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Local Notes

HARVEST is on in earnest. There is a fine outlook in Kent.

TWO cows were killed by lightning in Hyde Smith's field, near Worton.

DR. J. E. GRAHAM plucked his first ripe tomato from his home garden Monday.

THE M. P. Parsonage looks fine in its new dress. The old one had become quite worn.

ALFALFA FEED is the new feed being sold at Brooks' mill. If you want to save on your horse feed, see Brooks.

CHRIST M. P. Sunday School has decided to hold their annual picnic at Tolchester on Wednesday, July 11th.

THE latest addition to the auto ranks are Walter Wright with a six-cylinder Buick, Albert Groves with a 6 cylinder Oakland.

THE Edwards farm and Chestertown property was offered for sale on Tuesday last by S. Scott Beck, Esq., trustee, and held up. Both can be purchased at private sale.

THE big shoot will be held at Betterton July 11 and 12. John Brice is president, Howard Owens, secretary, and H. Linn Worthington, manager, expect 80 or more shooters! $400 will be awarded in cash and trophies.

OWING to the work incident to the Preparedness Parade on July 4th, the monthly meeting of the Just Government League at the home of Mrs. Fred. G. Usilton, is postponed until Tuesday, July 10th, at 8 P. M. All who are interested in the suffrage question are cordially invited on this date, July 10th.

PROF. H. E. PEARSON, the Chestertown musical artist, has just come into possession of an ancient and odd table cover. It was made by his grandmother in 1812. It is about two by three feet and has worked on it birds, flowers, a house and a number of quotations and is a very valuable piece of work.

A COLORED EMPLOYE of Hope H. Barroll, Esq., Armstead Bushrod, has his skull fractured, his leg broken and his face cut and is now in Elkton Hospital as a result of being run down by an auto driven by Dr. Norris of Cecil county, on Saturday night. Bushrod was on a bicycle when the accident occurred on the state road between Chestertown and Kennedyville, near Jessie Copper's gate. Dr. H. G. Simpers rendered the man medical aid and he was taken to the hospital as soon as possible and is in a critical condition.

A MEETING of the committee, consisting of Messrs. R. Snowden Thomas, Claude Truslow and Dr. Foster Sudler, was held in the office of Mr. James G Beck, president of the Fair Association, Saturday afternoon. A big poultry show is assured as one of the features of the fair. Fifty cents will be charged as an entrance fee for each bird and $1.00 for a pair. Some fine prizes of cash and trophies will be awarded. This will, no doubt, be one of the features of the fair and every poultry raiser should send one bird at least for exhibition.

THE vault in the clerk's office of Kent county is being fitted out with steel cases and roll shelves at a cost of several thousand dollars.

PATRIOTIC DAY, Sunday, will be observed in Christ Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. with an interesting program. A collection will be taken for Red Cross.

DON'T forget the big parade next Wednesday. Get in line with your auto and do your bit to help spread the preparation for war.

THE farmers are looking for a 50 cent increase in the price of milk next month. In Pennsylvania many farmers are selling cows to the butchers because it does not pay to keep them for dairy purposes.

THE Court of Appeals affirmed the decision of the lower Court in the case of Robert H. Morgan versus Cleaver. This was a suit over the sale of a farm. H. W. Vickers, Esq., represented the winner in the suit, Mr. Cleaver, while H. H. Barroll, Esq., was counsel for Mr. Morgan.

R. GROOME PARKS, ESQ., has a beautiful and extensive collection of Indian darts that he has been saving for several months. In the collection, as well as arrow heads of many sizes, he has Indian axes, flint, and stones of many kinds, all of which he has gathered from the hills and fields of Kent county.

THE following were elected officers of Chestertown Camp No. 34, P. O. S. of A. on Tuesday evening last:

President—John C. Davis.
Vice-President—S. J. Coleman.
Master of Forms—Joseph Duyer.
Conductor Thomas Holdson.
Inspector—Harry Fowler.
Guard—W. B. Coleman.

Delegates to State Convention which meets at Havre de Grace in August: Messrs. J. C. Davis, J. Frank Wheatley, W. B. Coleman, W. F. Malin, Joseph E. Duyer. Alternates—S. J. Coleman, S. E. Cooper, Earle A. Barnes, Harry C. Coleman, J. E. Barnes.

SOFT CRABS at $1 per dozen were on sale here this week.

THE sale of the Jonathan R. Smith farm in Worton to Mrs. Belle A. Smith, in 1916, has been confirmed. The sale of this farm has been in litigation for sometime and its conclusion will be read with interest. W. M. Slay, Esq., attorney, sold the farm.

SOME of Kent's farmers are worrying over a green bug which attack the grain in the head, sucks the milk therefrom causing the grain to dry up and finally fall from the head. J. W. Robinson brought to Chestertown from his fine field of wheat, near Still Pond, a number of heads which had been attacked by the pest. Scarcely a whole grain of wheat was left in the head. Mr. Robinson said that his whole field is badly affected and that his crop will be greatly damaged. This condition, together with the heavy rains just at the time the wheat was in blossom, bids fair to make the field far below the average in this county. Mr. Robinson says that in all his years of farming he has never known such a condition, and he is 73 years of age. Mr. A. C. Loud says a green bug is seen on the wheat every year and that they do but little harm as far as he can see.

THE W. C. T. U. will meet at the M. E. Church, Chesterown, next Tuesday afternoon at 2.30.

H. E. WOOD is making many sales of Delco Light Plants, and among the purchasers this week are Walter T. Morris, a plant to light and furnish power for residence and outbuildings; A. Cohen, a plant to light his store and residence at Sandy Bottom; Howard Turner, a plant to operate his moving picture show at Betterton; Mr. F. B. Harper, a large plant to supply light and power to Still Pond and others.

WILL OF MRS. CAROLENE L. HYNSON

The will of Mrs. Carolene L. Hynson was filed for probate in the Orphans' Court of Kent county Tuesday. It divides an estate of nearly $300,000, consisting of about $200,000 in real estate, nearly equally between the heirs. It is a voluminous paper, with five codicils, and provides in general as follows:

Rose Hazleton and Elijah Stricknine, each $25.

Mrs. Augusta E, Slay, house, furnishings and lot on Water street, with stable and lot opposite, estimated at $6,000. Farm in First district, tenanted by Wm. Darrell, known as "Whittington Farm." Also "Bungy," tenanted by William E. Deford. Also the "Coleman Farm," tenanted by Frank Coleman. Also one-third of all personal estate.

Wm. M. Slay, in trust, Fairlee Farm, tenanted by James R. Coleman. Also one-half of one equal third of personal estate; also one-fourth of $14,000; also one-half of one-third of the rest of estate as described in item 8, for Mrs. Marianne H. Rogers. Upon the death of said Mrs. Rogers said trust shall cease and all of said real and personalty shall vest equally in Richard H. Rogers and Mrs. Henry.

Wm. M. Slay, in trust, "Swan Point Farm" and "Quaker Neck Farm"; also one equal third part of personalty, less $14,000, for the five daughters of the late Richard D. Hynson, until the youngest shall become 25 years of age, when the trust shall cease.

Richard Hynson Rogers and Mary I. Henry, in fee, "Violet Farm," tenanted by C. M. Browne; also Owen Anderson tract; also the Simon Smith Farm, tenanted by J. Henry Thompson; also one-half of an equal third part of personal estate; also in equal shares one-fourth of $14,000 and a half of one-third of rest of estate as described in item 8. Mr. Rogers is charged with $6,500, money advanced.

Wm. M. Slay, in trust, $14,000 for Mrs Emma A. Hynson.

Messrs. Wm. M. Slay and R. Hynson Rogers are named as executors.

CHESTERTOWN will have the pleasure of hearing Philadelphia's foremost tenor, Nelson A. Chestnutt, a member of Metropolitan Concert Company. Mr. Chestnutt appears in connection with Mrs. Miriam Sheppard Davidson's pupil recital to be given in Chestertown Lyceum next Monday evening, July 2nd. Others in the recital will be Miss Miriam Louise Gardner, a singer of great promise; Miss Lottie P. Davidson, soloist and impersonator; Miss Margaret Bruson, of Dover, Del., accompanist; and T. Kemp Bordley, of Chestertown.

Priscilla Davidson, Child Impersonator

WEDDING NOTES

Emory Massey Hines, of Chestertown, and Miss Lucy Bunker, East Orange, N. J., were married at Rockville, Saturday by the Rev. Millard M. Minnick, rector of Christ Protestant Episcopal Church. Mr. Hines is at Ft. Meyer in training for a lieutenancy in the army.

The engagement of Miss Elsie Irene Hoke, of Newport, Pa., to Dr. Chas. E. Bosserman, the efficient and genial pharmacist in the Stam Drug Company, was announced a few days ago.

The wedding of Miss Rebecca Milby, of Baltimore, a niece of Mrs. William R. Pippin, of Chestertown, took place last week.

SOWERS—ROLLISON.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Polk Rollison, near Chesterville, at high noon on Wednesday, June 20th, Mr. Simeon B. Sowers, of Spring City, Pa., and Miss Frances E. Rollison were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. G. Coe, of the Southern Methodist Church. About fifty relatives and intimate friends were present. After the ceremony a reception was given to the guests by the parents and sister of the bride. The bride was attired in a charming dress of steel gray taffeta and carried a large bouquet of white lilies. Mr. and Mrs. Sowers spent a few days visiting relatives. They then returned to Spring City, where Mr. Sowers holds an important position in connection with the State Institution of that place.

A GRAND entertainment and ball was held at Oakland Hotel, near Tolchester, and flag raising on June 27. Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Jester, proprietors of the Oakland, entertained about one hundred invited guests. The dining room was converted into a large ball room, brilliantly lighted and beautifully decorated with flags and streamers. In the afternoon on the front lawn a flag raising was held and a large crowd of people gathered to witness it. Wm. G. Smyth, of Fairlee, made a patriotic speech on Old Glory. Music was furnished by orchestra band under Prof. Nelson Krats. Master Dan'l Drake, son of Mr. and Mrs Drake, of Baltimore, raised the flag.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY EVENTS IN KENT COUNTY

Mrs. Don Falls and son, of near Philadelphia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Parks Rasin on Kent Circle.

Mrs. Hull Moore and son, of Wilmington, N. C., are guests of her mother and sister on Mill street.

W. Irving Walker, who is at Mercy Hospital, is reported somewhat better.

Mrs. Charles R. Twilley while about her duties in her home yesterday morning was burned by an explosion of gas. She had left the cock of her gas stove on and lighted the oven when the gas came out with such force as to explode knocking open the door and throwing Mrs. T. to the floor. Help arrived and she soon recovered.

Francis M. Wilson, Esq., of Pocomoke City, is "prospecting" in Kent.

B. B. Wroth, son of Thos. G. Wroth has been appointed to a position under the U. S. Government in the Bureau of Mines and Research. His duties will be located at Hopkins University during the summer.

Miss Miriam Jones entertained a number of her friends Tuesday evening at her home on College Hill.

Cooper Beck, of near town, has enlisted with the Gun Company under Capt. Carey Jarman. Capt. Jarman is still in town and will be glad to hear from anyone who is thinking of enlisting.

Jack McIlhenny, nephew of James W Lambert and wife, has enlisted in the Navy.

Mrs. Lottie Blakeney is visiting her son in Baltimore.

Mrs. Annie Taylor is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lambert, on Mill street.

George Bacon, the faithful janitor at the High School, is quite sick at his home on High street.

Prof. A. Lee Clark, a former teacher of Kent county, and who was principal of Hurlock High School at Hurlock, Md., during the past year, has recently been appointed principal of Salisbury High School, Salisbury, Md. Salisbury High is the second largest high school in the State and we congratulate Prof. Clark on his success in high school work

Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l Kreeger and family will spend the next two weeks visiting the former's old home in North Carolina.

Dr. G. Allan Jarman, of Chestertown, left Thursday for Kansas City where he was ordered to take up his duties as Lieutenant in the U. S. A. in the veterinary department.

Capt. Guy Henry, who was called to the bedside of Mrs. Carolene Hynson, last week, had a series of unusual events to record. Before coming to Chestertown he had telegrams calling him to report at Plattsburg, Pa., to his mother's funeral, to Mrs. Carolene Hynson's bedside, and wife was then under the care of specialists in a New York Hospital.

Joshua Connor, wife and daughter, of Wilmington, Del., are guests of Mrs. Garrett Foxwell on the avenue.

Wm. S. Walker, of St. Louis, Mo., visited Chestertown friends this week. He was looking fine.

Jos. A. Wickes graduated with honors at Princeton last week. Mrs. Wickes, his mother, was present. Mr. W. is now stationed at Winthrop, Md., with the Marine Corps.

Miss Mary A. Brown, one of Kent's most efficient teachers, has resigned. She has been teaching at Cliff City for some years. Miss Whitaker, of Galena, has been granted a leave of absence for a year.

Mr. Ralph Stanley, of Washington State, was a guest of Judge and Mrs. J. H. Simpers, Chestertown, this week. He left here 20 years ago.

Mrs. John E. Saulsbury, of Cordova, Md., and Miss Sue Saulsbury, of Denton, Md., spent Monday with Miss Emma Shafer, at Kennedyville.

Mrs. Harry Lindsey and children are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Bacon, on High street.

Merritt Twilley has secured employment at Dupont's, Wilmington.

Mrs. A. M. Bowers is visiting her son at Stewartstown, Pa.

Mrs. Robert Rawlins and daughters and Mrs. Fannie Christee Crothers, of Cecil county, motored to Chestertown Thursday. Mrs. Rawlins and daughters visited Mrs. Thos. Bordley and Miss Kemp Mrs. Crothers was the guest of Mrs. H. Benge Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Crosby, of Kentucky, and Miss Ruth Durding spent a part of last week with the latter's sister, Mrs. Walter T. Bramble.

Cherry Lane School.—Sixth Grade, Mildred Godwin 93, George States 82, Viola White 80. Fourth Grade, Roy White 82, Arthur States 74, Addie George 60. Third Grade, Steward Godwin 85, Emily States 83, Henry Herkinheim 67. Second Grade, Frances Clements 96, Kennard Truitt 84, Elmer Truitt 65. First Grade, Fletcher Truitt 94, Harry States 93, Margaret Truitt 90, Earle Joiner 84.

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—And then the graduation presents.

Silk Shirts	$3.50 to $5.00
Silk Hosiery	50c to 65c
Neckwear	50c to $1.00
Flannel Pants	$4.50 to $6.00

Initial and Silk Handkerchiefs at all prices. "Everything the young man needs."

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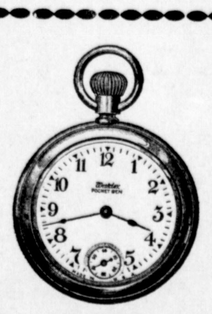

A Vacation Watch

Instead of carrying your high priced watch on your vacation, bring it to us to be cleaned and oiled. We'll sell you a Pocket Ben—the ideal vacation watch—and while you're resting for another year's work, we'll put your watch in first class condition.

Rote, the Jeweler
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July Is Bargain Month

This the time when we clean house—all Summer goods and all small lots and all odds and ends must go regardless of price. REAL BARGAINS are now on sale all over this store.

"If You Visit Our Place, You Know For Yourself—If You Do Not, The Loss Is Mutual!"

New Lawns, Ginghams and Percales
20c VALUES 15c

Don't overlook these pretty wash goods—a large line to select from,
20c values 15c yd.

Finest 20c Flaxons 15c
These are dainty Summer Lawns and in such cool pretty patterns.
Choice 15c

$1.25 Bed Sheets 95c
Extra size and extra quality.

Good Bed Sheets 65c
Made with seam.

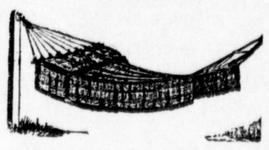
Pillow Cases 15c
Don't overlook these.

Yard-wide, Extra Fine Muslins 9c yd
If you do not buy this—it is because you do not know the market.

Fine Gran. Sugar 7½c lb.
We have about two tons of this best Granulated Sugar in 25 lb sacks.
Price only 7½c lb.

Men's Straw Hats Only 1.98
Take your choice of all our best $2.50 and $3 Straw Hats. Sale $1.98.

Hammocks, At 1.50



We sell many Hammocks and carry a large stock. Prices $1 50, $2 50, $3 50 up.

Croquet Sets
All styles.

Fresh Roasted Coffee Only 15c lb
This is C. D. Kenney's fresh roasted coffee and we have it on sale.

Screen Doors 95c
Full line, all sizes and styles. Prices begin at 95c.

Big Huck Towels 15c
A real old time value, now on sale at 15c

Shoes Reduced

Summer Oxfords are now on special sale. Prices at $1.98 and $2.98.

Our Harvest Goods Sale Next Week

AGATEWARE : TINWARE : CHINAWARE

Full and plenty of all sorts of these goods, and low prices are especially attractive

China Plates	6c	China Bowls	6c	Glass Tumblers	3c
Knives and Forks	6c	Cups and Saucers	6c	Tin Cups	3c

Wagon Loads of Agateware Ready for This "Harvest Sale"

Never Had Such a Variety and Such Low Prices

Prices for This Harvest Sale

Agate Kettles	15c
Agate Pudding Pans	15c
Agate Sauce Pans	15c
Agate Wash Basins	15c
White Enam. Dippers	15c
10c Enamel Pint Cups	5c
10c Enamel Dippers	5c

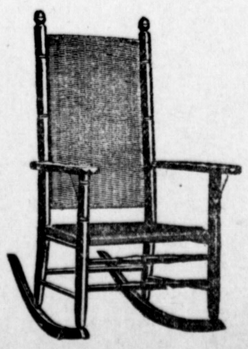
Prices for This Harvest Sale

Agate Dish Pans	10c
Blue Enamel Pans	10c
Berlin Sauce Pans	10c
Block Tin Pans	10c
Agate Sauce Pans	10c
25c Enamel Dish Pans	15c
25c Enamel Kettles	15c

Lot 50c First Quality Grey Agate Ware for 39c

Including Large Agate Dish Pans, Agate Buckets, Agate Dinner Pots, Sauce Pans, Bread-Raisers, Double Cookers, etc. All good enamel ware and all in this sale and your choice for 39c.

Porch Rockers
Now is the time



Extra Value in Good Porch Rockers, strong, durable comfort, and service.

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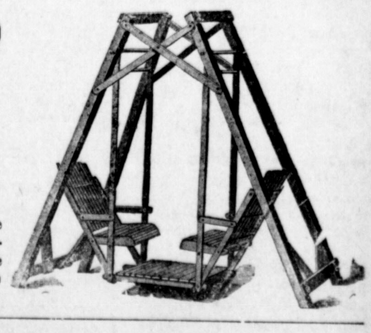

We have received a large shipment of Lawn Swings, direct from the factory and are able to quote low prices on these good Swings.

Porch Swings

All iron braced, durable and complete, with chains, in this sale

Prices $5, $6.50