WHY

SHOULD YOU BUY YOU
WEAR FROM US?

FOR QUALITY

We sell only shoes made o
est materials that can be p
them at the price, because we w
you to come again.

FOR STYLE

We keep our line modern and up-to-date. All the new things when they are new.

FOR COMFORT

e large assortment of different shape shoes make your selection.

t a pair of our Good Shoes on you to-day.

JONES—THE SHOE MAN,

PHONE 222—2,

RTOWN, MARYLAND.



Our Own Guarantee

is added to the manufacturer's when you buy a Simmons Chain. Whatever pattern you choose—to please your individual taste—the style is sure to be correct.

The Simmons goods for 40 years have had the reputation of always being in good taste.

SIMMONS CHAINS

are noted for their wearing qualities as well as for their exquisite design and finish. They are not washed or plated goods—the surface of each chain is a heavy rolled tube of *solid gold*.

Come in and see our new assortment of handsome Spring styles.

PHONE 98-11.

Rote's Jewelry Store

Chestertown, Md.

orton Merchandise Store

WM. M. HADAWAY, Proprietor.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING

and I am prepared to handle your CHRISTMAS TRADE.

Raisins, Currants, Citron, Figs, Candies, Nuts, Oranges, Lemons, and almost everything you want.

Thanking you for your past patronage and hoping to have more, I am yours very truly,

WM. M. HADAWAY, Prop.

SALE OF USED PIANOS



I have a number of PIANOS that have been rented out for the summer which I will sell at a BIG REDUCTION.

These Pianos are as good as new, and can be bought on easy terms. $10.00 down and $1.25 per week.

Write for Free Catalogue.

NEWNAM'S MUSIC STORE,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Phone No. 2

Dr. H. [illegible] HUGHES, Dentist

Local anaesthetics used in extracting. Crown and Bridge Work. Special attention given to children's teeth.

OLD TRANSCRIPT BUILDING, Maryland

CHESTERTOWN.

FOR RE[illegible]

[illegible] for rent for 1914, situated near [illegible] Station. For particulars apply to

JOHN A. DWYER,

Phone 302—23, Worton, Md., R. R. No. 3

WANTED [illegible] Young Turkeys, A[illegible] Dressed.

Fat Young Turkeys, either alive or dry picked each week all through the season, for which I will pay HIGHEST CASH PRICES.

Remember in selling to me you have no freight, no commission, no loss in weight and no risks.

A. H. COVEY, Pomona, Md.

n22-tf.

LOCAL MATTERS

Grange Meeting.—There will be an important meeting of the Chestertown Grange in its hall next Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Change in Business.—There will be a change in the business management of the firm of Graham & Clements on and after January 1, 1914. This change will not affect the automobile business. Mr. Clements will retire from the hardware business only. Full particulars of the change may be given next week.

Crowded Out Again.—Much valuable reading matter has been crowded out of this issue because of a rush of new ads. We have also been obliged to omit our communications and several columns of standing advs. to accommodate the rush. Read the Christmas suggestions in our advs. this week, and be sure to watch the TRANSCRIPT advs. from now until Christmas.

To Incorporate Ice Plant.—Mr. Robt. G. Nicholson, proprietor of the Chestertown Ice Plant is preparing to incorporate the business, with the privilege of adding other industries. The corporation will be financed by local capital exclusively. The purpose of the incorporation is to improve the facilities for manufacturing ice on a large scale, and also to engage in other kindred industries.

A Newspaper Yarn.—The article published in the TRANSCRIPT last week at the request of Mr. J. M. Severson relative to the horrible death of his nephew, who was reported to have been caught in his own bear trap in the wilds of Colorado and torn to pieces by wild beasts, is only a newspaper yarn. Mr. Severson informed us this week that a sister had received a letter from Mr. Severson from the far west last week stating that he is well and enjoying life. Mr. Severson handed us the clipping which appeared in the Philadelphia Record. The friends of Mr. Severson will be delighted to know that he is alive and well.

Fine Herd of Cattle.—Mr. H. Stockton Startt, of the stock dealing firm of J. Walter Skirven & Co., recently purchased the entire herd of fine Guernsey dairy cattle from the Sharpless Dairy Farm, of West Chester, Pa. There were 19 fine cows, 1 bull and 5 calves. The herd reached town by train last Saturday. Mr. Startt has sold the entire herd to Mrs. Costelle, of Worton Manor Beach, who will use them for dairy purposes. Every animal was thoroughly tuberculosis tested by Dr. Oat, which test was passed by the Live Stock Sanitary Board of Pennsylvania. The herd will be a valuable addition to the county's already fine showing in dairy cattle.

A Tribute to a Brave Son.—The TRANSCRIPT has just issued from its job presses a neat pamphlet for Rev. Milnor Jones descriptive of the heroic and valorous deeds of his distinguished son, Sergeant Clem Jones, who was in command of a Tennessee regiment in the war in the Philippines. The pamphlet contains extracts from newspapers and magizines, as well as appropriate poems descriptive of the heroism of Sergeant Jones in capturing a Filipino flag that had been ruthlessly placed upon an American rampart, as well as other deeds which stamped Serg. Jones as one of the bravest soldier lads that ever fought for the American flag. Serg. Jones is now a distinguished judge of Anderson county, Tennessee, and is held in the highest regard by the people of that State. The pamphlet is a worthy tribute of a father to a brave son, and also has some interesting epitaphs taken from old tombstones in Chester cemetery. The title of the pamphlet is "The Hero of Iloilo."

Election of Officers.—Chestertown Camp, No. 8745, Modern Woodmen of America, will hold its annual election of officers on Friday, Dec. 12th. Other business of importance will be acted upon that evening. Alfred J. Searle, of Paterson, N. J., who has been recently appointed District Deputy in this jurisdiction, will be present at the meeting. Other "Grand Lodge" officers are expected to be present. All members are earnestly requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Walbert Entertain.—A large number of friends were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walbert Saturday evening, Nov. 29th, near Pomona, in honor of their youngest daughter, Miss Rose V. Walbert. The room was beautifully decorated, the colors shown being green and white. Miss Rose received many nice and useful presents. Musical selections were rendered by Misses Alice Wood, Nettie Maslin, Beulah Walbert, Prof. Jones, Messrs. Fred and Fay Davis. All seemed to have a good time.

Mrs. Susie Clayton Asks Divorce.—Alleging that her husband, Edward C. Clayton, of Rock Hall, deserted her 11 months after their marriage, February 20, 1879, Mrs. Susie Clayton, by her attorneys, Cadwalader & Whitman, filed a bill on Monday in the Circuit Court at Towson asking for an absolute divorce and alimony both pending suit and permanent. She asks that an injunction be issued restraining her husband from disposing of an interest he had in the estate of his uncle, the late Samuel S. Clayton, said to be valued at $140,000. Judge Duncan signed an order compelling Mr. Clayton to show cause on or before December 15 why the prayers in the bill should not be granted and allowing Mrs. Clayton $5 counsel fee and $8 a month alimony pending the suit unless cause to the contrary be shown.

Corner Stone Laid.—Sunday proved to be the red-letter day of the Methodist church in Betterton. The church had been tastefully trimmed with Boston ferns and carnations by the 4th vice-president of the Epworth League and her sub-committee. The choir, with Mr. Young as director, Mrs. Charles Brice at the organ accompanied by Mrs. Jones, violin, and Mr. Charles Gooding, cornet, was at its best. The church was crowded at both services. In the morning Dr. Barrett, of Chestertown, delivered an inspiring sermon on "Truth and Its Foundations." At 2.30 the congregation again assembled at the church, when the history of the church was read by Mr. Reese Young, after which the entire congregation marched in a body to the site of the new edifice, and the corner stone was laid. The collections of the day were most successful, $1,970 having been raised, making a total of $5,500 in cash and subscriptions.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The National Grange will meet next year in Wilmington, Del.

December 5th—Man on the streets in his shirt sleeves wearing a straw hat.

H. Sachs & Son, will carry a full line of all kinds of toys for Christmas.

Christmas is just three weeks from last Thursday. Do your shopping at home and do it early.

It is said that the first three days of December rule the winter. If so, the coal man will suffer.

Farmers who serve butter routes in town have increased the price of butter from 35 to 40 cents per pound.

Mr. A. L. Sparks' big new glass storm doors in front of his department store are quite attractive.

A thief stole 27 fine turkeys from Mr. Herman Bramble, near Lankford, last Sunday.

Mr. A. J. Hackett, Jr., the expert horseshoer will please accept our thanks for an attractive 1914 calendar.

Jeweler Harry B. Rote, sent a wedding present purchased at his store, to California this week.

M. A. Toulson's fine display of mechanical toys in his big display window, is attracting the attention of little folks.

Peter Jones, colored, for years a trusted and respected employe of the hardware firm of J. K. Aldridge & Co., died on Monday.

Miss Mary Knight held the successful number that drew the ton of coal offered by the Daughters of America recently. She held the lucky 13.

The basket ball season opened at Washington College last night with a game between Washington and Wilmington Conference Academy fives.

Mr. Lowener, manager of the local gas plant, has been attending the National Commercial Gas Association exhibit in Philadelphia this week.

A. S. Turner, the hustling Worton grain buyer, has been buying great quantities of good, cool, sweet yellow corn at 67 cents per bushel this week.

Mr. T. E. W. Crew, of near Lankford, has lost two valuable horses during the week, and has three others that are sick.

A party of gunners from town killed 32 rabbits on a Chestertown gentleman's farm in Queen Annnes on Wednesday.

To-day is the 6th of December, and yet there are some beautiful roses in bloom in many of the pretty flower yards in the town, and several of our shade trees have put out new leaves.

Mr. John H. Moffett's fine Rhode Island Red cockerel took first prize in a large class of fine birds at the big Wilmington poultry show this week. Hurrah! for Kent and John Moffett.

Another young man fell down his cellar steps last Sunday morning, and still another had a collison with a door in his home. Something wrong somewhere, boys, as sure as you live.

Bowen, the star of Washington College foot-ball squad, has been honored with a position on the All State team picked by the sporting editor of the Baltimore American.

There seems to be an epidemic of sore throat in Chestertown. Quite a number of the smaller school children are affected, as well as many of our older folks. It is a form of tonsilitis.

Night Officer Beverly Hyland and Deputy Fred Robinson made a raid on the crap shooters Saturday night in Prospect street, Chestertown at 10.30 P. M. and coralled six. They were all fined.

Mr. Thomas J. Marsden, who is employed on one of Capt. James E. Woodall's boats plying between Georgetown and Baltimore, suffered a severe stroke of paralysis last week, and is in a critical condition at the Marine Hospital, Baltimore.

There was an interesting spelling bee at the High School on Thursday evening in the grades from the 7th to the 11th. 658 words were given and 60 pupils spelled every word correctly. Yesterday afternoon from 1.15 to 2.30 the first three grades spelled and from 2.30 to 3.45 P. M. the 4, 5 and 6th grades spelled. Some fine spellers in the school.

Mr. Charles W. Kibler, Jr., has taken the agency for the Paige automobile and received a "sample" car on Monday. It is one of the best cars on the market for the money, and is equipped with all modern appliances. Mr. Kibler has several good "prospects."

Mr. F. Stanley Porter, graduate of Washington College, who holds a position with the Maryland Casualty Company, of Baltimore, has removed to New Orleans, La., where he has accepted a position with the same company.

This year's crop of potatoes in this country is reported by the Department of Agriculture at Washington to be 100,000,000 bushels short, and yet the growers of early potatoes in this county realized scarcely enough money out of their crops to pay expenses of growing.

Next special meeting of the Fairlee Grange will be held Friday afternoon, Dec. 19th, at 4 o'clock. It will be a children's meeting, and there will be a Christmas treat, with a big tree and all accessories. Old Kris will appear after supper, which will consist of sandwiches, coffee, etc.

Mr. Arthur Pope, formerly blacksmith for Davis & Satterfield, now employed in Wilmington, Del., in a machine shop, got his right hand caught in the cog wheels of the machine he was working one day last week, and tore off the third finger entirely and mashed the middle finger very badly. Mr. Pope's many friends here regret to hear of his misfortune.

The International Tailoring Company has furnished its representative here, Mr. W. E. Moody, a handsome brass sign. The sign is thoroughly in keeping with the quality and finish of the clothes made by this company with a world-wide reputation, and no one will have any difficulty in finding Mr. Moody's place of business.

Sig. C. Golberbine, who is temporarily sojourning in Chestertown, and who has an excellent voice is appearing at the Lyceum Theater three times a week. The theatre was packed Saturday night to hear him. Sig. Golberbine has a good bass voice which was trained in Naples, and he sings selections from grand opera.

The Chestertown High School basket ball team, composed of Messrs. Bartley, Townshend, Brown, Usilton, Rouse and Ford, who a couple of weeks ago so easily defeated the Washington College Independents, were taken into camp Thanksgiving day, by a team composed of Washington College players to the tune of 16 to 6.

You know, our city cousins, call us residents over here on the Eastern Shore "Hayseeds". But a poor innocent little guinea, that had escaped from a coop and was flying around the streets, and alighting upon window sills, created more excitement there on Wednesday than a Barnum & Bailey's circus' parade would create in any big town on the Sho'.

Owing to the illness of Ora Gray, the noted lecturer, who was to have given a lecture in the Lyceum Theatre on Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Federated Club, Dr. Seasholes appeared as a substitute and delivered a most timely lecture on the subject "Is Life Worth Living." The lecture was like a good tonic, and really made everyone feel that life is truly worth living.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has not yet decided to place new lights at the depot. They are giving the TRANSCRIPT'S request serious consideration, but are undecided as to whether to use gas or electric lights. The new lighting fixtures which some one saw at the depot the other day were Acetelyne gas fixtures for private parties. We are confident, however, that the company will improve its lighting system at the depot.

The Betterton Musical and Literary Club met at the home of Mrs. George Jones, Friday evening, Nov. 23, twenty members being present. After the regular business meeting, the entertaining committee proceeded with the entertainment as follows: Soolo, Mrs. John H. Gooding; violin solo, Mrs. George Jones; reading, Mrs. J. Jester; duet, Marie Brice and Mr. Raymond Herbert; instrumental solo, Mrs. Charles Brice; music, Miss Ethel Ferguson and Mr. Harry Ferguson. Refreshments were then served after which everyone indulged in various games until a late hour, when all departed to their homes.

Mr. Paul Wilkinson, a star of last year's Washington College foot ball squad, and one of the main stays of this year's Johns Hopkins team, has been elected captain of the Hopkins team for next year, an honor which Mr. Wilkinson will wear with dignity. Mr. Wilkinson spent the week-end with friends here.

The supper given by the Dorcas Society of Emmanuel P. E. Church in the Parish House was largely attended, and the supper was excellent. "The bill of fare" consisted of roast pig, fried oysters ham, chicken and potato salad, jellies, pickles, celery, hot rolls, Maryland biscuit, coffee, chocolate, etc., and was splendidly served. The doll fair, fancy table, cake and candy booths were very attractive, and a large sum was realized.

General Hamilton, colored, was arrested by Sheriff McKee on Saturday, charged with shooting and killing two fine purebred Rhode Island Red cockerals belonging to Mr. Lewin U. Skirven, near town. Hamilton had been rabbit hunting, and seeing the two roosters feeding in the Main road in front of Mr. Skirven's gate, he killed them, put them in his bag, and started for town. Mr. Skirven saw the man shoot the chickens, and he hurried to town, got the Sheriff, and they met Hamilton on the road. He was placed under arrest, and Mr. Skirven recovered his chickens. Hamilton is in jail for the action of the grand jury. We understand that this is not Hamilton's first offense at chicken stealing. He has a dog that knows almost as well how to steal chickens as his master.

SOCIAL WORLD.

Other personals on page 2.

Mr. Wm. M. Clendaniel is lying desperately ill at his home near Kennedyville.

Mrs. Fred Silvester, of Hillsboro, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Jefferson, during the week.

Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard, wife and daughter, Miss Miriam, attended the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Noyes in Washington, D. C., on Tuesday.

Our Merchants' Interest.

TO THE LADIES.—An unusually large assortment of gifts for the Man or Boy is to be found at the Men's Store, Bordley & Sons, and they urge all the ladies with husbands, brothers, fathers, uncles, nephews or sweet-hearts to call and see the beautiful gifts they are showing in their window for the Holidays. A pleasing feature about their plan is that any gift made before Xmas can be exchanged after the Holidays until the giver and recipient are both pleased. Call and see this immense selection.

As will be seen by advertisement on front page of this paper, the Tolchester Company will run two special excursions fron Tolchester to Baltimore, Saturday Dec. 13 and 20.

Graham & Clements begin a big dissolution sale this week. They have some of the best sellers in their big stock offered at "knocked down" prices. See their adv. on page 5, and you can get an idea of what their sale means to the general public.

The progressive firm of Brown Bros., clothing and furnishings, is specializing to-day on a new lot of full length, shawl collar overcoats in Worombo, French, Mensterworth Meltons at $10. And let us say that s suit of K[illegible]heimer clothes, which the firm ca[illegible] in rich assortment, will make a [illegible] acceptable Christmas present.

The beautiful sturdy new 1914 Kr[illegible] passenger touring car, with all the up-to-date features of the high price cars, will arrive in Chestertown very shortly and the innovation of this already popular car, will be a very agreeable surprise to all prospective buyers. Don't make a mistake. Wait and see it and hear the price.

A. W. Carmine—Toys and fancy glassware headquarters. Watch for his toy adv. next week.

Free! Free!

A $400 PIANO

to be given away absolutely Free. Get your votes here!

Double Votes on every Pair Men's and Boys' Shoes.

3 votes for 1 on every Pair Women's and Misses Shoes.

3 votes for 1 on every Order for Suits, Overcoats or Trousers.



"It's A Pleasure

[illegible]ton

[illegible]ORITY STYLES

[illegible]00 to $6.00

brisk walk to work in [illegible]e exhilarating air of early [illegible]all and you reach your [illegible]ffice feeling "fit."

[illegible]ou forget about your feet you wear Ralstons for [illegible]y do not bind or pinch [illegible]ecause they're *foot moulded* [illegible]wear them.

decidedly to-day's but never out of date to-morrow.

Have Your Christmas Togs

made to your individual measure. They don't cost any more than hand-me-downs. This is the only way to get a suit to fit and please you in every way, and Fit is 75 per cent. of fashion.

Suits Made-to-Measure	$13.50 up
Overcoats Made-to-Measure	13.50 up
Trousers Made-to-Measure	4.00 up

3 votes for 1

on all Underwear and Sweaters

Better get in the game.

[illegible]NT & NEWSOME

[illegible]t Outfitters, Chestertown, Md.

DISSOLUTION SALE

Owing to the dissolution of the firm, we wish to reduce our stock before transfering same to new firm. We offer the following special prices for cash only.

70-bu. Success Manure Spreader	$ 95.00
$ 65.00 Oliver Gang Plow	50.00
75.00 Farm Wagon	65.00
80.00 Farm Wagon	70.00
135.00 Brockway Carriage	105.00
100.00 Carriage	80.00
85.00 Carriage	65.00
60.00 Runabout	48.50
40.00 Runabout	32.00
20.00 Set Carriage Harness	16.50
18.00 Set Carriage Harness	15.00
14.00 Set Carriage Harness	11.00
12.50 Set Carriage Harness	10.00
10.00 Set Carriage Harness	8.00

A Discount of 10 per cent. allowed on all Stoves.

10-ga. Smokeless Powder Gun Shells, box	66c
10-ga. Black Powder Gun Shells, box	51c
12-ga. Leader Gun Shells, box	65c
12-ga. Smokeless Powder Gun Shells, box	57c
12-ga. Black Powder Gun Shells, box	41c & 46c

Wilbur's, International, German, Petty's and other Stock Foods:

$3.50 Buckets	$2.00	50c Packages	33c
1.00 Packages	60c	25c Packages	16c

All other Remedies reduced accordingly.

Also a general discount of 15 per cent. on any article in stock.

GRAHAM & CLEMENTS, Chestertown, Md.

N. B.—Above prices offered for cash only.

Steam Heating. Sewer Drainage.

Gas and Electric Fixtures.

Hot Water Heating. Bath Rooms Remodeled.

C, Kent Lambert,

SANITARY PLUMBER,

Chestertown, Md.

VENTIL[illegible]ORK, TIN ROOFING, SPOUTING,

[illegible]NG, STOVE WORK.

[illegible]lass Work at Moderate Prices.

©Maryland State Archives msa_sc3326_scm8217-0869