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$2.25 Shoes, **$1.50**	15c Curry Comb, 10c	Corn Starch, 4c lb.	75c Axe and Helve, 29c
Boys' $2.50 Shoes, **$1.60**	5c Axle Grease, 3c	75c Agate Dust Pan, 49c	$2.50 Iron Bed, **$1.75**
$1.50 Shoes, **$1.00**	50c Lantern, 39c	Gravely Tobacco, 49c lb.	$6.00 Ladies' Coat, **$4.50**
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ATTORNEY BROWN ON ROAD LAW.

Speaks in the Highest Terms of the Caroline Road Law and the Condition of That County's Roads Under the Working of the Law.

There appeared an article in a local paper last Saturday in regard to the present condition of the Caroline county roads. That letter gave the impression that the roads of that county are in no better condition now than they were some years ago. We could not see how that could be, and we wrote this week to Edwin H. Brown, Esq., counsel to the Board of Queen Annes Commissioners, who has prepared a bill similar to the Caroline law for his county and which Senator Harper has introduced in the Senate. Mr. Brown has made a study of conditions in Queen Annes and Caroline and knows whereof he speaks. His letter is as follows:

Centreville, Md., Feb 8, 1910.

CHESTERTOWN TRANSCRIPT, Chestertown, Md.—DEAR SIRS:—I note with pleasure the interest your paper has taken in the adoption of a law for Kent county similar to the one now in force in Caroline, in reference to road engineer. A law of this character, in my judgment, is a step in the right direction. There is no county on the Eastern Shore that has made greater progress in the last few years than Caroline county, and in my judgment, it is due to a great extent, to the systematic business manner in which they work their roads. I have had occasion to drive through Caroline county to considerable extent, and I note the great improvement of the roads under the present system than over the old system. In Queen Annes county we have not this road law, but I am glad to say the county commissioners and the people in Queen Annes county are making every effort to have this law passed, and we feel sure at this session of the Legislature, Queen Annes county will be given a road engineer. The condition of the roads between Caroline and Queen Annes county is very marked, and to-day, you can tell where Queen Annes ends and Caroline begins, simply by the roads. The new method takes the roads out of politics, which is death to any system working roads. Under the new system, Caroline county has increased the efficiency of their roads 100 per cent. and have not spent 5 per cent. a year more than they did under the old system. The board of Queen Annes having been in for two terms feels that the present method of working the roads is one without system, and therefore feels that the tax-payers' money is not spent to the best advantage. These reasons with some others have compelled our board to take the steps that they have.

I hope that Kent county will feel disposed to push the matter as it will be one which will bring untold benefit and enhance the value of their property very materially. Very truly yours,

EDWIN H. BROWN, JR.

FAVOR ROAD LAW.

Many of the Tax-Payers Have Signed Petitions Asking for the Adoption of the Caroline Road Law for Kent County This Week.

The agitation of the Caroline County Road Law for Kent county by the TRANSCRIPT and its friends during the past two years has had its effect upon the tax payers and voters throughout the county generally, and this week numerously-signed petitions have been sent to us for publication. We do not hesitate to ascribe much of the credit for the powerful sentiment existing in the county in favor of the adoption of this law to Hope H. Barroll, Esq., who has been untiring in his efforts to bring about a business-like method of conducting the affairs of the county, and who has given his time to a most interesting and significant disclosure in regard to the condition of our county finances at this time. We sincerely believe that the adoption of the Caroline County Road Law for this county is the most business-like method known for road-working, and we have endeavored to prove our sincerity to the tax-payers by not only publishing the law, but also getting the testimony of the authorities of Caroline county in reference to the working of the law and the amount of money levied for roads in that county annually. We have placed this information before the public, and we are gratified at the ready response to sign these petitions. One of our large tax payers said it was the greatest pleasure for him to take the petition around for the people were anxious to sign something that furnishes relief from the present outrageous plan of working roads. The following is the petition and a partial list of the signers:

TO THE HONORABLE THE SENATOR AND DELEGATES IN THE LEGISLATURE FROM KENT COUNTY—

GENTLEMEN:—We, the undersigned citizens of Kent county, respectfully urge that you will use all your endeavors to pass for Kent county a Road Law similar to the one now used in Caroline county and which has been introduced in other counties with such success.

The cost of the public roads in Kent county has been and is a heavy burden to the tax-payers. Unless some such method regulating the cost of our roads is adopted it will be heavier each year, and with no permanent benefit to the public. We respectfully urge that you use all you endeavors to secure the passage of such a law.

Yours respectfully,

Eben F. Perkins,	Wm. B. Copper,
W. Robert Hae,	R. R. Wilkins,
Wilbur W. Hubbard,	W. H. Elliott, Jr.,
G. E Lambert,	W. P. Newman,
D Arthur Bacchus,	Geo. D Loflan,
W. M. Culp,	C. W Wroth,
Wm. A. Wheatley,	J. R. Copper,
Peter Brinsfield,	Harry F. Jefferson,
John H. Aldridge,	Wm. T. H. Whiteley,
John F. Howard,	S. R. B. Lusby,
Sidney P. Townshend,	Thomas D. Bowers,
R. H. Colins,	A. H. Covey,
R. Groome Parks,	G. Allen Jarman,
Geo. W. French,	John A. Smith,
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Shermen R. Hill,	R. F. Parks & Son,
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Walter T. Bennett,	Ralph V. Barnett,
Thomas G. Wroth,	W. C. Hurlock,
Edgar P. Beck,	W. R. Maul,
Harry Nichols,	Harry Hodgkins,
F. D. Leary,	Thos S. Boodie,
H. Stockton Startt,	H. W. Fallowfield,
M. A. Toulson,	John S Vandegrift,
J. B. McIntire,	W. L. Fowler,
O H. Cleaver,	Thomas A. Matthews,
W. H. Waddell,	Stonewall J. Coleman,
John W. Thomas,	J. F. Thompson,
Walter W. Needles,	Charles P. Hodgkins,
J. P. DeCorse,	Wm. A. Burk,
E. E. Hudson,	H Clay Hendrickson,
H. B. Nicholson,	Wm. H. Loper,
A. Hendrickson,	J. E. Bailey,
F. P Bombart,	John E. Woodall,
F. S. Bottomly,	W. E. Jarrell,
J. E Hurlock,	J. R. Jarrell,
P. A. M. Brooks,	H. S. Barnett,
C. D. McCiary,	W. C. A. Thompson,
V. M Barnett,	Arlington L. Sparks,
John Bartley,	Charles N. Satterfield,
Charles S. Smith,	H. L. Boyd,
W. Frank Jarrell,	J. Harry Davis,
J. H. Simpers,	George B Westcott,
J. Waters Russell,	Thomas H Topping,
Elwood Whaley,	James G Beck,
J. H. Lewis,	Wm. C. Sutton,
W. T. Crow,	James W. Urie,
G. Irvin Barwick,	L. A. Pennington,
J. H Weer,	G. W. Atwell,
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Harry S. Redmile,	F. C. Miller,
Jas. E Weer,	B. Dill,
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J. R. Parrott,	J. M. Archibald,
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Harry L. Redding,	E M Bonwill, Jr.,
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Mrs. C. R. Wilson,	Alfred F. Greenwood,
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C. W. Hague,	W. H Krusen,
L. P. Atwell,	Charles P. Severson,
John Johnston,	William Parr,
Walter H. Davis,	A. J. Hackett, Jr.,
Robert A. Bowers,	Lotan H Rasin,
S Tilden Cooper,	H. D. Hendrickson,
Charles H. Toulson,	Howard M. Rasin.

Chesterville Items.

Emmanuel M. E. Church, South Sunday School at 10, Preaching by the Presiding Elder, Rev. E. V. Regester at 11, League at 7.

Trinity, Millington, Sunday School at 2, Preaching at 3, by the Presiding Elder. League service at 7, Thursday night, service at 7.30.

Among the the new folk who have recently come to Chesterville is one Edward Walls. He is now boarding with Mr. and Mrs. McCosh Walls. If he follows his parents he will make a desirable citizen.

Miss Eva Burris and Miss Bessie King are out of the village visiting friends.

Last Sunday afternoon and night were made very disagreeable by the biting gale. Notwithstanding, a good number of people attended the League service in Emmanuel. Monday morning showed the lowest temperature of the season, the mercury standing at 8° above. On Dec. 30th, it reached 9°. These dates rank as the coldest in their months for many years.

You cannot afford to miss hearing Rev. E. V. Regester, Sunday, at Emmanuel or Trinity. You will remember the man and his message.

Illustrated sermon in Emmanuel after League meeting Sunday night, Feb. 13.

Mrs. Geo. W. Jones, of Millington, is expected home from a Philadelphia hospital this week. Her many friends hope that she will soon be strong as before her illness.

Dr. DuLaney, of Baltimore, is expected to deliver a lecture here sometime this month. His subject will be, "Peculiar People." It will be worth hearing. The Dr. is full of fun.

The pastor of Emmanuel and Trinity will deliver a lecture about the middle of March on "The Dragon Empire." It will be illustrated in a superb manner. No admission fee.

Worton Items.

The young people of our village have been enjoying skating on Rasin's pond the past few nights.

A pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Mr. John Thomas on Wednesday evening, Feb. 2 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Rash, and on arriving home about 8 o'clock the young people met them at the door. It certainly was quite a surprise to them. All spent a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Sutton and daughter, Louise, spent Sunday at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Chas. Toulson, near Still Pond.

Little Miss Maxine Stouffer has returned home after a pleasant visit to her grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Stouffer, in Rich Neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Carter and daughter spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Wood, near Still Pond.

Miss Edith Dodson spent several days with her sister, Miss Pearl Dodson, the past week.

Mr. Frank Rouse, of Wilmington, is spending some time with relatives here.

Mr. Earle Stouffer, of Rich Neck, spent a few days with his brother, Mr. J. Edw. Stouffer, the past week.

Millington Items.

Miss Ollie Price, formerly of Millington, was married Feb. 2 to Mr. Gayton, of New York city.

Mrs. Dudley Cummerford and Miss Everett, daughter of Mr. Emory Everett, who lives on Mrs. M. O. Cacy's farm near town, was married Tuesday, Feb. 8, by Rev. Mr. Moore, of the M.E. Church.

George Reed, son of Mr. Herbert Reed, died in Philadelphia Jan. 28. Mr. Reed formerly lived here.

Mrs. Dr. Comegys is very ill at her home on Cypress street.

Mrs. Julia Mallalieu is sick, confined to her bed with the grip.

Rev. R.K. Stephenson preached Monday evening in the M. E. Church to a large and appreciative congregation.

Mrs. Stille, formerly of Chestertown, is ill at her home in Cumberland.

Mr. Pippin, of Denton, is here in Mr. Allin's place at the depot. Mr. Allin is in New Castle.

Miss Addie Vansant is in Wilmington with her sister, Mrs. Ford Phillips.

Mrs. Chas. Bradley, of Crumpton, is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Joseph Battis has moved from Prices into the Hamilton house.

Rev. Mr. Moore, of the M.E. Church, is holding revival services. They are well attended. Rev. Mr. Rood, of the M. E. Church South, preached last Tuesday and Rev. Nicholson, of the M. P. Church, Crumpton, last Thursday.

The weekly dances being held in Gillespie's Hall, are to be discontinued this week on account of Lent.

Mr. Geo. Parvis, who has been away on a visit, has returned home.

Still Pond Notes.

Mrs. Chas. Walter has returned after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Wm. Bushmaw, Brooklyn, Md.

Mrs. Jack Hackett and daughter, Marghurita, visited her mother, Mrs. N. Gears, Worton.

Mrs. Walter Wiable was taken to the Baltimore Hospital last week, where she was operated on Saturday. We hope she will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett entertained Rev. John Beauchamp and his family Sunday at their home near Still Pond.

Miss Marion Hackett returned home after a pleasant two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Lester Coleman, Baltimore

Mrs. Samuel Moffett visited Baltimore, last week.

Mrs. Leonard Price will hold a Valentine Pie social at their home, near Still Pond, Monday evening, Feb. 14. Proceeds for Sunday School. The ladies are supposed to put a heart instead of name on the pie and have another on their dress and the boys will have the fun of matching them.

Mr. Laurie Hackett is attending an automobile school of instruction in Baltimore. When he finishes his course there he will finish learning his blacksmith trade at Mr. Elwood Whaley's shop, Chestertown. We wish Laurie the greatest success, as he is certainly a promising young fellow.

Mrs. Sallie Rasin and Miss Rachel Parrott are visiting Mrs. W. D. Pennington.

My! walking is awful in some places. The work on the walks don't seem to have improved it much. What we want is cement walks.

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