H. F. JEFFERSON & BRO.,

THE LADIES' STORE,

Opposite Stam's Hall, CHESTERTOWN, MD.

—TWO BIG WEEKS—

THE FAIR

The Last Week of August.

THE CHAUTAUQUA

The First Week of September.

This is the place for the ladies to do their shopping. Come in the mornings and inspect a line of goods which is unsurpassed in a country town as to quality and assortment.

A visit here will be of advantage to you for two reasons :

1st—You will see some new, stylish Fall Goods.

2nd—All Summer Goods will be sold at Clearance Sale Prices.

The reputation of our store stands behind all merchandise we distribute.

WASH SKIRTS

A lot of Wash Skirts in Linene and Corduroy, values $1.25 to $2.00—Clearance Sale 98c.

The better quality in all pure Linen and Corduroys, values $3 to $4.50—Clearance Sale $2.75.

LOW SHOES

ALL LEATHERS. Ladies' and Children's Shoes at VERY LOW PRICES.

Summer Underwear

Ladies' Gauze Union Suits, $1.25 values for.....$1.00
" " " " 1.50 values for..... 1.25
" " " " .75 values for..... .60

Gauze Vests at SPECIAL PRICES.

LAWNS

Figured Lawns, worth up to 18c, all on sale 5c

VOILES

ALL SHADES, regular 25c value on sale .....19c yard

LINENS

Large assortment of Linens at SPECIAL PRICES!

35c values at.....25c
25c values at.....19c
90c values at.....75c

SPECIAL PRICES ON LINEN TOWELING.

EMBROIDERIES

CLEARENCE SALE PRICES will prevail with all Embroideries, from Flouncings to the Narrow Edge and Insertion.

LACES

A box lot of assorted Laces, from 2-in. to 10-in. wide, values up to 60c yard, on sale 15c yard.

GINGHAMS

Beautiful patterns of Dress Ginghams in remnants, 2 to 10 yds. 12½c value on sale 9½c

TRUNKS AND SUIT CASES

Large Trunks, Steamers, Suit Cases and Bags are here in abundance. You will be pleased with the assortment and the prices.

HATS below cost

Ready-Trimmed Summer Hats are selling below wholesale cost. Look them over. We have plenty of sailors.

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Chestertown, Maryland.

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WEDNESDAY'S RACES.

The races on Wednesday furnished excellent sport, and while they were won in straight heats, each was exciting and hotly contested. Black Wig proved the good thing in the 2.22 trot, while before the race many picked Lit, a Virginia entry, to win. Roan Hal had no trouble to land the 2.19 pace, but the race for the place was a corker. In this race Happy J., ably driven by John Mallalieu, made a most excellent showing, finishing a close second in the last heat in 2.18. David M. took the 2.14 pace in straight heats, but he was driven out in the last heat by Alice M., a Washington mare, in 2.13¼, the fastest mile of the meet. The summary of the races follows :

FIRST RACE—2.22 TROT; PURSE $300.

Black Wig, bk g (Leary)	1	1	1
Lit, b g (Boswell)	2	2	2
Boskl, s g (Miller)	3	3	3
Eva, bk m (Little)	4	4	4
Adbert, b s (Stevens)	6	5	5
Lillian W., b m (Weiss)	5	6	6

Time—2.20¼, 2.21, 2.24.

SECOND RACE—2.19 PACE; PURSE $300.

Roan Hal, r g (Garrett)	1	1	1
Von March, b s (Scott)	2	2	3
Jennie Blue, g m (Miller)	3	3	4
Happy J., bk g (Mallalieu)	4	4	2
Akbare, b g (A. H. Tyson)	5	5	5

Time—2.16¼, 2.16¼, 2.18.

THIRD RACE—2.14 PACE; PURSE $300.

David M., b g (A. H. Tyson)	1	1	1
Alice M., b m, (Miller)	2	2	2
The Kid, b g (Satterfield)	3	3	3
Princess March, s m (Peacock)	4	4	4

Time—2.14, 2.17, 2.13½.

THURSDAY'S EVENTS.

The greatest crowd ever assembled in Chestertown was present on Thursday, the banner day of the fair to see the boat races on Chester river, and to attend the fair. From early morning till afternoon teams and autos poured into town, and hotels, boarding houses and livery stables were taxed to their utmost to accommodate the crowd. Politicians and political candidates were as thick as hail, and they were endeavoring to make votes all day. The crowd was variously estimated at from 6,000 to 10,000 people. There were 4,200 paid admissions at the fair, besides season ticket holders, complimentary, etc. It is safe to say that 6,000 people were in the grounds.

THE BOAT RACES.

Chester bridge and the river front presented a beautiful spectacle on Thursday morning, when thousands of people lined the shores to witness the boat races, which were interesting and splendidly managed. There were four classes and each proved exciting.

The Anna B. Smith policed the course and Judge Thomas D. France gave the signal to turn back. These races were different from any ever held in Maryland waters. They were styled "hang and go back races."

All sorts of speed started in a class. When a pistol was fired all returned to the finish. The starters were :

Class A—Cabin—C. W. Wroth, Cimbium; Thos. Massey, Hubert; Dr. H. C. Hughes, Corrine; F. E. Duyer, Evelyn; Rogers and Mulford, Mary I.; Fred Robinson, Idle Hours; Captain Lambert, Virginia II.

Class B—Canoe—W. S. and R. H. Collins, The Brothers; Mr. Pyle; E. W. Emery, Irma; Richard Collins, Daisy May; Captain Robinson, John Bogle.

Class C—Skiff—E. F. Perkins, Wheeler-Brooks; William B. Usilton, Nellie Bly; Allan Harris, C. C. Jones, George V. Byron and Frank Greenwood.

Class D—Speed Hull—Charles Kibler, Sarah; W. E. Moody, Erd; W. T. Duyer and Professor Micou.

Class A—Winner, Thomas Massey; second, Hynson Rogers.

Class B—All boats disqualified because of fouls.

Class C—George V. Byron, first; Frank Greenwood, second.

Class D—William Duyer, first; Professor J. R. Micou, second.

After the races a luncheon and reception was held at the home of Capt. Edward W. Emory. The entertaining committee was: Thomas W. Perkins, Thomas Massey, Philip Brooks, Will Moody, Will Duyer, W. B. Usilton, Jr., R. H. Collins, Frank Duyer and Allan A. Harris. Prizes :

Class A—A battery.
Class B—Anchor and Cable.
Class C—Set life-preservers and cushions.
Class D—Two hose brass bilge pumps.

The decorating committee was: Jack Duyer, Charles Kibler, Jr., and Kent Lambert; scow committee, Frank Duyer; Thomas Wroth and R. H. Collins; music committee, Eben F. Perkins, Fred Robinson and Arthur Bacon; judges, Capt. T. D. France, Curtis Crane, Prof. J. S. W. Jones and Major John K. Cree.

THE RACES.

The great feature of the races on Thursday was the remarkable performance of Joe Boy, that grand son of Millerton, driven by Dan Leary, of West Chester. Joe Boy hrd pushed by Powell Peacock's fine mare Barnetta B. from Middletown, paced the first and second miles in the free-for-all race in the remarkable time of 2 10½, lowering the track record of 2.12 made by Belton K. at the Fourth of July matinee, and establishing the record over any half mile track on the Eastern Shore. Joy Boy is a bad scorer, but he is as fast as lightning, and has a record of 2.08¼ over a half mile track. The 2.17 pace was hotly contested, it being nip and tuck between Mary Ellen, St. Elmo and Flossie W., with the former winning first place and Flossie W. being given the place after a brusing race. The 2.29 trot was won in straight heats by Orrington, a Baltimore entry, which was sold at public auction after the race to Mr. Wilmer Gale, of Baltimore, for $225. The summary of the races is as follows:

FIRST RACE—2.29 TROT; PURSE $300.

Orrington, b s (Welsh)	1	1	1
Lady Tine, bk m (Hartzell)	5	2	2
Mackinaw, b g (H. Tyson)	4	3	3
Overland, br g (Perdew)	2	4	4
Uleen, b g (Smith)	5	5	5

Time—2.26¼, 2.23¼, 2.21¼.

SECOND RACE—2.17 PACE; PURSE $300.

Mary Ellen, b m (Miller)	1	1	1
Flossie W., b m (Johnson)	3	2	2
St. Elmo, b g (Satterfield)	2	3	3
Queen Marie, b m (Saunders)	4	4	4

Time—2.16¼, 2.17, 2.15¼.

In this race, Miller, driver of Mary Ellen, was fined $10 by the judges for helping Flossie W. to win the place.

THIRD RACE—FREE FOR ALL; PURSE $300.

Joe Boy, bk g (Leary)	1	1	1
Barnetta B., b m (Peacock)	3	3	2
Alice M., b m (Miller)	2	2	3

Time—2.10¼, 2.10¼, 2.15.

FRIDAY'S RACES.

There was a fine attendance at the races yesterday, and possibly the best sport of the week was enjoyed. The special race for Kent and Queen Annes horses attracted much attention, and at the hour of going to press, they were having an exciting time. We shall publish the summnry of these races next week.

The management announced from the stand on Thursday evening that there will be two stake races arranged for next year for purses of $500 or better.

The officials of the course, each of whom gave complete satisfaction, were: Starter, E. Lee LeCompte, of Cambridge; judges, James Merrick, Jr., W. F. Watson and W. E. Bramble; timers, John Brice, Oscar Roe and Wm. Holton; clerk of the course, Conlyn Noland; distance judge, George Bell.

School Notes.

Prof. James M. Cain, son of President and Mrs. James W. Cain, has been elected principal of the High School at Vienna.

Prof. Arthur Greenwood has resigned the principalship of Galena school to accept the appointment of Superintendent of Manual Training in the Salisbury High School.

Teachers' Institute begins on Monday and the school bells of the county wil ring out on Monday, September 15th.

Wm. Medders & Co.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO TELEPHONE ORDERS

Wm. Medders & Co.

Household Goods

Many things can be bought here at a saving.

Bissell's Cyco-bearing, $3.00 Carpet Sweepers on sale at $2.50.

Every Bissell Sweeper is guaranteed or money back.

New Couch Covers

Rich assortment and in the new weaves & colorings. Prices $1.25, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50 up.

Tapestry Table Covers.

All new stock just in. Prices $1.25, $1.50, $2 50 and $3.50.

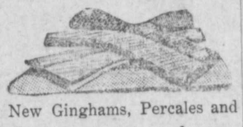
Bed Blankets

A SPECIALTY.

We shall offer the best line of Bed Coverings in the county and at prices to encourage your visits.
$5.00 Wool 11-4 Blankets $3.90.
3.50 Wool 11-4 Blankets $2.90.
2.50 Large 11-4 Blankets $1.98.
2.00 Large Bed Blankets $1.50.

Our line of Blankets begin at 98c and run to $7.50 pair.

For 10c Yard



New Ginghams, Percales and Outings, worth 12½c and more, choice of entire lot, yard 10c.

Best Androscoggin Muslin

Good wide, fine bleached and standard quality, only 7½c.

Good Sheeting 19c.

Good 25c Sheeting in the 9-4 bleached, per yd. only 19c.

5c Toweling 3½c

Good Bleached Cotton Toweling on sale 3½c.

10c Crash 7½c.

Good heavy 10c Crash now on sale at 7½c.

15c Pillow Cases, 10c

All Hemmed and of Fine Muslin, full size Pillow Cases, extra value, 10c.

60c Bed Sheets, 39c

Made of Good Muslin and nicely hemmed, sale 39c.

$1 Bed Sheets, 69c

Best New York Mill Sheets, extra large and fine quality, sale 69c.

Good Suit Cases

We make sale on a lot of good Traveling Cases at $2.50, $3.50, $4.50. Cheaper Cases at $1.50 and $1.98.

Strong Made Trunks

All Iron Bound and Braced and with good, strong leather straps. Prices $4.50, $4.90, $5.90.

Cheaper Trunks at $2.75, $3.75.

Next Wednesday

SALE ON

MASON'S FRUIT JARS

HALF DOZEN 9c HALF DOZEN

On next Wednesday we will have on sale Mason's Best Glass Jars in Quarts, complete with Tops and Rubbers—half dozen for only 9c.

Now is just the season for fruit jars, and you will be pleased with these good jars—and you take half dozen for 9c.

Only one lot to a customer, same as heretofore, and price will be only 9c.

Don't overlook this sale.

Our 5c and 10c Department is full of good bargains

Galv. Buckets, 10c

Full 10-Quart 20c Goood Galvanized Buckets on sale at 10c.

Tin Dish Pans 10c

14-Quart Seamless Tin Dish Pans are on sal , 10c.

2-Quart Buckets, 5c

10c Tin Bukets for 5c.

Drip Pans, 10c

Good 25c Iron Drip Pans, assorted sizes, made strong and heavy, on sale 10c.

Menis Fruit Press, 10c

The 20c Genuine Henis Fruit Press on sale at 10c.

Good Hammers

20c Claw Hammers.....10c
10c Claw Hammers..... 5c

Preserve Kett les, 10c

Good 5-Quart 25c Agate Preserve Kettles for only 10c.

Berry Bowls, 10c

Large 20c Glass Bowls, now 16c.

6-Quart Dairy Pans, 5c

10c Deep Pudding P ans, 5c.

New Fall Shoes!

SHOES of standard value and known quality. "Our guarantee is a new pair if they go bad."

New Fall Styles

DOLLY MADISON SHOES.

A new shoe made for style, comfort and service, called the "Glove-like, Perfect Fitting." It is made neat and snappy, in both Button and Blucher.

Prices $3.00 and $3.50.

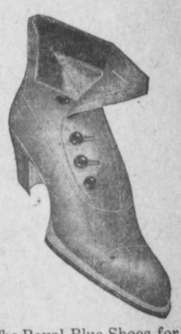
The Comfort Shoe

FOR LADIES.

Perfect fitting with cushion inner sole and rubber heel, made for real comfort and a rest to the feet. Made with plain toe, tip of same and patent tip, in button and lace.

Price only $2.25.

New Fall Styles



The Royal Blue Shoes for Men, new and snappy styles, perfect fit, and above all, each and every pair is guaranteed for servic and satisfaction.

Prices $3.50 and $4.00.

Wear the "Selz."

GUARANTED SHOES.

Selz "Royal Blue" Shoes—We sell the Selz "Royal Blue" Shoes for men. The best shoe known for wear and comfort. The "Foot-Form" Shoes, one price to everybody, $3.75.

"Men's Wear-Well" SHOES

Guaranteed for service, $2.50

Good Shoes in the Close-out Sale at $1.98

Men's Good Oxfords and Summer Shoes, $2.50 and $3.00, all n the close-out sale at $1.98.

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