilson Sutton, who recently resigned as assistant at Old St. Paul's Church, Baltimore, sailed Tuesday from New York for New Orleans, where he will spend a short time with friends. He will then go to Los Angeles, Cal., where he will visit a sister and will continue to Seattle, where he will visit a brother. He will return East about September 1, by way of the Canadian Pacific and will then take up his new duties at Trinity Church, New York.

FOURTH AT ROCK HALL RACE COURSE

Before a crowd of about five-hundred ladies, men and children of the surrounding community and visitors from Baltimore and other places, the Rock Hall Racing Association held the second of a matinee races last Monday.

Among the visiting horses that started was Boxwell, Jr., owned and driven by Mr. Herbert Matthews, of Worton; also Mr. F. M. Miller's two promising youngsters of Chestertown.

Boxwell, Jr., proved himself a worthy contestor, as did Kentwood, Durock, Belton, Jr., and the veteran Pearl, each finally "bringing home the bacon" in their respective classes.

Kentwood started in the last heat only of the Class A, due to some objection to classification, after which he went an exhibition mile.

Members of the Association express their appreciation of Messrs. Matthews' and Miller's visit and wish that more of the "boys" from up the county would bring their horses on such occasions.

Summary:

CLASS A

Boxwell, Jr., (Herbert Matthews)	1 1 2
Mable B., (W. W. Beal)	2 2 3
Kentwood, (John Brice) started last heat	0 0 1

Time—2.35, 2.27, 2.25.

CLASS B

Durock, (Wm E. Parsons)	1 1 1
Marvil Girl, (Frank Sappington)	2 2 2
Maud, (F. M. Miller)	3 3 3

Time—2.40, 2.37, 2.42.

CLASS C

Pearl, (Geo. W. Walbert)	2 1 1 1
Jack Frost, (Chas. Smith)	3 3 2 2
Kentworth, (Benj. Coburn)	3 2 3 3
Homer, (W. J. Frazier)	4 4 4 4
June Bug, (Hugh McCloskey)	5 6 5 5

Time—2.45, 2.47, 2.48, 2.48.

CLASS D

Belton, Jr., (Frank Coleman)	1 1
Hermis, (Harvey Brice)	2 2
Little Bess, (Ellsworth Leary)	3 3
Lady McMenamin, (F. M. Miller)	4 4
Roe Dell, (Wm. C. Mench)	5 5

Time—2.45, 2.44.

Officers of the Meeting—Judges, A. Carroll Willson, R. Sterling Jones, and Joseph Carter, of Queenstown; Timers, Henry W. Anderson and J. E. Harvey; Clerk of Course, Elbert Nickerson.

GALENA ITEMS.

Galena was nearly deserted on the 4th. Some went to Millington to see the base ball game there, others went to Betterton and Tolchester.

District Superintendent Rev. Mr. Watts had quite a large congregation out to hear him on Sunday. He preached an able sermon.

The holiness people are talking of having a tent meeting in Galena at an early date.

Misses Mary Steele and May Nickerson have returned to Philadelphia to resume their work in the hospital as nurses.

Mr. Duling, of Millington, is building a large dwelling house on the Clark farm here. He has quite a large force of carpenters at work.

Mr. John D. Boyd is repairing the R. C. Church foundation.

The farmers are commencing to thresh their wheat crop. They expect a fair crop. They are now cutting their hay and in most places they have a big crop. We heard it remarked that there was more hay hauled to and through our town than there has been for years back.

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The Shoe Store is justly popular because it offers the NEWEST THINGS when they are new and provides such a varied assortment that no one need be disappointed. WE APPEAL FOR YOUR PATRONAGE on the only inducing basis—actual value.

Just now we are showing some especially nobby patterns in both black and russet that are well worth seeing whether you buy or not. We sell Shoes for the whole family and save you money.

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CHESTERTOWN, MD.

H. F. JEFFERSON

The Ladies' Store

Take this means to notify the public that the space in this paper will be used by H. F. Jefferson & Bro. after July 1, 1910.

This business will be changed (greatly for the benefit of the public) and all persons having accounts with H. F. JEFFERSON will please arrange to settle same by that time, July 1, 1910.

From now on you will find many bargains especially in Millinery, Shoes and Ready-Made Goods as our stock is large and must be reduced.

Will have new ad. next week.

H. F. JEFFERSON

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