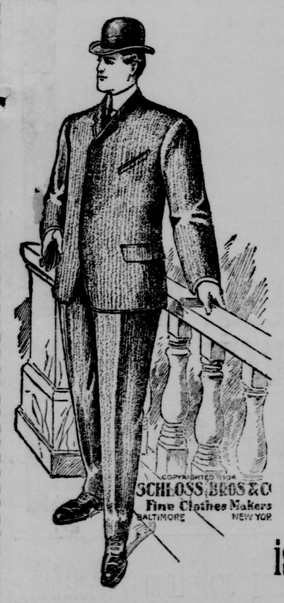
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The beautiful line that mark our clothes show character and highest taste. The fabrics themselves are rich and handsome and are all perfect fitting and long wearing.

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Straw Hats of the latest vogue. EMERY SHIRTS, a larger line than ever—nuff said. Neckwear in 300 styles, Underwear in 12 styles, Socks, Belts, Collars.

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A Regrettable Fact.

It is noticed that in the levy made for the next fiscal year the commissioners of Talbot have made no provision for the new model stone road which was to be built by state engineers and state aid. It is reported that the Board and the engineer in charge could not get together owing to the great cost of purchasing the stone in Western Maryland and freighting it to Talbot, that under such an arrangement the cost to the county would far exceed the amount to be allotted for that purpose. It is greatly to be deplored that this much needed improvement will have to go over for another year before work can be started.

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WILL BE A DELIGHTFUL EVENT.

Lawn Party for Benefit of the Mercantile Library.

Mrs. Hathaway, at Ratcliffe Manor, has kindly offered her mansion and spacious grounds on the Avon River for a lawn party on June 15th from four to ten o'clock for the benefit of Mercantile Library. The grounds will be handsomely illuminated after dark, omnibusses will make the round trip at frequent intervals from Easton, boats will ply between the Point and Ratcliffe wharf, refreshments will be served, music will be a feature, and altogether there will be a gala outing for young and old, alike. Afternoon games will be provided for the children.

Admission to the grounds will be but 15 cents, and the bus charges will be 25 cents for the round trip. Tickets will be issued to cover both admission and trip for 35 cents. The Committees desire the patrons of the library and prospective patrons to talk this event up, and help to make it the most pronounced success of the season.

The committees are as follows: Mrs. A. A. Hathaway, chairman, and Miss Florence Dixon, associate chairman, of all committees. Gen. Joseph B. Seth is chairman of executive committee, J. S. E. Pardee chairman of transportation committee. Ice cream tables, Mrs. Joseph Wright; cake table, Miss Lucy Covey; candy table, Mrs. Frank Adkins; lemonade table, Miss Minnie Wrightson and Miss Kate Elliott; Egyptian encampment and games for children, Mrs. W. W. Spence; admission, James Dixon. Other appointments will be made later.

A Bad Scare.

Some day you will get a bad scare, when you feel a pain in your bowels, and fear appendicitis. Safety lies in Dr. King's New Life Pills, a sure cure, for all bowel and stomach diseases, such as headache, biliousness; costiveness, etc. Guaranteed at Smithers' Moreland Pharmacy, only 25c. Try them.

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LOCAL SNAPSHOTS OF NEWS.

AS TAKEN BY THE GAZETTE REPORTERS.

Some Items of Interest to all Our Readers Old and Young, Rich and Poor, Here and Elsewhere.

Bailiff Wroten is putting in some good work on the streets of the town.

Foxley Hall, the home of Col. and Mrs. Tilghman, is being opened for the summer.

Walter Garey is now in the employ of J. J. Wright at his popular furnishing store.

Be sure to read the new ad. of Shannahan & Wrightson Hdw. Co., on page four.

There is a rumor that a trolley line between Easton, Centerville and Chestertown is projected.

June, August and October are the only months this year without a legal holiday in Maryland.

The late term of court was one of the shortest ever held here, to the great satisfaction of the taxpayers.

The great naval battle between Japan and Russia has "boomed" the sale of papers in Easton very much.

Throughout the summer, evening services at Trinity Cathedral will begin at 8 o'clock instead of 7.30.

The week-day services at Trinity Cathedral will be omitted next week, owing to the absence of Dean Rich.

Children's Day services will be held at Ebenezer M. E. Church tomorrow evening. Public cordially invited.

The Hotel Norris is rapidly growing in public favor. It has been taxed to its fullest capacity many times recently.

J. H. K. Shannahan is making extensive improvements to the residence of his Miles river farm. Wm. H. Whitby is doing the work.

Charles B. Garrison is painting the Catholic Church this week. Wm. H. Davidson is also at work repainting Wye House, the home of Col. Edward Lloyd.

According to the Insurance Press during the year 1904 there was paid in Easton $15,506 of life insurance money; St. Michaels, $14,500; and Trappe, $3,777.

Herbert B. Elliott, proprietor of the Moreland shaving parlor, has secured the services of Mr. Olin Norris, who has the reputation of being one of the best barbers in Easton.

N. E. Clark is now in New York, where he is taking a full course at the School of Anatomy and Science. He will also take a course in how to care for contagious diseases.

A. L. Tharp, who advertised the Wrightson farm in Bayside owned by Mr. Lloyd L. Tydings, in the Gazette last week, has sold the farm to John M. Elliott at private sale.

Next Friday, June 9, will be Flower Mission day at the Home for the Aged. A musical program will be one of the attractions, and public reception at 4 p. m. All are welcome.

At the special session of court last Saturday to hear the case against Harry F. Roberts for bigamy, the accused pleaded guilty and was sentenced by the court to serve five years in the Penitentiary.

An organ recital will be given at Trinity Cathedral on June 14 at 8 p.m. by Prof. C. C. Carter, assisted by Miss Ricketson and R. Harry Patchett, vocalists; silver collection, proceeds for the benefit of choir fund. All requested to attend.

A new schedule went into effect on the D. & C. Railway on Monday. The southbound morning train leaves Easton at 11.14, one minute earlier, and the northbound afternoon train 2.11, two minutes earlier, than formerly; there are no other changes.

Dr. McCready, having completed his first year as rector of Christ Church, will give a sketch of the work accomplished, tomorrow morning. The attendance of every member and friend of the church is urged. It has been one of the most prosperous years in the history of the parish.

The Baltimore dailies in speaking of the prices of spring chickens have the following to say: "Only persons having plethoric pocketbooks can indulge in fried and broiled chicken. These delicacies have reached the almost prohibitive price of 45 cents a pound in the retail market, with no apparent tendency to settle to normal conditions." Spring chickens are very scarce in this vicinity, and the prices are quoted at 25 and 30 cents a pound.

Sheriff Gannon and Deputy Jones took these prisoners to the Maryland Penitentiary on Sunday night: Robert Walker, white, two years; Harry F. Roberts, white, five years; Thomas Wright, colored, three years; William Holly, colored, three years; Lewis Gardner, colored, two years.

Chesapeake Commandery, Knights Templar, attended service in a body at Christ Church Thursday morning, being Ascension Day. The Prelate, Rev. F. B. Adkins, read the beautiful ritual of the Church, and a splendid sermon was preached by Dr. McCready, who is a distinguished member of the order.

This week a deed executed more than ten years ago was received for record. It was from D. Wallace Heather and conveyed a lot on Graham's alley to George Wright for $100. It was dated February 26, 1895. Clerk Wrightson states that not long ago he recorded a deed made in 1855—half a century ago.

It is reported that there will be four aspirants for the Democratic nomination for the House of Delegates in Chapel district at the primaries next Saturday—Dr. Charles H. Rose, William C. Dudley, N. S. Callahan and Mr. Lowe. The one receiving the largest number of votes will probably be nominated by the convention to meet in Easton, Tuesday, June 13.

The members of Company F were tendered a banquet by the officer of the company in their hall on Market Space, Tuesday evening, in honor of the expiration of the three-year enlistment of many of its members, the majority of whom enlisted again. Addresses were made by Capt. Charles W. Adams, Lieut. Henry P. Turner Lieut Charles E. Ball and others.

The Young Friends' Association met at the residence of Wm. H. Kemp last Wednesday evening. A delightful program was carried out. Discussions upon the Psalms was followed by a picturesque glimpse of Bermuda by Miss Pauline Bartlett. Mrs. Wm. H. Kemp read a highly entertaining and instructive paper upon the Hugenots of France during the Reign of Terror, and Miss Bessie Tylor contributed a selection.

A large number of the members of Guardian Council, No. 510, Royal Arcanum, attended service at Trinity Cathedral Sunday morning. Dean Rich, who has been an Arcanumite for many years, preached them an excellent sermon. The Royal Arcanum will be 28 years of age on June 23. Among the charter members is a former Eastonian, W. O. Robson, son of the late Thomas K. Robson and nephew of Joseph S. Robson and Mrs. R. J. Trippe.

The stock of the Easton National Bank held by the state of Maryland, consisting of 1054 shares, which was advertised for sale by Col. Oswald Tilghman in the Gazette, was not sold this week. On Wednesday the Board of Public Works opened the bids, the highest of which was for $48 per share, which amount the Board deemed inadequate and decided that the state should keep the stock. The par value of the stock is $25 per share.

Among the accounts paid by the county commissioners recently are the following: E. H. Lachmar, petit juror, $12.50; Nathaniel Tuthill, same, $12.50; George H. Seymour, bailiff, $17 50; John E. Willey, same, $15; Samuel E. Tucker, same, $15; George W. Mowbray, crier, $30; James H. McNeal, petit juror, $12 50; John M. Willson, grand juror, $7.50; Clyde H. Smith, same, $12; Chas. I. Barto, same, $9; George Q. Bartlett, same, $7.50; Peerless Machine Co., repairing draw at Dover Bridge, $35.

Friends' Meeting Changed to Half-Yearly.

The Friends' Quarterly Meeting was in session this week at Third Haven Meeting House. For more than two hundred years the faithful have gathered in this place in a Quarterly Meeting capacity, in May and August, alternating with Camden, Delaware, in February and November. But from this date, the ancient custom is to be changed. The last Quarterly Meeting has been held. Hereafter, by the consent of the Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, this particular Quarterly Meeting is to become a Half-year's Meeting, and will next be held at Camden, Del., in October, and not again at Third Haven until April, 1906.

New Books in Mercantile Library.

The following books will be placed on the book shelves this morning at nine o'clock for the use of the subscribers:

The Third Miss St. Quentin, Molesworth; Lazarre, Catherwood; In The Days of Isaiah, Mapper; The School of Life, Seward.

Everything in season at Dal Stoops' Grocery. Best fresh bread a specialty. tf

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Men's Fixings, we have them and would like to supply your needs.

J. R. JARRELL CO.

Beginning June 1st this store will close at 7 p. m.

DECORATION DAY.

Two Thousand People Participated in the Exercises in Easton.

Decoration Day was observed in Easton Tuesday as usual. The parade was formed in front of Market House Square by Col. James C. Mullikin in the following order: Bowman's Band; Company F, First Regiment, M. N. G., Capt. Charles W. Adams; Hicks Post, G. A. R., Wm. H. Griffin, commanding; Sons of Veterans.

The line of march was from Market House Square down Dover street to Aurora; thence to the cemetery entrance, where Company F opened ranks while the G. A. R. passed through with the band playing a dirge. They marched to the place selected by Commander Griffin for the ritualistic services. Company F. followed the G. A. R. and fired a salute over the graves. Colonel Mullikin then resumed charge of the public services, which consisted of music by the band; prayer by Rev. E. P. Roberts, of Ebenezer Methodist Episcopal Church, Easton; solo by R. Harry Patchett, of Easton. Dr. W. T. Lewis of the Methodist Episcopal church of Oxford, delivered an address, after which the people joined in singing 'America.'

The graves of the dead soldiers were strewn with flowers.

In the Orphans' Court.

Emma Willis, guardian, filed release from Lewis A. Willis.

Mrs. B. S. Highley, guardian Bowdle Highley, filed approved bond for $1000.

James A. Roe, guardian, presented 13th account with Thomas J and Ernest W. Sinclair, final and release as to latter.

Annie E. Townsend, administratrix Samuel Townsend, filed approved bond for $500. J. Percy McKnett and W. J. Lewis named as appraisers, and notice to creditors ordered.

Sarah A. Stitchberry, executrix, filed will of Wm. George Stitchberry and approved bond for $200. George F. Kinnamon and Mr. Gretzinger appointed appraisers. Power of attorney given R. Bascom Harden, and notice to creditors ordered.

The cheapest line of Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets ever in Easton are at

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LETTER TO DR. T. J. SMITHERS,

Easton, Md.

Dear Sir: The usual way to buy paint is to take the lowest price by the gallon. Mistake; the buyer loses by it; how much? Depends on the paint; it is so much a gallon, or so much a year. How much a gallon or year, do you think? As much perhaps, as the total price of the paint. It may take twice the number of gallons.

N. Avery, Delhi, N. Y., owns two houses, both exactly alike. He painted one with Devoe and one with another paint. Devoe 6 gallons; the other 12.

Go by the name: Devoe. There's nothing cheaper. Go by the price; there's nothing dearer, except not painting at all. Poor paint is better than none.

What does it cost not to paint at all? Can't figure it out exactly; say a tenth of the building a year, besides looks.

What is poor paint worth, then? Don't know and don't care; you don't want it. Go by the name. Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOE & CO., New York.

P. S.—N. Tuthill & Son sell our paint. 63

Paul B. Graham and family, of Washington, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Graham.

Ratcliffe Manor Garden Party

Thursday, June 15,

4 to 10 p. m.

(If stormy, the next day.)
Round trip in Bus 25 c. Admission 15 c. Combination ticket including bus and admission, 35 c.

The Proceeds will be given to the Mercantile Library.

Refreshments will be served and a hearty welcome is extended to the public generally.