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The county commissioners give notice in another column that the bridge at Pinder's Hill, is unsafe for travel.

We have an up to date line of shoes and boots. We sell the best rubber boot in the world. Thomas J. Melvin, Winchester, Md.

H. E. Perry will give to the person or family spending the most cash money at his store between now and December 31, either a ladies' or gents' gold watch.

Road supervisors are notified by the county commissioners not to do any work on the roads or bridges without special order. See notice in another column.

J. C. Wallis will present to the family or person spending the most cash at his store between now and December 31, one oxidized hall rack with French plate mirror.

The comedy, "The Blundering Mr. Brown" will be rendered December 6, 1907, in Perry's Hall by local talent for the benefit of the Chester Fire Company, of Queenstown.

The Crumpton bridge, which connects Kent and Queen Anne's counties at that place, was opened for traffic last week, after being closed for about six weeks undergoing repairs.

It is reported that many farmers have large quantities of corn still in the fields, some of which is husked, but, on account of the continued rains, have been unable to haul it to the barns.

J. L. Goldsborough wishes to inform the public that he is still selling the Wooldridge fertilizers and also agent for Frederick ground commercial lime. Give him a call if you want to grow good crops.

The young men of Centreville gave their annual Thanksgiving dance in the opera house, Centreville, Thursday night. A number of our young people were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Thursday being Thanksgiving day and a legal holiday the banks and other public offices throughout the county were closed. Some of our citizens attended church, others paid calls while most of the men went hunting.

Raymond Rash, aged 19 years, a former resident of this county, died at his home in Ridgely, last Sunday afternoon, after a lingering illness of consumption. He was a son of Samuel Rash, a farmer of near Hayden, who was murdered in this county about ten years ago.

Many farmers have begun their annual hog killing much earlier in the season than usual, owing to the number of hogs that have contracted cholera with fatal results. Especially is this disease raging near the Kent county line, where several farmers have lost nearly their entire lot.

J. H. C. Legg, trustee for Earle J. Thompson, will offer the valuable stock and fixtures at public auction Monday, December 9, 1907, at 10 o'clock, A. M. This is an excellent opening for any person wishing to engage in the green grocery. He also gives notice to creditors to file their claims. Read advertisement in another column.

I offer the following goods at private sale: Biscuit block, 2 porch chairs, 2 rockers, buffet, doctor's phæton, 2 horses, 3 stoves, bookcase, refrigerator, 2 spring cots, kitchen table, 2 stands, kitchen utensils, cloth rack, farm bell, 2 saddles and bridles, 2 sets harness, 2 feather beds, etc., etc. These goods must be sold by December 1. Dr. H. R. Hopkins.

Captain Joseph M. Parvis, Commander of Company L, 1st Infantry, Maryland National Guard, at Centreville, has received his honorable discharge from the company after sending in his resignation and application for the same. The report, stating that his resignation had been accepted, was received by Company L, last Saturday, and it is expected that an election for a new commander will take place in the near future.

Two large roe shad were received in a consignment of fish Wednesday and attracted much attention in the Baltimore wholesale fish market. Three shad have been caught in the Chesapeake bay during the present month, which is rather unusual at this season. The shad received Wednesday were large ones, and were received in a consignment of fish from the vicinity of Tolchester Beach. An occasional shad is caught out of season in the bay, the fish failing to go out with the rest of the shad and occasionally becoming attached to a school of other fish.

Helpful Don'ts—If you make a mistake don't brood over it. Consider it only an incident for the purpose of teaching you a lesson. Don't doubt your own judgment and discretion in business. If you do others will doubt it. Don't be distrustful of every one you meet. If you are you create an unwholesome and unfortunate atmosphere about you which will bring only the unworthy and deceitful. Keep wholesome, hopeful and sympathetic with the world at large, whatever individuals may do. Don't forget that life is what one makes it. Expect life to use you better every year and you will not be disappointed. Don't forget that if there is nothing but disappointing experiences in your life, the fault lies somewhere within yourself. Don't be the chronically injured person. Don't have a continual grievance.

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Washington was agreed upon as the next meeting place and it was further decided to have congress convene the day preceding the date of the conference that President Roosevelt will have with the governors of all the states during the week of May 11 next year. This is done in order to not only to have many congressmen and senators in attendance at the sessions, but also the governors of those states that will derive benefit from the drainage bill in case it is passed. By a unanimous vote of the delegates a resolution calling attention to the vast area of swamp lands in the United States and requesting that the national government make an appropriation sufficiently large to carry on the work to a final consummation in every state was offered and adopted.

Some disappointment resulted over the failure of Congressman Hiram Burton, of Delaware, to introduce his contemplated resolution requesting the National Drainage Congress to go on record as favoring the starting of the drainage experiment work in Maryland and Delaware. The ware representative attended the closing session with every intention of submitting the resolution, but after talking the matter over he decided that such a resolution would be out of place in view of the fact that the congress failed to commit itself to any particular legislation. He declared that he would work in that direction in Washington and, with the aid of the Maryland congressmen, hoped to get such a proviso in the measure to be drawn up in the future.

J. S. Mundy, of New Jersey, said at Monday's meeting: "The best land we have in the United States is under water or partially so." Mr. Mundy was introduced as a prominent engine builder and manufacturer, but it soon developed that he has been doing personally on a small scale what the association wants the government to do on a large scale.

"I got into this thing by accident," said Mr. Mundy. "Some time ago I leased 2400 acres of swamp land in Jersey in order to propagate English pheasants. I wanted to provide a little shooting for myself. This land was practically valueless, but after I had stocked it with pheasants it acquired value as a game preserve, and then I found that the owners wanted to sell the land. They found that, whereas it had not been worth 5 cents an acre before, they could get a price now because of my birds. Well, to save those birds I had to buy the land myself. I paid $5 an acre for it. Two years ago I set 25 men to work digging ditches and building a canal. We built a canal a mile long and 12 feet wide, to take the water that came down from the mountains and flooded this ground. This spring we put in cultivation 80 acres that two years ago would have mired a cow. From it we have gathered over 30,000 bushels of onions, which we sold at from 45 to 60 cents a bushel—besides corn 10 feet high, tomatoes, some of which weighed a pound, and celery that beats the Kalamazoo brand.

"You don't have to fertilize reclaimed swamp land. Why, they sell this land itself as a fertilizer. It's a fact. There are two concerns in New Jersey that take this black dirt and use it as the basis of a fertilizing mixture. They sell for from $16 to $30 a ton this Jersey soil that can be bought for $5 an acre. The soil in our uplands is exhausted from being overworked. Our farmers are made poor paying for fertilizer, when a fraction of what they pay for fertilizing will yield immeasurably better results if spent in draining the swamp lands."

Making this land available for farm purposes is not the only good result that will follow drainage, according to the members of the congress. It will help to do away with mosquitoes and malaria, they say, and H. M. Wilson of the United States Geological Survey, who followed Mr. Mundy, told of another benefit. "Much of this swamp land," he said, "consists of peat bogs, and the utilization of peat as fuel may be expected to follow the drainage. is used as fuel in Europe and anada where coal is expensive, but e industry has never been developed to anything like the extent that s possible. Coke can be made from it superior to any fuel existent except Pennsylvania anthracite."

There is nothing better for stomach troubles than Kodol, which contain the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Kodol is offered on a guaranteed plan for the relief of heart burn, flatulence, sour stomach, belching of gas, nausea and all stomach troubles. So at times when you don't feel just right, when you are drowsy after meals, and your head aches or hen you have no ambition, and you re cross and irritable, take a little odol. It digests what you eat. It ake you healthy. J. S. Denny e Mills drug store.

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THE DEATH RECORD.

Some Particulars About Those Who Have Departed From This Vale of Tears.

Mrs. Martha Snow Smith, wife of Mr. David P. Smith, died at her home in Centreville, Thursday morning at 2.45 o'clock, after a long illness of Bright's disease. On the afternoon previous to her death, while walking in the garden in the rear of her home, she was stricken with paralysis, and her case was pronounced hopeless. Mrs. Smith was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Armstrong, of Newark, Del., but was a resident of Centreville for 25 years, going there after her marriage. Besides her husband, she is survived by three children, Carlos, Alma and David P. Smith, Jr. Mesdames Fannie Cullen, E. A. Cann, and S. T. Bouchelle, of Centreville, were her sisters. Funeral services will be held at her late home this afternoon and interment will be made in the Centreville cemetery. Rev. E. D. Stone, pastor of the M. P. Church, will officiate.

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Mr. Frank A. Bartlett, a farmer of near Willoughby, died Monday night at 12 o'clock, after a three weeks' illness of typhoid fever. Mr. Bartlett was about 37 years old and was a son of the late F. A. Bartlett, who resided in Wye Neck. Mr. Bartlett had lived in this county all his life. He is survived by a wife, who before her marriage was Miss Emma Draper, of this county; six children, Helen, Eloise, Asbury, Wirt, Marion and Paul; six sisters and one brother, namely: Mesdames Emily DeFord, of Denton; James Carter, of Carmichael; William Anthony, of Caroline county; Martha Bailey, of Wye Mills; Misses Lulu and Nellie Bartlett, of Wye Mills, and Joseph M. Bartlett, of near Centreville. Funeral services were held in Wye M. E. Church Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment was made in Centreville cemetery.

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Mr. John Michael Aker, a justice of the peace and merchant, died at his home in this town Sunday morning at 9.40 o'clock. He had been in poor health for the past ten years and gradually grew weaker until he was taken to his bed, at noon, Friday of last week. Mr. Aker was the only son of the late Michael and Rachel Ann Aker and was born in Baltimore, March 8, 1845. He received his education in the parochial schools and Calvert Hall College in Baltimore. He moved with his parents from that city to Queenstown in 1850 and learned the trade of shoemaker under his father which he continued until 1894, at which time he embarked in the mercantile business and, in 1896, started a bakery, which he conducted for about three years. Shortly after his marriage, he removed to Wye Mills, where he resided for about five years, when he returned to this town. In 1882, Mr. Aker began the publication of THE NEWS, then only a small paper, 5½ by 8 inches. He continued editor until 1896, when, on account of other business interests, he gave up to the publisher, M. W. Aker. He was a member of the Improved Order of Heptasophs. Mr. Aker was appointed justice of the peace under Governor Hamilton in 1876, in which capacity he served until his death, except during the administration of Governor Lowndes, when he resigned. In January, 1876, he married Miss Mary Elizabeth Tarr, who, with the following children, survives: Mrs. Harry M. Gardner, of Centreville; Mesdames George W. Taylor and Albert Z. Buckman, of Baltimore; Miss Ella A. Aker, of Queenstown; Messrs. John P., George L. and Daniel C. Aker, of Baltimore, and Michael W. Aker, of Queenstown. Funeral services were held in St. Peter's Catholic Church, near town, Tuesday morning at 10.30 o'clock. Rev. Charles P. McGoldrick, the pastor, celebrated the low mass of requiem. Interment followed in the cemetery adjoining the church. The pallbearers were Messrs. Jacob S. Denny, William S. Delahay, E. Howard Perry, Charles J. Weaver, Alexander Godwin and James F. Boyles. May he rest in peace.

Postmaster Orrell Falls Out of a Window.

W. Cookman Orrell, postmaster at Centreville, fell from the second story window at the Hotel Junker, Baltimore, early last Saturday morning, a distance of fourteen feet, to a roof below, breaking his wrist and injuring his spine. His cries brought assistance and he was taken to a hospital, where surgical aid was rendered. No one in the hotel seemed to be awake at the time, and it is thought that Mr. Orrell was walking in his sleep and slipped through the window which was found half open. While Mr. Orrell was severely hurt, it is believed that he will recover.

He Fought at Gettysburg.

David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y., who lost a foot at Gettysburg, writes: "Electric Bitters have done me more good than any medicine I ever took. For several years I had stomach trouble, and paid out much money for medicine to little purpose, until I began taking Electric Bitters. I would not take $500 for what they have done for me." Grand tonic for the aged and for female weaknesses. Great alterative and body builder; best of all for lame back and weak kidneys. Guaranteed by J. S. Denny and W. E. Collier. 50c.

The postmaster of Gasconade, Mo., Daniel A. Bugb, says of DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills, "I am doing so well, and improving so fast in health, that I cannot say too much for your kidney & bladder pills. I feel like a new man." DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are sold by J. S. Denny and Wye Mills drug store.

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WEDDING BELLS.

Men and Women Make Solemn Promises to Live Together Until Death.

Miss Pearl S. Brown and Captain Howard W. Hadaway, both of Broad Neck, Kent county, were married at the M. E. parsonage, Fairlee, Tuesday evening of last week. The bride is a niece of Mrs. Michael McNamee, of this town, and often visited her aunt.

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Mr. Thomas F. Connelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Connelly, of near Centreville, and Miss Anna Brent Woolford, of New York city, were quietly married at the Astor hotel in that city, last Saturday evening, Rev. T. P. Tuppen officiating. The groom is employed by the Baltimore and Ohio Railway Company, and is assistant superintendent of that road.

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Mr. Harry F. Roberts, station agent at this place, and Miss Ethel Waller, of Hepburn, were married Tuesday night at 7.30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. After the ceremony, they were driven to Salisbury where they boarded the midnight train for a tour to Niagara Falls. They are expected to arrive here tomorrow and will board with Mrs. William Morris.

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Mr. Thomas L. Roeder and Miss Nettie O. Walls were quietly married in the presence of a few relatives at the home of the bride, in Church Hill, Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock. Rev. G. D. Kidner, pastor of the M. E. Church, officiated. The bride was attired in a dark blue tailor made suit, with hat and gloves to match. The groom wore the conventional black. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left on the 8 o'clock train for their bridal tour north. Miss Walls is a daughter of Mr. Thomas H. Walls and Mr. Roeder is engaged in the mercantile business in Church Hill.

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Mr. W. Edward Butler, the druggist of this town and son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Butler, of Winchester, and Miss Blanche V. Price, youngest daughter of Mrs. Frances A. G. Price, of Bryantown, were quietly married at the home of the bride's mother last Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion and a number of relatives and friends were present. Rev. W. O. Bennett, pastor of Sudlersville M. E. Church and brother-in-law of the bride, performed the ceremony. The bride was attired in white silk. After the ceremony a reception was tendered the guests. A number of valuable and handsome presents were received. The young couple left on the Wednesday morning train from Winchester for Washington and other points for a short trip. They arrived here Thursday afternoon and are housekeeping in the cottage of Mrs. Charles C. Willson.

Killing Birds a Billion Dollar Loss.

A billion dollar loss to the farmers of America annually is the cost of the destruction of the insectiverous birds; this is the estimate just made by the president of the National Association of Audubon Societies. The prejudice against the bird is as old as farming itself. The youngster growing up in the country is encouraged to pillage hedges and trees for eggs, and often part of his duties consists in rigging scarecrows, a task in which he takes immense delight. The impressions made on the mind in youth are slow to forsake the man in maturity. He is wont to look on the naturalist as impracticable and a good deal of a harmless crank. How a few birds can offset the raid of a million insects is beyond him, and he puts the whole agitation down as rank foolishness.

For years the naturalists and nature-lovers have sought to educate the agriculturists to the price they pay in permitting the stupid potting of birds, and to their own practice of trying to keep them from their lands. Apparently there has been little success, for new statistics show a rising scale in damage by insects. Education in this matter should not be left entirely to the Audubon societies. The agricultural schools appear to have been negligent in not using their influence more zealously to half the destruction. As more and more the farmers take advantage of these state colleges, the opportunity is offered for the organization of students whose influence might be tremendous. The labors of those instructors who seek to make two blades grow where one did before seem feeble beside an enlightened sense which would save a billion dollars a year.

T. W. Wood & Sons Awarded Gold Medal.

One of the first of the highly-prized gold medals awarded by the jury of the Jamestown Exposition goes to T. W. Wood & Sons, the noted seedsmen of Richmond, Va. A jury composed of the thousands of people who enjoyed their splendid exhibit, had already awarded Wood & Sons the highest premiums on seed exhibits, and the jury of awards had nothing else to do but hand over to them the gold medal, the highest award that could be made. Taken altogether, there is nowhere in the United States, nowhere in the world, in fact, a better equipped seed establishment than that of T. W. Wood & Sons, of Richmond, and located as it is at the gateway at the south, the greatest agricultural part of this great country, there is no wonder that it led the van at the Jamestown Exposition. It led because it deserved to lead.

A Significant Prayer.

"May the Lord help you make Bucklen's Arnica Salve known to all," writes J. G. Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, N.C. It quickly took the pain out of a felon for me and cured it in a wonderfully short time." Best on earth for sores, burns and wounds. 25c. at J. S. Denny and W. E. Collier

OYSTER CULTURE

Lynnhaven Bay Cultivated Oysters Bring $6 and $8 Per Barrel.

Dr. Caswell Grave, of Baltimore, the secretary of the Maryland Shellfish Commission, who has been looking into the conditions in Lynnhaven bay, under which oyster culture has for several years been successfully carried on there, has prepared his report, which he made public, Monday. The report is as follows:

Lynnhaven bay, the first tributary of the Chesapeake from the Western Shore, is situated about 5 miles from Cape Henry. It covers about 1,800 acres of bottom, all of which has been leased from the State of Virginia for the purposes of oyster culture in lots of from 1 acre to about 75 acres in extent. The bottom is nowhere hard, but is composed of soft, black, sticky mud into which an iron probe, one inch in diameter weighing one pound, will sink by its own weight to a depth of from 10 to 18 inches. The water is shallow varying in depth from two to five feet at low tide. The density of the water has been as high as 1,018 this year, but at the present time it is 1,014. The average density during an average season, however, is about 1,012. (The density of pure rain water is 1,000 and that of pure sea water is about 1,025.)

The amount of food available for oysters in Lynnhaven bay is very small compared to that which is available on many of the bottoms in Maryland waters, and great pains are taken by the oyster planters in Lynnhaven bay that they do not stock their beds with a greater number of oysters than can be easily fattened. Experience has taught them that none of the bottoms in Lynnhaven bay will support more than 150 bushels of oysters per acre and much of the bottom will support but 50 bushels per acre. When more oysters are planted than can be properly fed, none of the oysters fatten, and when poor they cannot be placed upon the market. The very great value of the Lynnhaven bay bottoms is not to be found in the quantity of oysters they will fatten, but in the particularly fine flavor which is imparted to oysters which are fattened upon them.

Lynnhaven oysters sell readily to the best hotels and barrooms at from $6 to $8 per barrel (the barrels used hold two bushels and one peck), and so much greater is the demand than the supply that oysters from numerous localities are sold as Lynnhaven bays. Some of the best bottoms in Lynnhaven bay will fatten two crops of oysters during one oyster season, but from most of the bottoms one crop only is fattened each year.

The oysters used for planting are nearly mature, being two or three years old, and cost the planters from 50 to 90 cents per bushel. They are raised from spat caught to shells planted on bottom outside Lynnhaven bay. The entire 1,800 acres of the bay is not cultivated, but from the part under cultivation a profit of from $250 to $1,000 per acre is expected.

New Officers Qualify.

The newly elected county commissioners qualified before the clerk of the circuit court last Saturday afternoon and organized by electing E. John Merrick, of the First district, president, and Madison B. Bordley, of Centreville, clerk. Edwin H. Brown was chosen as counsel. The other members of the board are: Second district, Oliver C. Newnam; Third, W. Emory Roe; Fourth, W. H. H. Hopkins; Fifth, W. Stedman Cross; Sixth, Charles H. Quimby; Seventh, H. Clay Hendrix. The first session of the new board was held Tuesday, at which all the members were present. Several accounts were passed and other routine business transacted.

Mr. Samuel Chester Coursey also qualified as county surveyor. The sheriff, judges of the orphans' court and register of wills qualified Tuesday. State's Attorney T. J. Keating, who succeeds himself will not take the oath of office until the first of January, at which time his present term expires, and Louis H. Perkins, treasurer-elect, does not take his office until the first of next June. Madison Brown will be made counsel to the judges of the orphans' court. William F. Bailey will be appointed deputy to the register of wills.

Church Notice.

Services will be held at the three M. E. Churches on Sunday, as follows:

QUEENSTOWN M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday-school, 9.15 A. M.
Public Worship, 7.30 P. M.
Epworth League service, 7 P. M.
Prayer service, Wednesday night, 7.30 P. M.

PERRY'S CORNER M. E. CHURCH

Sunday school, 2 P. M.
Public Worship, 3 P. M.
Epworth League service, 7.30 P. M.

WINCHESTER M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday school, 9.30 A. M.
Public Worship, 10.30 A. M.
Epworth League service, 7.30 P. M.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

St. Gertrude's Academy

"THE PLAINS,"

Near Ridgely, Caroline Co., Md.

Boarding and Day School for Girls and Young Ladies

The Academy is situated about 4 miles from Ridgely and 10 miles from Centreville, in a beautiful and healthy location. The building is commodious with modern improvements, including steam heat. The grounds, artistically laid out, afford ample space for exercise and recreation.

Differences of religion will not be regarded in the admission of pupils who are willing to conform to the general regulations. For particulars apply to or address

THE MOTHER SUPERIOR,
St. Gertrude's Academy,
Ridgely, P. O., Md.

PERSONAL CHRONICLE.

Concise Items of Relatives, Friends and Acquaintances, Visitors and Visited.

Carson Boyer is learning telegraphy at the station.

John Councill moved his family into the Chester hotel, Wednesday.

Miss Annie E. Harrop, of Roland Park, is visiting Mrs. Charles T. Morris.

Charles T. Young, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with George E. Lane and family.

Miss Ida Gardner is visiting her cousin, Miss Elva Comegys, near Centreville.

Leonard Hopper, of Centreville, was the guest of Eugene Hopkins, Wednesday.

Mrs. George E. Lane and children are visiting relatives and friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Frank B. Anthony was taken suddenly ill Wednesday night and is still quite sick.

Mrs. James W. Boyer and daughter, Miss Grace left Wednesday to visit relatives in Sudlersville.

Mrs. James H. Brown moved to Baltimore Tuesday morning. E. H. Derickson moved into the vacated house the same day.

Miss Edith Denny and Kennard Rhodes and Urie Cross, students of Washington College, Chestertown, are home for the holidays.

Misses Clementina Boyles and Blanche Downes were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Charles Roe, near Carmichael, Thursday.

Miss Eleanor Perry, a student of Saint Gertrude's Academy, "The Plains," near Ridgely, is spending the holidays with her parents.

Dr. M. M. Chairs, of Delaware, has purchased the home of Dr. H. R. Hopkins and will move his family here about December 10 and practice his profession.

Mesdames George W. Taylor and Albert Z. Buckman, of Baltimore, are visiting their mother, Mrs. John M. Aker. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel C. Aker returned to Baltimore last night after spending a few days with her.

Miss Amanda Hunters and Mr. Raymond Humphries, an eloping couple from Washington, D. C., that was recently married in Baltimore, are spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Rowland Ford. They are well pleased with our town and may make it their future home.

Appendicitis

Is due in a large measure to abuse of the bowels, by employing drastic purgatives. To avoid all danger, use only Dr. King's New Life Pills, the safe, gentle cleansers and invigorators. Guaranteed for headache, biliousness, malaria and jaundice at J. S. Denny and W. E. Collier. 25c.

Cures Blood, Skin Diseases, Cancer, Greatest Blood Purifier Free.

If your blood is impure, thin, diseased, hot or full of humors, if you have blood poison, cancer, carbuncles, eating sores, scrofula, eczema, itching, risings and bumps, scabby, pimply skin, bone pains, catarrh, rheumatism, or any bloody or skin disease, take Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.) Soon all sores heal, aches and pains stop and the blood is made pure and rich. Druggists or by express $1 per large bottle. Sample free by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. B. B. B. is especially advised for chronic, deep-seated cases, so it cures after all else fails.

Trustee's Sale

—OF A—

Stock of Goods

In Queenstown, Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

By virtue of and in pursuance to a Deed of Trust from Earle J. Thompson to J. H. C. Legg, dated November 18, 1907, and recorded among the Land Records of Queen Annes county aforesaid, the undersigned, as trustee, under the said Deed will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, in front of the storehouse lately occupied by the said Earle J. Thompson, in the town of Queenstown, in Queen Anne's county, Maryland, on

Monday, December 9, '07

commencing at the hour of 10 A. M.,

All that Valuable Stock of Goods, Wares, Merchandise and Store Fixtures

now contained in the said storehouse lately occupied by the said Earle J. Thompson, situate in Queenstown, Queen Annes county, Maryland, consisting of all those things usually found in an up to date and well kept Green Grocery Store, including

Store Fixtures, which embraces 2 New Show Cases, Meat Blocks, Cleavers, and a large fine Meat Ice Box,

and many other articles too numerous to mention here, and all articles of merchandise found in a well-stocked green grocery store.

This stock is in excellent condition, being staple, new and up to date. This sale offers an excellent opportunity to any one desiring to engage in the mercantile business in a thriving town. The stock will be offered in parcels, and then as a whole, the fixtures will be offered separately and then as a whole, and each will be sold in whichever way they bring the most money.

Terms of Sale:—Cash on the day of sale

J. H. C. LEGG, Trustee,
T. F. SEWARD, Auct.

William H. Shepherd's

Hygienic Tonsorial Parlor

has been recently fitted up with entirely new furnishings according to the recent law passed by the State of Maryland Legislature and he can now guarantee his patrons antiseptical and sanitary work.

Hair Cutting, 15cts.: Shaving, 5cts.:
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Meats to be Much Cheaper.

Lower prices for live hogs have at last borne fruit for the benefit of the consumer says a dispatch from Chicago. Within the last month the price of live hogs has dropped nearly $3 a hundred, and yet during the time that hogs were making such a stride to lower levels the price of fresh meat was constantly held up. The packers gave out a new schedule of prices, Tuesday. Pork loins, which were selling to the retailer at 13½ cents last week, were dropped to 8½ cents Tuesday morning; green hams were dropped to 4½ cents against a previous figure of 11 cents, and cured hams went down to 7½ cents a pound from 12 cents, the former price.

The protests which have come from the consumers of meat were too strong to be resisted. Buyers of meats have claimed that the profits which the packers were making on their hogs were greater than they had been for years, and that the consumers were not securing any of the benefit of the lower levels of prices for hogs on the hoof. Against this the packers declared that much of their product had been bought at higher levels than prices which have been recently quoted and that it would take a little time to reach the low-priced hogs in the shape of meat. They declare that as soon as this happened they immediately reduced the price.

Prices of poultry were also lower Tuesday than last week. Retail beef prices, it is declared, have not dropped yet because the break in livestock prices has not yet made itself felt to the wholesale dealer. The packers, it is declared, have been selling meat from their coolers, and have not yet exhausted their supply. It will be two or three days before the beef they bought at the low prices is put on the market to the wholesale dealer. Then the reductions are expected to come.

Parents should be cautious about giving their children permission to stay out of school. Every day out is a day lost to the school work—they cannot make it up. They will soon be behind and want to stop school—find fault with the teacher, say she is partial, etc., when all the time the parent is to blame.

Babies and children need prompt attention when suffering from colds and coughs. The best remedy for mothers to use is Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. It tastes nearly as good as maple sugar, it contains no opiates, and it is laxative and drives the cold out of the system by gently moving the bowels. J. S. Denny and Wye Mills drug store.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the Trust Estate of Earle J. Thompson.
In the Circuit Court for Queen Annes County, in Equity, Cause No.

ORDERED, this 23rd day of November, in the year nineteen hundred and seven, by the Circuit Court for Queen Annes County, in Equity that the Creditors of said Earle J. Thompson, and all others claiming any interest in the estate and property or the proceeds of the sale thereof granted and assigned by the Deed of Trust of the said Earle J. Thompson to the said J. H. C. Legg, Trustee, for the purposes in said Deed stated and declared be and they are hereby directed and required to file their said claims with the proper vouchers thereto and properly authenticated with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Queen Annes County, Maryland, on or before the thirty-first day of January, 1908; provided a copy of this order be published in some newspaper printed and published in Queen Anne's County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 28th day of December, 1907.

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