JEFFERSON.

THE LADIES STORE, CHESTERTOWN, MD.

MANY THANKS!

DEAR PATRONS:

The proprietor of "The Ladies' Store" desires to express gratefulness and extend MANY THANKS for the liberal patronage accorded this establishment during the short-hour service of the past two months. We feel very grateful, indeed, toward the ladies of the Town Improvement Society who responded so nobly to the call for short hour service and circulated petitions in our behalf and otherwise co-operated with us, thus enabling us to make it possible to close our doors at 7 P. M. and give our clerks the much-needed rest during the summer evenings. It has proven a great benefit and was greatly enjoyed by them, and we feel that it in no wise inconvenienced the public. Again thanking the public, we extend a most cordial welcome to the public to call and examine our FALL lines which are complete and are now on exhibition. We also have on the bargain counters many articles of summer goods at greatly reduced prices.

SUMMER GOODS.

We have a few White Suits and Shirtwaists left yet, and they must go to make room for the Fall ones that are coming in, and they go, what is left of them, at unheard of prices. Come early and avoid the rush.

Oxfords $2.48

(MAIN AISLE.)

We have a few left of the season's most fashionable Oxfords in Patent Leather, Gun Metal, Russet and Kid. They will be sold regardless of cost to make room for Fall Shoes. They sold formerly at $3.50 and $4.00. Come early and get the pick, as we have them in all sizes and widths. Remember the price, $2.48.

Fall Dress Goods.

Our line is now complete in every detail—anything and everything that the most precise lady can wish for, both in Cloth and Colorings. While black is stronger than usual this season, brown is good, blue is still in demand. Fancy Checks are also very much in evidence, and here can be had every shade in brown, blue and in all prices to suit every lady's pocketbook.

Millinery.

Our complete line of Millinery will be in next week. Our trimmer is now in New York and Philadelphia selecting the very latest and newest things to be had. While we did better last season than ever before, we are going to double our business this season if a complete stock of wearable goods was ever carried.

HARRY F. JEFFERSON,

THE LADIES' STORE,

Opposite Stam's Hall. Chestertown, Md.

ROCK HALL ITEMS.

Lots of oysters and large catches are reported but owing to the extreme weather there is little demand especially in large quantities. A few sell at 25 and 20c. Many refuse to sell and are bedding along the shores. It is estimated that there are several thousand bushels bedded awaiting cooler weather and a stormy day when these will be taken up and shipped; this would be profitable were it not for the crabs, which feed on them and thus destroy large quantity.

Fishing has been profitable to only a few. Crabbing season is at an end, but the past season has been an unprecedented one; soft crabs have been plentiful but prices as low as 10 and 20c per doz

Mrs. Jessie Middleton is very sick at this writing, she is under the care of Dr. Selby. Mrs. Minnie Durding is convalescent, and will soon take up her fall work. F. A. Shreck ventured out to-day for the first time in two weeks.

Some typhoid is among us. Robert Deihl is affected and at this writing is very ill.

Bro. Burr returned home on Monday from Norfolk, where he was called by phone to visit his son-in-law who was extremely ill. He left him very much improved.

Rev. A. S. Harris, of Piney Neck, filled the M. E. pulpit on Sunday taking "trouble" for his theme. There was a fair congregation and were benefitted by the sermon.

Miss Lois Leary and Trew Durding left for Washington College on Tuesday to again take up thier studies at that institution. Miss Marguerite Hersch left for Balto. where she will take a business course at Straton's commercial school.

Our public school opened with 214 pupils. The Adventist school opened its doors on Monday. There is much unfavorable comment by the patrons because the Manual Training Dpartment is not open. Be patient, the school board is doing its best to fill the vacancy.

Mrs. George W. Noble, of Baltimore, is spending a few days with Mrs. Minnie Durding.

Miss Rilla Wood, of Piney Neck, left on Monday for Baltimore, where she will attend the State Normal school.

Mr. Charles Bevans, who left here a few years ago to attend the Maryland Institute, is boarding at Mrs. J. W. Boyer's. He graduated with high honors and soon found a position in his profession. In his class was a young lady who compelled Charlie to be satisfied with second place, she leading him by one-eighth, and earned this in sculpturing. Charlie concluded that a sculpturer and an artist combined would be more profitable, sought and won his competitor's hand, and together they will journey through life.

Miss Jessie Arthur, of Havre de Grace, is visiting Miss Lula Downey. Mr. Taylor, wife and son are spending a few days at his father's, Mr. M. S. Taylor.

Miss Cora Middleton is substituting for Miss Kramer, who is attending the Jewish festivals in Baltimore.

Peeka boos are thought to exist in this town. Bottles, drunkenness and rowdyism are in evidence every Saturday night. Since the resignation of our magistrate it seems to be on the increase. The worshippers at the negro camp at Sharptown were so annoyed by the whites in the grove near the camp that services were suspended for a time on Sunday. Where are the officers?

Mr. Joseph W. Kendall will move his family to Baltimore next week. He is employed by the American Tobacco Co. Mr. Harry Hogans and his bride will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Kendall.

Mr. Wm. Clayton and wife have returned from the Jamestown Exposition where they have been taking in the sights. Will says for a small State, Virginia has done well.

GALENA ITEMS.

Miss Mary Pritchard and Mr. Jos. McDaniels, of Dover, Del., and Miss Gertrude Mitchell, spent last Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. James Mitchell.

Mrs. R. W. L. Rasin, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Todd.

Mrs. Wm. A. Whitaker spent several days of last week visiting friends in Baltimore.

Among those who are seriously ill with typhoid fever in our locality are, Mr. Walter Woodall, Mr. Bradford Johnson, Mr. James Scotten and Mr. Robert Johnson, no change in their condition has been reported at this writing.

Mrs. John Mullen who has been very ill for several weeks is improved.

Mr. Andrew McCauley and Mr. Vale, of Wilmington, Del., spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Lewis Hays spent Sunday in town.

Miss Clara Linthicum, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Whitaker.

Mr. Thos. Pennington and Mr. Hayward Wallace left last Monday morning for Jamestown, to attend the Exposition.

Miss Florence Cochran spent several days of this week with Miss Fannie Scott.

Mr. Wm. L. Spry has returned to Philadelphia after a week's visit to his family.

Mr. Bradford Pierce attended the Easton Fair.

Mrs. Wm. Holden and daughter, Annie, are visiting friends in Tramor, Pa.

Mr. Byard Vansant is visiting his mother, Mrs. L. Vansant.

Mrs. F. P. Cochran is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. McGraw at Alexandria, Va.

Misses Ethel and Elsie Duhamel, of Earlville, have been the guests of Misses Gertrude and Carrie Dempsey.

Mr. Hanson Horsey has returned home after a successful season with the Betterton Base Ball Club.

While Mr. Grove Everett was about to get in his carriage last Monday night his horse started off in full speed, dragging Mr. Everett fully 50 feet and painfully injuring him. Mr. Hiram Powell's horse also became frightened and ran away, demolishing one wheel of the carriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Woodall gave a delightful yachting party last Monday evening to Betterton on the floating little palace, "Toddy," Among those on board to enjoy this quiet little treat were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Woodall, Miss Mary Wallace, Misses Jervis, Misses Alice, Julia and Margaret Woodall; Messrs. Richard Wallis, Chas. Jervis, W. A. Hyland, Herman McCauley and A. M. Culp.

STILL POND ITEMS.

Mrs. Chas. Meeks, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dora Meeks.

Messrs. Joseph and Carleton Wilson returned to their home in Phila. after a pleasant visit to their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Krusen.

Mr. Harry Gable has returned to his home in Baltimore after a two weeks' visit to his friend, Mr. Lamont Hackett.

Mrs. John Jarvis, of Galena, spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson.

Miss Cora Jewell and nephew, Master Earl Thompson, are visiting her niece, Mrs. Fred Ford, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coleman, are visiting his mother, Mrs. S. Coleman.

Mrs. Wm. Thompson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Ford, Philadelphia.

Mr. Wm. Fortner, and daughter, Miss Nora, of York, Penn., visited his nephew, Mr. Chas. Walter.

Mr. Charlie Ford was given a delightful surprise party Thursday evening. Many were there and all spent a delightful evening.

Our church services last Sunday were nicely attended. At the close of the morning services 8 persons joined the church in full membership. Willie Ford led the Epworth League, the entire evening was given to the league topic, namely: "Bible Study." Miss Bertha Price sang a solo to the delight of the entire audience. Misses Marian Hackett, Mabel Norris and Laura Norris read excellent papers. Our pastor closed the service with an address urging all to more loyalty to the Bible.

Mrs. Wm. Medders will lead the Epworth League next Sunday evening, topic: "The Word of God Perverted." We want everybody at these meetings. We are expecting to use a new hymn book for Sunday evening. The one we will use in our special meetings that will begin the first Sunday in October. Our pastor's subject for next Sunday morning, "Twentieth Century Christians," the evening subject: "The Great Remedy for Sin." We shall expect you at all these services, and a royal welcome awaits you.

BETTERTON BRIEFS.

With the approach of cooler days the summer boarders have fled and Betterton lays aside her gay garb of a popular summer resort and resumes her old original ways. The season, while a brief one, has been one of the best in its history. During the month of August hundreds of persons seeking board at the hotels were turned to look elsewhere. The fishing also this past summer has been unusually good, and no one left Betterton disappointed.

The Eagles' excursion to Annapolis on the steamer Louise on Thursday week was well patronized here, all reporting a pleasant trip.

School opened in our town last week with Miss Elsie Crew principal and Miss Hannah Gooding assistant. We regret very much that owing to the lack of pupils Miss Lolla Crew was transferred to Coleman's school.

Mr. John Crew met with quite a painful accident on last Sunday evening. While handling a revolver supposed to be unloaded, it went off, the shot passing through his hand inflicting quite a painful flesh wound. At present he is under treatment in Baltimore.

Mrs. James Crew visited Baltimore this week.

Miss Lillian Kelley has returned home after spending the two summer months with her sister, Mrs. Charles Brice.

Miss Georgia Smith is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Mary Gooding, of the University Hospital, Philadelphia, is at home for two weeks.

Mrs. Tull spent last week with friends at Cape Charles, Virginia.

Miss Hettie Crew is the guest of relatives in Wilmington and Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Heather have returned to the Emerson after a pleasant trip to Marydel, Del.

Miss Florence Jewell, one of Kent's most popular teachers, is substituting at Worton school.

Mrs. Frank Clark is spending the week in Baltimore.

Miss Lillie Crownhart has accepted a position at Armstrong & Cator's, Balto.

Miss Grace Da Shields returned to her home Friday after spending an enjoyable two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Frank Young.

After a two months' vacation the Epworth League will hold its first meeting on Sunday evening. A large attendance is requested. Morning service has been changed to afternoon, which seems to suit the people better.

KENNEDYVILLE ITEMS.

Mr. Tomato is on the go at this time. We see him coming in all directions, and the farmer either has a good crop or he has a large acreage, and some we think have both.

Some of the farmers are starting to cut their corn while others are not. The corn keeps very green, and the weather is uncertain, and the best thing to do is not to cut it too green and spoil a crop after cultivating it.

The monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held Friday night of last week at the M. P. Church. The meeting was in charge of Miss Ellen Copper. It was an interesting programme, and considering the shortness of time, the little folks done well. Mrs. Williams sang a very pretty solo, Mrs. Harper gave an interesting report of the convention held at Millington last week. Miss Nora Wiltbanks gave a nice reading. Mr. W. B. Copper, of Chestertown, was to give a talk to the boys, and we were all disappointed when we heard he could not come because of sickness in his family. We believe the ladies have his promise to come some time in the near future, and we hope to hear him soon. Mr. W. T. Hague came to the rescue with a short talk. Miss Susie Hall and Miss Ada Hurlock recited the pieces they recited on Wednesday night at Millington, and they did it nicely, too, was the opinion of all that heard them.

Vacation time is over and the church is still holding services as usual at the same place. On next Sunday night Mr. Edgar Pennington is the leader of the C. E. meeting which commences at 7 o'clock, the regular Sunday night service immediately after the C. E. service.

Mr. Chas. Doman and little son are visiting Mr. F. C. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Durbie Jester, of Baltimore, are visiting relatives in our community.

Miss Mabel Hague has returned home after a pleasant trip to Philadelphia for several weeks.

CLOSE-OUT SALE.

We are closing out the entire stock of F. H. Harper & Son, Still Pond, Md.

Watch this space from week to week for the bargains that will appear.

Shirtwaists All Reduced.

Ladies' $1 50 Shirtwaists now $1.00
Ladies' $1.25 Shirtwaists now ..... .75
Ladies' 50c Shirtwaists now ..... .25

LAWNS.

All 12½c, 15c, 19c Lawns now per yard 9c
All 10c Lawns now per yard 7c
All 6½c, 7c, 8c Lawns now per yard 5c

All Summer Underwear Reduced

Come and Get Your Supplies for Next Year at a Big Saving.

Ladies' Kid Gloves.

Ladies' $1, $1.25, $1.50 Kid Gloves per pair 25c

Colors white, tan and black. About 40 pairs left. Your choice per pair 25c.

Ladies' SHOES

About 100 pair Ladies' $1, $1.25, $1.50 Button Shoes. Your choice per pair 50c

CLOTHING NEWS!

All Summer Clothing Reduced. Note the Saving.

Men's $12.00 Suits now $8.00
Men's $9.00 Suits now 6.00
Men's $6.50, $6.75 Suits now 5.00

MASON'S GLASS JARS

BALL BROS.' BEST MAKE.

Quart Jars now per dozen 39c

Complete with Tops and Rubbers.

Pumps

6 ft. 6x6 Pump Stock, P. L $4.50
6 ft. 6x6 Pump Stock, Plain 3.25
7 ft. 6x6 Pump Stock, Plain 3.50
8 ft. 6x6 Pump Stock, P. L 4.50
10 ft. 6x6 Pump Stock, Plain 4.39
6 ft. 7x7 Pump Stock, P. L 5.25
7 ft. 7x7 Pump Stock, P. L 5.75
8 ft. 7x7 Pump Stock, P. L 6.25
10 ft. 7x7 Pump Stock. P. L 7.25

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