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SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 1917

WAR NEWS

The British are pushing the Germans back in France. They have captured this week 11,000 prisoners besides guns, &c.

Brazil has severed relations with Germany.

The War Department has called for 500,000 volunteers to fill up the regular army and existing units of the National Guard.

There is a great difference of opinion as to drafting. To our mind it is simply a necessity. The Untied States can learn by experience of other nations that volunteers cannot be secured and that drafting becomes the only means of filling the ranks.

Analysis of the pending Administration bill as it affects the Regular Army and the National Guard shows that provision is made for the absorption of 517,868 volunteers. Of these 161,519 will be needed to fill up the Regular Army and 206,349 for the National Guard. As 150,000 men must be withdrawn from these two services within six months to train the first 500,000 increment of the selective conscript army, their places must be taken by that number of additional volunteers.

By this plan, while absorbing the volunteer spirit of the country, the feasibility of depending entirely upon volunteers will be demonstrated. Army officers are certain that it will show Congress, where there are some doubts of the selective conscription plans, that conscription is necessary to maintain an army adequate to meet the present situation.

A campaign of colossal proportions to break down the German submrrine blockade and keep the Entente plentifully supplied with food, clothing and munitions, has been determined upon by President Wilson and his advisers as America's first physical stroke against her enemies.

Great Armada of Merchantmen

Major General George W. Goethals, builder of the Panama canal, has been selected to supervise the construction program, which is expected to involve within the next year a total tonnage of 3,000,000 tons, or more than is building now in all the shipyards in the world.

Built for the most part of pine and fir, the ships will range from 2000 to 3500 tons. Most of them probably will be equipped with oil-burning engines, and all will carry wireless and be armed.

The first of the vessels are to be ready in about six months, and during the year following the number afloat is expected to pass 1000. Such a number, officials believe constantly augmented in the months that follow, will render it absolutely impossible for Germany to maintain her blockade with any degree of effectiveness.

$7,000,000,000 War Revenue

The $7,000,000000 war revenue bill has been explained to the Senate Finance Committee by Secretary McAdoo

Chairman Simmons said no opposition was expressed, and he expects its quick passage after it has been approved by the public. No formal action by the Senate Committee will be taken until then.

Mr. McAdoo's idea was that at least half the $7,000,000,000 should be raised by taxation, the remainder by bonds.

WITH America in the conflict, the total number of persons involved will reach considerably over one billion people. The world is indeed in arms. The thoughtful observer will note one great truth rammed home by this titanic struggle. It is that nationality is gradually giving away to internationality. Just as the individual member of society finds he can not live a life to himself, without taking in account the social rights of his neighbors; just as the employer finds he can not run his shop to suit himself, regardless of the social claims of his workmen, so the nation of today finds itself so interwoven in the mesh of internationality that only a slight impetus is needed to participate so many into the devil's cauldron of war.

THE Lyceum Theatre of Chestertown will be the scene of the Columbia Stock Co. next week. This is a well-known and popular company and will play some fine dramas and comedies here next week.

BOARDING HOUSE FOR SALE.

14 ROOM, 3 STORY COTTAGE, Main Street of BETTERTON, MD. Large dining room and summer kitchen, lot about 75x175 ft. Concrete walk to both steamboat wharves. Convenient to church and school. Will sell at sacrifice price of $1,000.
HOWARD F. OWENS,
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PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
Desirble House and Lot

THE UNDERSIGNED, as owner, will offer public sale in front of the Court House Do in Chestertown, Md.,

On TUESDAY, MAY 1st. 1917

between the hours of 11 A. M. and 12 o'clock noon,

The Property in Flatlands now occupied by Walter Fowler situated near the Flatland school house and adjoining the lands of E. T. Graham, Col. Wm. J. Vannort and R. G. Nicholson. This property consists of 7¼ ACRES OF LAND more or less, and is improved by a TWO-STORY SIX ROOM DWELLING and necessary outbuildings, all new and in good condition. Nice small Pear and Apple Orchard and small fruits.

TERMS OF SALE—To suit purchaser; all title papers at cost of purchaser. Possession given January 1, 1918

H. STOCKTON STARTT, OWNER.
JOHN T. JESTER, Auctioneer. a14-ts

FOR SALE

The George W. Covington Store Property and Store Goods, situated at Still Pond, Maryland.

Store and Dwelling combined. Property in good order and well painted. One of the oldest business stands in the county. Splendid trade for the past fifty years. Opportunity for a live merchant. Copy of appraisement can be seen. Private sale. Apply to
HOWARD TURNER,
Betterton, Md.
Agent for Helen M. Covington and Ethel Barnard, exec'rs G. W. Covington m31 tf

PUBLIC SALE
OF VALUABLE
Rock Hall Property

UNDER and by virtue of competent authority from the heirs of the late James E. Blackiston, the undersigned as agent, will sell on the premises at Rock Hall, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 28th, 1917,
AT ONE O'CLOCK P. M.

The following property situated in the business centre of Rock Hall on the northeast corner of main cross roads and being some of the best business property in Rock Hall.

NUMBER ONE
Factory AND Building Lot

TWO-STORY BUILDING 25x61 ft., with Lot of 27 ft., fronting on Main St. and depth of 165 feet. This building is now occupied as a Wrapper and Apron Factory by M. Kramer and is running daily with labor from Rock Hall. The building is of excellent material and is in good repair. A most excellent opportunity for anyone wanting to engage in factory business of making aprons, wrappers, pants, etc.

NUMBER TWO
Barber Shop Building

About 14x18 feet and fronting on Main street. Will make a good barber shop, ice cream parlor or store room. Lot about 14 feet front by 30 feet deep.

NUMBER THREE
Vacant Lot

Thirty feet fronting on main business street of Rock Hall, with depth of about 160 feet. Situated between Factory Building and Barber Shop and will make a fine building lot for store or dwelling.

NUMBERS FOUR AND FIVE
Two Vacant Lots

Each fronting 50 feet on Main street, with a depth of about 150 feet and between the property of Mrs. Kate F. Leary and the store and dwelling occupied by J. M. Blaustein. These lots will make excelling business sites for store or dwelling.

NUMBER SIX
Store and Dwelling

On corner and now occupied by J. M. Blaustein. The store is one of the largest and best situated in Rock Hall. The Dwelling is large and in good repair.

NUMBER SEVEN
Parcels Nos. 1 and 2

consisting of the Barber Shop and the Store and Dwelling described above will then be offered as a whole.

This property will first be offered in seven different parcels as described above; then all seven parcels will be offered as a whole; the property will be sold in the way in which the best price can be obtained.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third of the purchase money cash on day of sale, balance in two equal installments payable six and twelve months from day of sale; deferred payments to bear interest from day of sale. Possession of the Barber Shop can be given on day of sale. Possession of other parcels given on January 1, 1918. Purchaser or purchasers will be entitled to landlords rents in these properties from day of sale and will be required to pay the State, County and Corporation Taxes for 1917. Title papers at cost of purchaser or purchasers.

S. SCOTT BECK, Attorney. WM. B. USILTON, AGENT.
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35c and 40c Mattings 29c
Heavy closely woven Chinas in neat check and stripe designs; also 180 warp Japs in pretty carpet patterns, blue, green or red. Fulls rolls of best 35c and 40c grades. Yard, 29c.

$1.25 and $1.50 INLAID LINOLEUM 79c
Potter's guaranteed-to-wear Inlaid Linoleums in Tile, Parquette and Geometrical patterns; light or dark colors; suitable for kitchens, baths, dining rooms, etc. These are mill ends up to 20 yards, of good, heavy grades with clear designs through to the back and are specially recommended for hard service. Regular $1.25 and $1.50 grades; all perfect; laid free. Square yard, 79c.
Please bring room measurements.

39c New-Process LINOLEUMS
Full rolls, slightly imperfect; square yard 29c

59c Grade Cork LINOLEUMS
Mill remnants up to 16 yards (laid free) 39c

69c and 75c Cork LINOLEUMS
Full rolls; best grades (laid free) 59c

50c WINDOW SHADES 39c
A new quality (soft finish) opaque in dark or medium Green mounted on guaranteed (made by Hartshorn) rollers. Size 3x6 ft. Complete, 39c.

Large Size Window Shades
Of blue or green, opaque or Holland, up to 60 inches wide, 7 feet long, mounted on Hartshorn rollers, at about one-third less than the made to order prices.

White Enameled Beds
At Less Than Present Factory Prices

$3.50 White Enameled BEDS $2.25
One-inch posts; all sizes.

$4.50 White Enameled BEDS $2.75
Scroll head and foot.

$5.00 White Enameled BEDS $3.75
Brass trimmed; any size.

$6.00 White Enameled BEDS $4.45
One-inch continuous posts.

$5.00 BED SPRINGS $3.65
Twin link springs of steel wire (sagless and noiseless); guaranteed for 10 years. Any size for wood or metal bed. Special $3.65.

$25.00 BRASS BEDS $16
Heavy two-inch posts, with 3⅛ inch ball ends; ten one-inch fillers; guaranteed lacquer; will not tarnish; bright or satin finish. Double size only. 18 of these $25.00 beds to be sold at $16.00.

—Basement.

EGGS FOR HATCHING

SINGLE COMB WHITE LEGHORN EGGS FOR HATCHING. Best layers in the world. Hens lay in winter when eggs are high.
$1.00 per set of 15 Eggs.
$5.00 for 100 Eggs.
MRS. T. R. W. CREW,
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FEMALE NURSE ATTENDANT for a Sanitarium for Nervous and Mental diseases Salary $22.00 a month and maintenance.
Address
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$5.00 Per Hundred
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Shipments guaranteed to arrive safely.
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Saturday, April 14th, 1917

Beginning at 11.30 A. M., sharp

20 TO 30 HORSES
8 Pair of Mules
40 Head of Cattle
100 PIGS AND SHOTES

Several good SECOND-HAND CARRIAGES lot of Single and Double Harness and Blankets.
I will have some good cows and heifers here and some no good for a farmer to keep. If you will come to me I will try and get you in right.
At my last sale horses sold from $4 to $153, mules from $175 to $300 per pair, cows from $25 to $110, heifers from $20 to $72.50.
If you want to buy or sell your stock, this is the place to come.
Sale rain or shine. Terms Cash.
S. G. CALDWELL.
My next sale after this will be April 28.

STATE OF MARYLAND
State Roads Commission

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED PROPOSALS for building one section of State Highway, as follows:
Contract No. K-10, KENT COUNTY—Through Chestertown, one section of Washington Ave, from State Road to road to Chester River bridge; one section of High Street from Fairlee Road to College Avenue, a distance of approximately 1.20 miles. (Concrete.)
Will be received by the State Roads Commission, at its offices, 601 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Maryland, until 12 M. on the 1st day of May, 1917, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.
Bids must be made upon the blank form contained in the book of specifications. Specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application and cash payment of $1.00, as hereafter no charges will be permitted.
No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred ($500) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission.
The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.
The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
BY ORDER of the State Roads Commission this 10th day of April, 1917
FRANK H. ZOUCK, Chairman.
CLYDE H. WILSON, Secretary. a14 3t

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Or not a SINGLE PENNY OF COST, because we pay back—shall esteem it a privilege to do so—every cent of your money unless you are in every way satisfied with the remedies we sell you.

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New Supply Chick Feed, Scratch Feed and Dry Mash for Spring Chickens; price per 100 lbs $3.75

Garden Seeds

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Early Elaska Peas, qt.....40c
Mott's Excelsior Peas, qt.....40c
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Staell's Evergreen Corn, qt.....40c

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Large Can Bell Brand Peaches, with thick syrup, only...20c Can
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These goods are the finest to be had at any price. Try a can.

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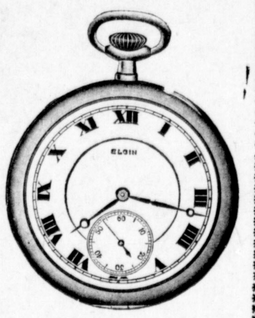
Twenty-year guaranteed case, Elgin or Waltham movement.

$8.00



Ladies' or Gentleman's Watch, 20-year case, Waltham or Elgin movement, guaranteed for five years.

An unusual opportunity to purchase a beautiful and serviceable watch at a price that is guaranteed to be the lowest at which this quality has ever been sold.

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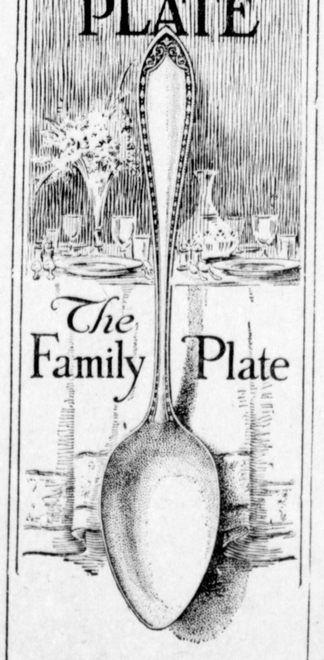

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The Order of Owls is 12 years old and has over 2,800 Nests, with a membership of over 400,000 in the United States. The Order of Owls is made up of the

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DO IT NOW
Get Wise, Boys;
You'll Enjoy It Later

REASONS WHY
You Should Join The
Order of OWLS

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1st—Order of Owls pays sick and accident benefits of $7 per week.
2nd—Order of Owls pays $250 Death Benefit.
3d—Order of Owls furnishes you or anyone dependent upon you Free a Tuberculosis Camp.
4th—Order of Owls furnishes a home for all its Orphans.
5th—Order of Owls Pension its Widows.
6th—Order of Owls will help you get a position when you are out of employment.
7th—Order of Owls will help you in your business. They trade with each other.
8th—Order of Owls furnishes you social advantage.
9th—The dues are 75c per month; no extra assessments.
10th—After closing the Charter the initiation fee in this town may be $20.
11th—You will get in on the election of Officers of Local Nest.
12th—You do not have to take the initiation if you join now, and the total cost is only $5.

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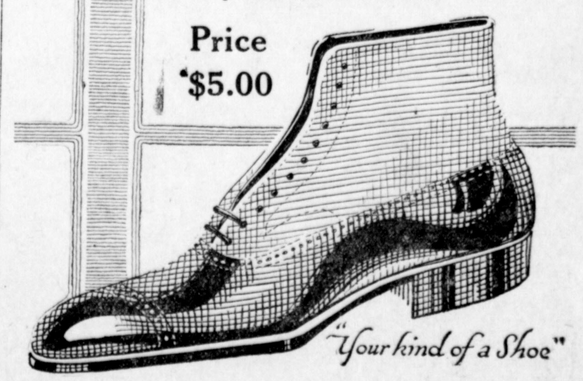

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mond & Snyder.
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Also some good Building Lots on Cannon street, Chestertown, for sale.
Apply to
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m13-3t* Locust Grove, Md.