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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

WE ANNOUNCE TO THE PUBLIC that there will be a change in our business commencing the 1st of MARCH, 1910, and all persons having claims against us will come forward and we will settle, and all persons owing us please come and settle their accounts by note or cash. As we are going to change our business by entering into a partnership with MR. A. FINE, of Baltimore city, who has been in a wholesale business for 22 years, we hope all of our customers will continue on with their patronage as they have done with me, and by adding Mr. Fine with me will enable me to do better than ever before.

Now, I give notice that from now until the first of March I will reduce the price of all of my stock 33 PER CENT. below cost price so now is the time to come and get your bargains.

NOW WE ARE GOING TO HAVE
A Special Sale Every Wednesday

UNTIL THE FIRST OF MARCH, and we will pay on Wednesday 2 cents above Baltimore highest market price for Eggs. If quoted 35c we will pay 37c, if quoted more we will pay more. Also we will have a few big bargains such as:

1 3-string 25c Broom go at 9c
1 14-quart 25c Agate Dish Pan 9c
2 lbs. Sugar 9c
3 boxes Sea Gull Yeast Powder 9c
3 bars Fairbanks Soap 9c
(Only one of these articles to each customer.)

Now, we hope you will please come and settle before the new firm sets in, and I want to thank the public and everybody for their patronage when I was alone. Yours most respectfully,

ABE COHEN,
Sandy Bottom Department Store. The Leader of Low Prices.

The Transcript.
SATURDAY, JAN. 22, 1910.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Appointed to Rock Hall.—Mr. James W. Johns has been appointed vice-principal of the Rock Hall High School by the School Board. Mr. Johns is a graduate of Washington College of the class of 1909, and he will, we are sure, make Rock Hall a most acceptable vice-principal.

Quick Payment.—The death benefit due the estate of the late Ephiram Dill from the Jr. O. U. A. M. has been paid to his widow. The necessary papers were forwarded to headquarters last Friday and on Wednesday the check for the full amount was received. This shows the promptness with which the Order takes care of its beneficiaries.

Postoffice Inspector Dead.—Postoffice Inspector W. J. Maxwell died at his home in Wilmington, Del., Thursday of last week about midnight, of pneumonia, aged 64 years, after an illness of one week. Mr. Maxwell was quite well known in Chestertown, having inspected the postoffice at this place at different intervals for a number of years past.

Cecil County Superintendent.—The school board of Cecil county has appointed Mr Wm. D. Bratton superintendent of schools to succeed the late Geo. Biddle. Mr. Bratton is the editor of the Cecil County News, and is a warm friend of Governor Crother. He is a graduate of Princeton University, and well qualified to fill the office to which he has been elected.

Change in Business.—On March 1 there will be a change of business now conducted by Mr. Abe Cohen in Sandy Bottom. Mr. Cohen will associate with him in the business Mr. A. Fine, of Baltimore, who has had 22 years of experiance in the wholesale business. The firm name will be Cohen & Fine, and the goods you will by there will be fine, too. Mr. Cohen's advertisement on page 5 will be interesting to you this morning.

Directors Meeting.—A meeting of the directors of the Bertie E. Tull Freighting Company was held in Baltimore Jan. 15th, Mr. A. Parks Rasin was re-elected president and general manager, E. M. Sills secretary and treasurer, Messrs. A. Parks Rasin, E. M. Sills and Andrew W. Woodall were re-elected directors. The company has enjoyed a prosperous year, and hope for a continuance of their large patronage.

To Improve Telephone System.—It is understood that the Diamond State Telephone system will install a common battery system on the peninsula which will be a great improvement over the present system. By the new method ringing up central will be done away with, and it will simply be necessary to lift the receiver from the hook in order to get central. The system will be installed throughout the peninsula, except where the line is controlled by a local corporation.

Rectory Finished.—The handsome new rectory of St. Paul's and I. U. parishes at Fairlee has been completed, and the rector, Rev. Mr. Litsinger and family "moved in" this week. The new home is an ornament to the village of Fairlee. It is built of those fine cement blocks manufactured by Mr. Vernon Barnett, with ornamental trimmings of the same material made by Mr. Barnett. The structure is a monument to the skill and ability of Mr. Barnett, as a manufacturer of building blocks and a builder of attractive homes.

Bank Directors Elected.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Second National Bank, of Chestertown, last week, the following board of directors were elected: Messrs. James A. Pearce, Hope H. Barroll, Harrison W. Vickers, Wilbur W. Hubbard, Garrett Foxwell, Adam F. Huey, D. T. Hurlock, T. B. Durding and W. B. Copper. The board reorganized on Wednesday last and elected Judge James A. Pearce, president, Hope H. Barroll, vice-president; W. W. Hubbard, second vice-president, and reappointed all its old officers.

Driest Year on Record.—The year 1909 was the driest year since the establishment of the weather bureau according to its official report issued this week. There were fewer days on which it rained since 1871, and the precipitation was 34.70 inches, which was considerably below the normal. This record is practically identical with the record kept by Hon. James S. Harris, of this county, and which was published in the TRANSCRIPT several weeks ago. There were 13 thunder storms during 1909. The coldest day was December 30, when the thermometer registered 9°, and the warmest was August 9 when 98° was registered.

Glee and Mandolin Club.

The concert given by the Washington College Glee and Mandolin Club in William Smith Hall on Wednesday evening, was a very enjoyable affair. The singing by the Glee Club and the playing by the Mandolin Club were up to the usual standard. Noteworthy features of the concert were the solos of Messrs. Madden, Graham and Hall. Each of these young men has a voice full of melody and volume, and they should develope into fine soloists. Their solos were greatly appreciated by the audience, as was also the chorus singing of the Glee Club. The musical selections by the Mandolin Club, accompanied by Prof. Pete, of the college faculty, were well rendered, and showed class and good taste in their selection. The violin solo by Mr. Krantz, accompanied by Mr. Jas. L. Bacchus, was finely rendered, and showed his mastery of the bewitching instrument. Mrs. James W. Cain directed the singing of the Glee Club, and Mr. James L. Bacchus was accompanist. The concert was repeated in Centreville on Thursday evening before a large and fashionable audience.

Grange Notes.

There will be a special meeting of the Chestertown Grange next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members are urgently requested to be present. The matter of purchasing clover seed will be taken up, and those who are absent may miss the chance to place their order. Let there be a full turnout of all members.

TOLD IN BRIEF.

—Tag! you're it. Give me five cents.

—A new bell has been placed in the belfry of Janes M. E. Church.

—Mr. Marcus Asher is paying 65 cents for the best muskrat hides.

—Easter Sunday comes earlier than usual this year. It will occur March 27.

—The Lankford Telephone Line was put in operation this week. You may talk now as far as Mr. George Beck's.

—The wholesale price of eggs in Philadelphia advanced from 48 to 52 cents this week.

—The January term of court was convened last Monday with Judge Pearce on the bench.

—The steamer Gratitude had an accident to her boiler on the trip from Baltimore, on Thursday and she did not reach her wharf here until one o'clock yesterday morning.

—Prof. G. B. Taylor, surveyor for Kent county, has accepted a position as civil engineer for the B. C. & A. R. R. He will remove to Salisbury.

—Deputy State Councilor John W. Barnes installed the newly-elected officers of Chestertown Council, No. 177, Jr. O. U. A. M., Wednesday evening.

—The rain and warm weather of Monday night and succeeding days carried away most of the snow and ice. Travel on the roads will shortly be resumed.

—Mr. Thomas G. Wroth has sold to R. Groome Parks, Esq., for a client, his fine building lot fronting on Front street, 50 feet with a depth of 171 feet. The price is not given, but it is understood to be $1350.

—One of our prominent farmers living near town has 150 hens and is not getting an egg. We know a lady in Chestertown who has 19 hens and is getting 9 eggs a day, and yet Champ Clark says the people who live in towns are not producers.

—There is a big deal on for the sale of a valuable High street property which we are not at liberty to divulge, which may be consumated today, and still another in the first stage which is likely to be closed within a week.

—Real Estate Broker, J. Waters Russell, returned from a restful trip to Richmond and the South on Thursday and is now ready to talk business. See him. He has some excellent bargains in land and houses.

—One hundred and fifty feet of Bogle's wharf was carried away by the ice last Friday night. It is feared that there will be more damage to wharf property in the river and bay when the ice begins to move freely.

—Mr. Kromshinski and family, of South Dakota have taken Mr. L. B. Russell's residence on High street, opposite the M. E. Church, and Mr. Sheckels and family have moved into one of Mr. H. S. Barnett's residences on Mt. Vernon Place.

—Mr. A. H. Johnson, of near Massey, one of the most progressive farmers in the First District, and Mr. John F. Ernest, one of the most progressive business men of Sassafras, have been elected directors of the Citizens National and People's National Bank, respectively of Middletown.

—Mr. M. Tingle, who formerly represented the Metropolitian Life Insurance Co., at Millington, has resigned his position to accept the principalship of a school at Frankford, Del. The vacancy occasioned by his leaving has been filled by the appointment of Mr. Earle West, formerly chief clerk of E. Gordon & Co.

—Mr Abe Cohen, the Wananaker of the Sixth District has donated several valuable articles for sale at the Firemen's Bazaar in Stam's Hall next week. Mr. Cohen is a public spirited citizen, and though he does not live in Chestertown he has the welfare of the people at heart. Our people should not forget Mr. Cohen or any other of our county merchants who cheerfully give their goods for the protection of their property.

—Fairlee Grange is preparing to give a fine minstrel show in Grange Hall, Fairlee, early in February. Messrs. Jesse H. Usilton, Thos. J. Davis, John E. Morris and T. E. W. Crew will be in the circle, with H. Stockton Startt, Wm. G. Smyth, Edw. Corey and others in the olio, and if you don't get the worth of your money from such a crowd as that, you are a mighty difficult proposition to serve. Wait for the day and date.

—Among the removals taking place the beginning of the year around Rock Hall were the following: Mr. John Moore from the Porter farm to near Fairlee, Mr. Thomas Wheat from Allen's Lane, to near Gratitude, Mr. Thos. Colyer from where he has resided for 30 years to his property vacated by Mr. Wheat. Mr. Elwood Kendall from Green Lane to Allen's Lane, Capt. Thos. Elburn from north of town to Green Lane.

—The firm of Davis Bros., Galena, Md., which has absorbed the hardware and implement business formerly conducted by Mr. Raymond Prettyman, is preparing to open the store for business, and they will shortly let the public know how well prepared they are to serve their wants. Mr. Davis, who formerly lived in Altooner was in Chestertown on Wednesday with Rev. A. P. Prettyman, and met many of our business people.

—The year 1909 was one of the greatest years in the town's history for the construction of new houses, all of which are ornaments to our town. Nine new residences were built, the handsome home of the Volunteer Fire Company was completed and dedicated, and the handsome bank building for the Kent County Savings Bank was begun. This means about $50,000 added to the real estate values of the town. What town in Maryland can beat this record?

SOCIETY'S REALMS.

Mr. J. D. Bacchus has been quite sick at his home on Front street during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stockton Startt's pretty home near town was the scene of an enjoyable "Bonnet Party" yesterday evening. The spring styles were on display, and they were stunners. A splendid supper was served to a large gathering of friends.

Mrs. Roland Matthews has been quite sick for several weeks past. She is but little improved we regret to state.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffith, of Sassafras, were called to Philadelphia last week to attend the funeral of his brother.

Mrs. W. Price Milby and daughter, of Trappe, are visiting her mother, Mrs. S. A. Ivens, on High street.

We are glad to state that Mrs. W. B. Copper, who injured her limb quite seriously last week, is improving.

Mrs. J. P. Ahern, of Millington, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. David B. Ford, corner Maple avenue and Queen street during the week.

Mrs. Agnes Jarman has taken apartments at the Hotel Bailey, in Millington for the winter.

We regret to state that Mrs. George W. Jones, of Millington, has had to go to the Hospital for special treatment to her nerves. We trust she may be speedily restored to health.

Col. Samuel L. Wright and wife have returned from a protracted visit with their daughter in Philadelphia.

Miss Janie Cooper is assisting in the Stam Drug Company during the absence of Mr. Emory S. Wroth in Florida.

Mr. Kent Lambert, of Panama, is visiting his mother, Mrs. George E. Lambert, on Queen Street. He will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Howard to the Isthmus in a few days. Mr. Frank Fowler, son of Mr. Lewin S. Fowler, has also gone to Panama, where he has a lucrative position.

Miss. Elma Rasin, of Spray, N. C., is at home for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Eliason and little daughter, of Wilmington, Del., are guests of her parents, County Commissioner and Mrs. Harry Davis, near Still Pond.

Mr. J. D. Lucas has been on the sick list this week but is improved at this writing.

Mrs. R. Thompson and Mr. James A. Russell have been seriously sick during the week.

Mrs. H. H. Klinefelter has been visiting friends in Gettysburg during the week.

Miss Jane Blackiston is with her sister, Mrs. Dr. Stille, who has been quite sick at her home in Cumberland for some time.

Miss Lucille Parr, of Still Pond, has been visiting Miss Margherita Dodd during the week.

Mt. Vernon Officers.

At a meeting of the Mt. Vernon Literary Society Saturday evening, Jan. 15th, the following officers were elected for the spring term: President, Chas. H. Gibson; vice-president, Wm. Galen Vansant; Rec. Sec., A. Claud Griffin; Cor. Sec., C. Hayden Metcalfe; treasurer, J. Lewin Burris; Sgt-at-arms, Jos. L. Moore; critic, Calvin T. Ryan; historian, Loran R. Langsdale. The Mt. Vernon Literary Society is the oldest college fraternity in the State, having been established in 1847. Many of the men now distinguished in all walks of public life in the State were members of the society during their college career at Washington College, and the society has always been a powerful factor at the college for the development and broadening of the student body. Long live dear old Mt. Vernon, and may her officers and members ever strive to perpetuate the dignity and honor of the venerable fraternity.

Our Advertisers' Interests.

Special offer is being made by Jas. H. Shuster, the shoe merchant, in Childrens,' Misses' and Ladies' Heavy Gun Metal Calf Shoes.

Owens & Co's. big store in Betterton is offering some exceptional bargains for after stock-taking days. Go there and get your bargains.

Messrs. Boulden & Schofield Bros., Still Pond, are through taking stock and they are offering this morning some very low prices and lots of useful articles. See their advertisment on page 2.

Messrs. Kilbourn & Bramble, the hustling Fairlee merchants, have recently purchased the entire stock of a merchant who wanted to discontiune business. They are offering the stock, good as gold, to you at way down prices. You will find their big advertisement on page 2 every Saturday morning. They have some fine bargains to-day. They want all the country produce you can bring and are paying big prices for muskrat and mink hides.

Bargain days are on at Charles H. Brice's big store, Betterton.

Dr. Horace W. Nicholson, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of Baltimore, will be at Dr. H. G. Simpers' office on Queen street, next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday for the practice of his profession. If any of your organs mentioned above are affected he will do you good.

Mr. Samuel Hicks advertises his cozy home on Washington avenue for sale in this issue

MARRIED.

PORTER—SCHAFFER.—At the M. E. parsonage Wednesday evening, January 19th, 1910, by Rev. Louis E. Barrett, D D., Alonza E. Porter and Miss Catharine E. Schaffer, both of Kent county. Mr. Porter is Mr. Samuel Hicks' competent blacksmith.

Ordinance No. 7-A.

AN ORDINANCE to prohibit the slaughtering of Beeves, Sheep, Lambs, Hogs, or other animals, within the corporate limits of Chestertown, Maryland.

Be it ordained by the Town Commissioners of Chestertown, That no person, persons or corporation shall slaughter any beeves, sheep, lambs, hogs, or other animals, within the corporate limits of Chestertown on and after the FIRST DAY OF MAY, 1910; and any person, persons, or corporation, violating this ordinance shall pay a fine of $5 00 and costs of prosecution for each and every animal so slaughtered.

Passed January 10th, 1910, by the Town Commissioners of Chestertown, Maryland.

Signed by WILLIAM S. CARROLL,
WILLIAM T. DUYER,
THOMAS S. BORDLEY,
Town Commissioners.

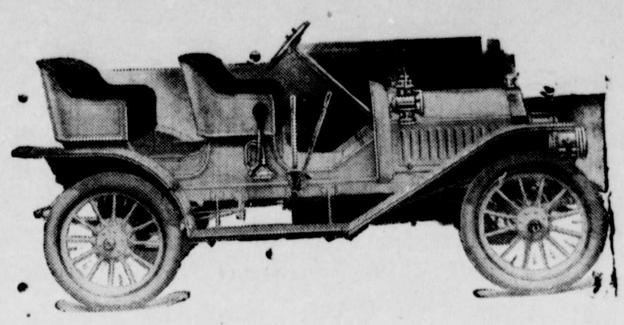
THOMAS S. BORDLEY, Clerk. jan15-3t.

FOR TOWN COMMISSIONER.

TO THE TAX-PAYERS OF CHESTERTOWN:
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Commissioner of Chestertown at the next town election. I am the candidate of no faction and ask the votes of all citizens having the welfare of the town at heart.
jl-tf. MERRICK CLEMENTS.

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HAT — Derby or High Silk.
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COLLAR — Polk or straight standing.
CRAVAT — White Lawn, Mull or Silk.
GLOVES — White Kid or Gray Suede.
JEWELRY — Shirt Studs and Link Cuff Buttons of pearl.
SHOES — Patent Leather Pumps, Patent Leather Lace Shoes or Patent Leather Button Shoes.

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