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Our Third Semi-Annual Sale has proven to be a success beyond our expectations. Our sales in the past three weeks have broken all previous records. We wish to thank our patrons for the liberal patronage they have given us during our Third Semi-Annual Sale, and in appreciation of same, will make still further reductions for the next 10 days. Note prices below.

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

We will close the remainder of our Ladies' $5.00 Dresses at $2.00
Our Ladies' $3.00 Middy Suits at 1.50
Ladies' Wash Suits at ..... $1.25 & 2.00
50c Corset Covers at 35c
25c " " 17c

SPECIAL LOT OF
Children's Dresses
was $1 and 50c, at Half Price.

Children's 50c Wash Suits at 35c
" 75c " " 50c

ALL OUR LAWNS AT HALF PRICE.

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In our Shoe Department we have the biggest bargains ever offered yet. Every pair of our Ladies' and Children's Slippers, Oxfords and Pumps one-third off.

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Men's 3.50 and 4.00 King Quality Oxfords 2.50
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About 150 pairs of Ladies' Shoes, ranging in price from $2 to $3, including May Fair, at 1.59
$1.50 Children's Marvel Shoes at 98c
1.25 " " " 79c
1.00 " " " 69c
About 100 pairs of Infants' Slippers at ONE-HALF PRICE.

Remaining lot of Men's Straw Hats at HALF PRICE. Come early and get your pick, as they will not last at these prices.

Thanking you again for your liberal patronage, and hoping you will make the next 10 days a time to be remembered, as it will be to our mutual benefit.

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SAYS CAPTAIN OF TITANIC IS ALIVE.

His Former Shipmate Tells Remarkable Story.

GREETED BY COMMANDER.

Peter Pryal Declares He Met Capt. Smith on Baltimore Street and Seaman Tried to Avoid Him—Long Chase Ends at Railway Station, Where He Left for Washington After Greeting His Old Comrade.

The statement that Capt. E. J. Smith, commander of the ill-fated Titanic, was not drowned in the disaster, but was seen safe and sound Friday morning in Baltimore, was made Saturday by a retired mariner, who claims to have been a shipmate of Captain Smith for more than 17 years.

Peter Pryal, of 907 Valley street, Balmore, who was quartermaster on the steamship Majestic, of the White Star Line 30 years ago, when Captain Smith commanded the vessel, made the statement and added that he had not only seen the Captain, but talked with him. Mr. Pryal also said that he saw Captain Smith last Wednesday morning, but was skeptical as to his idenity, and to confirm his belief that the Captain was alive went to the same spot Friday morning only to see the Captain again. So shocked was Mr. Pryal at seeing the man he believed dead that on his return home he suffered a nervous breakdown.

Last Wednesday morning the mariner went to the offices of Dr. Mactier Warfield, 700 North Howard street, for treatment for an internal disorder. He walked from the physician's office to Baltimore and St. Paul's streets, where, he swears, he saw approaching him the commander of the Titanic. Attired in a neat-fitting business suit of a light brown color, straw hat and tan shoes, the man carried two suit cases and was staring straight ahead. Mr. Pryal approached the man and spoke, but received no reply. The man seemed unconscious of his surroundings and continued walking rapidly west out Baltimore street.

"BE GOOD, SHIPMATE!"

Thinking that he was mistaken, Mr. Pryal returned home and told his wife of the occurrence. She told her husband that his imagination had got the best of him. Mr. Pryal, however, determined to visit the same spot the following day.

At 9 o'clock Friday morning he went to Baltimore and St. Paul streets and stood on the corner for almost an hour. Finally, to his astonishment he saw the same man approaching him. Walking up to him, he said:

"Captain Smith, how are you?"

Then, according to Mr. Pryal, the man answered:

"Very well, Pryal, but please don't detain me, I am on business."

Hardly able to stand, so great was his astonishment, Mr. Pryal, without realizing what he was doing, followed the man to St. Paul and Fayette streets. Several times the man turned and when he finally saw Pryal behind him, rushed into the Calvert Building and according to Mr. Pryal, endeavored to lose himself in the crowd. Pryal was behind him, however, and followed him through to the Equitable Building and saw him board a westbound car on Fayette street. His pursuer boarded the same car and saw the man get off at the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Station where he purchased a ticket for Washington. As he passed through the gate to board the car, he turned to Mr. Pryal, smiled and said: "Be good, shipmate, until we meet again."

Mr. Pryal when seen said that he did not expect to be believed when he told of the incident, and added with great earnestness that he was willing to swear to his statement.

"There is no possibility of my being mistaken," he said. "I have known Captain Smith for many years. When he commanded the Majestic, I was his quartermaster, and the White Star Line officials will vouch for this. I entered their employ on the Republic just after Captain Smith was raised to the rank of commander. I would know him even without his beard."

SAYS HE IS SANE.

"After what I have seen, I firmly believe that the Titanic's commander escaped a watery grave and was in some mysterious manner saved and brought to this country. I have told Dr. Warfield of the occurrence and he will testify as to the condition of my brain, for I know that many will think I have gone insane."

Mr. Pryal is one of the oldest mariners of Baltimore city. He has made Baltimore his home for more than fifty years and claims the honor of having sailed on the first steamships that ever plied into the harbor of Baltimore, the Carroll, the Somerset and the Worcester. These boats were afterward made into gunboats to serve during the Civil War.

The mariner is well-known in Northeast Baltimore, although he spends much of his time in his mansion at Govans. Every summer he visits his summer home in Green Spring, Va.

Items From Golts.

Enoch F. Davis, postmaster of Golts, has bought the Jones property now occupied by Shallcross Bros.

Mr. A. T. Sweetman is making a big improvement by building a new porch and whitewashing the house he now occupies.

Mr. J. V. Rolph, of Wilmington, has returned after much enjoyment.

Miss B. B. Wheat and little sister are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Matthews.

Mrs. Elizabeth Siegler and her daughter, Mrs. Rosie Stevens, have gone on a trip to Beach Haven to her daughter's, Mrs. D. B. Howell.

We have a new blacksmith now, Mr. John Heller oc... Matthews shop.

Still Pond Notes.

Miss Laura Norris, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Sallie Norris.

Miss Mary Capps spent a few days in Baltimore the past week.

Miss Jennie Parr and little Miss Margaret Todd, of Galena, are visiting Mr. Wm. Parr.

Mrs. Wm. Krusen and children visited friends in Wilmington.

Miss Agnes Estes, of Chestertown, spent a few days at the home of Mr. Charles Hague.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jewell spent Monday in Baltimore.

Mr. Charles Severson, of Baltimore, visited his father, Mr. James Severson, Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Medders is spending sometime in Virginia.

Miss Percival, of Cape Charles, is spending the summer with Miss Katie Howard.

Mrs. Mary Miller and children, of Baltimore, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett.

It was decided last Sunday morning in the Sunday school to postpone the picnic until next Thursday, Aug. 1st, as there is so much rainy weather They also changed the place and will not have it in the woods but decided on the lawn of the "Rose Dale Farm" where Mr. Eugene Bonwell resides. Now don't forget next Thursday; everyone come out to enjoy themselves.

Messrs. Edward Nugent and Robert Baldwin, of Baltimore, visited the home of Mrs. Sallie Norris Sunday.

Mr. George McGeary, of Philadelphia, visited Mr. Wm. Thompson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansom Crewe, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Warren Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bratten, of Wilmington, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ford.

Mrs. Carlton Thompson and little son, George, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. Wm. Thompson.

Miss Margaret McGeary, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mrs. John Jarvis.

Mr. Norman Thompson is enjoying a vacation spending his time in Baltimore and Pen Mar.

Little Miss Margarita Hackett, of Chestertown, is visiting her cousin, Hilda Jewell.

Kennedyville Items.

On account of frequent rains, no wheat threshing in this community since the middle of last week.

The electric storm Sunday afternoon was accompanied with a good rain and quite a heavy wind for a few minutes, but not near so severe as in other parts of the State, according to reports.

Some few of the farmers are plowing stubble, but report not enough rain yet for sod soil.

Mr. W. A. Pote has had his store and dwelling house nicely painted by Messrs. Lipscomb & Son, of Kennedyville. The same workmen are now spreading a coat of paint on the postoffice building of Mr. Joseph Weer. These improvements add very much to the appearance of our village.

Mr. Paul Boggs, assistant agent of the Pennsylvania R. R., at Eilendale, Del., for the past eight or nine weeks, was at home with his parents from Saturday until Monday. Paul is a good boy, learned telegraphy quickly, and is making the company a good helper.

Mrs. Emma L. Cope, of Sharon Hill, Pa., and Mrs. Mary E. Morley, of Philadelphia, aunts of Mrs. Joseph H. Weer, are guests, since Saturday, of Mr. and Mrs. Weer.

Misses Elizabeth and Elsie Tull, of Brooklyn, N. Y., cousins of Mrs. Mullineaux, and Miss Virginia Snyder, of Baltimore, are visiting at the M. P. parsonange. Miss Snyder will sing in the M. P. Church, both Sunday morning and evening, the 28th.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hague spent Snnday with friends at some distance from our village.

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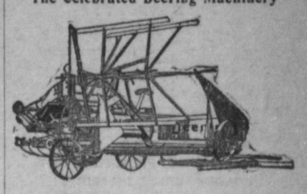
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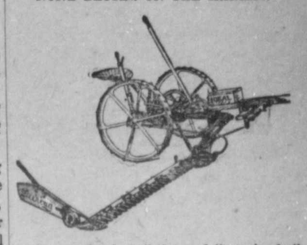
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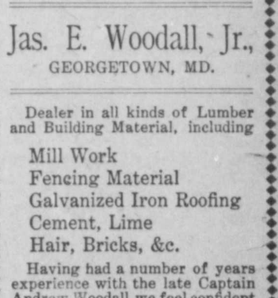
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