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The radical change in styles makes it absolutely necessary that you be correctly corseted before being fitted to Spring dress. Corsets of the most supple nature, made with straight back, slightly curved and unrestrained waists. Low busts and long hips are the most approved. Price **$1.00** to **$3.00.** Sizes 18 to 36.

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Colored Dresses.....50c, $1.00, $1.50
White Dresses.....**$1.00. $1.50** to **$3.00**

FASHION favors novelties in accessories. Silk Gloves, Silk Hose, in all shades to match silk dresses; Veils, Neckwear and Pretty Ribbons await your inspection here.

MEN'S AND BOYS' SPRING SUITS NOW READY



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We stand ready to guarantee every Boys' Suit we sell as to its wearing qualities.

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The most approved styles in Men's Suits, Hats, Furnishings and Shoes Easter wear awaits your inspection in our Men's Department.



Men's Fine Worsted Suits in the very latest of fashion at **$8.00, $10.00, $12.00 & $15.00** are wonderful values.

Men's Fine Tall Crown Hats—**$1.00 to $2.50.**

Men's Dress Shoes, the newest Englishes—**$2 to $4.**

Men's Silk Hose—**15c to 50c.**

THE HUB, ::: MILLINGTON, MD.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr. Samuel Armstrong, of Philadelphia, has been visiting his parents here during the week.

Mrs. Louis J. Thibodeau, of Waterbury, Conn., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bates Russell. Prof. Thibodeau will join his wife for the Easter holidays.

Miss Holdson has returned to Jefferson Bros.' millinery department, and her many friends are glad to see her again.

Mr. George Brice, of Peapack, N. J., is a guest of his family near Lankford.

Mr. Wilmer Coleman, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Coleman.

Mrs. William Peacock and two sons, Masters William and Joseph, of near Massey, spent several days last and this week guests of her aunt, Mrs. Frank E. Duyer, on Queen street.

Mrs. Ferguson, of Baltimore, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Barrett.

Messrs. Charles and Owen Smith made an automobile trip to Easton Sunday.

Mr. William Elliott, one of Chestertown's "grand old men," observed his 83rd birthday Monday. May he have many more.

Misses Mollie O'Connor and Helen Wagner, Mr. A. L. Sparks' popular milliners, have returned with a full and complete line of millinery and they are already to talk Easter hats.

Mrs. Ora E. Senger and her charming litte daughter, Miss Hilda A., of Baltimore, recently visited the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Whaland, at Rock Hall. Since Mrs. Senger's marrirge she has traveled extensively, and it is delightfult o her many friends at Rock Hall, to listen to her graphical description of the many beautiful places she has vistited.

Dr. H. Benge Simmons is spending two weeks with Mr. Walter T. Jackson and family in Florida, inspecting a profitable business in which he and Mr. Jackson are partners.

We are glad to state that the sick of the community are very much improved.

Increase in Freight Rates.

Farmers of the Maryland-Delaware peninsula are complaining about the excessive rates charged by the Pennsylvania Railroad company on shipments of live stock from points on the peninsula to Philadelphia. The rate charged on calves has been increased from 33 cents to 54 cents from Middletown, Del. The rate for a stock car from Middletown to Philadelphia was $24; now it is $34, and a fee of $2.50 is tacked on to this for cleaning and disinfecting the car since the rigid quarantine laws have been in force. These increases are about 63 and 43 per cent. respectively, and many farmers complain that they are unjust.

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Athletics in Kent Schools.

In accordance with plans formed last year, when the State Legislature made an appropriation for conducting the work, letters were sent to every school in Kent county through School Examiner J. L. Smyth last week notifying the terchers that the Public Athletic League of Baltimore was ready to superintend athletics in the various institutes of learning. The letter explained the details of the plan for promoting healthful sports in school, and also prescribed initiatory tests for athletes.

The letter was from William Burdick, director of athletics in Baltimore, and was to the effect that state officials regarded clean, healthful sports necessary to insure the health of pupils, as well as to increase the vitality of their minds.

The plan of the State League is to have the various schools hold athletic meets. The winners of these meets are then eligible to appear in the county meet, and the winners of the county meet are entitled to appear in the State-wide contests held in Baltimore.

The boys will be divided into classes in accordance with their weights and ages. Following are the events selected by the State Athletic Commission in which pupils may participate:

80 pound class—20 yard dash standing broad jump, base ball throw for distance, 440 yard relay race, 4 boys.

95 pound class—60 yard dash, two standing broad jumps, base ball throw for distance, 440 yard relay race, 4 boys.

125 pound class—70 yard dash, running broad jump, base ball throw for distance, 660 yard relay race, 4 boys.

Junior Unlimited class—80 yard dash, 220 yard dash, running high jump, 8 pound shot put, 880 yard relay race, 4 boys.

Senior Unlimited Class—100 yard dash, 440 yard run, 880 yard run, running broad jump, running high jump, 12 pound shot put, one mile relay, 4 boys.

For the purpose of getting boys interested in sports, the Maryland Commission has offered badges for those qualifying in the three departments selected. In the letter to the teachers, the bulletin states:

The Public Athletic League of Baltimore has adopted the following standards which every boy ought to be able to attain.

First test for Bronze Badge:
Pull up (chinning).....4 times.
Standing Broad Jump.....2ft. 9 in.
50 Yard Dash.....9 seconds

No age or even weight limit in fixed; any boy may enter any test at any time the teacher is willing to act as judge.

These tests are simple, consist of events which are interesting and are generally acceptable. The tests require only simple apparatus and a comparatively small space. They can be conducted in a short period of time even with a considerable number of boys, and the measure of each boy's performance can be accurately determined.

The following general rules shall govern the final competition: No boy is permitted to receive more than one badge for any grade in any one year.

It is necessary to qualify in all three events in any one class in order to win a badge.

There shall be but one trial in chinning, one in the dashes, and three in the jumps.

OUR DEATH RECORD.

MRS. MARY C. McCLAIN.

Mrs. Mary C. McClain died at her home, near Church Hill, on Saturday morning, February 27th, after a short illness of pneumonia, aged 38 years. She was the wife of Mr. Charles H. McClain, and the daughter of the late Jacob Kendall, of Rock Hall, formerly of Queen Annes county. Funeral service was held on Monday, March 1, at 10 A. M., at the Holy Family Church, Church Hill, Rev. C. P. McGoldrick officiating. Interment in Still Pond cemetery. The deceased is survived by her husband and nine children, the youngest being but one month old. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Samuel Magrogan, Joseph Magrogan, Robert Magrogan, John Maloey, Michael Maloey and Charles McKee. The deeeased was a niece of Mr. Daniel McKee, of this town.

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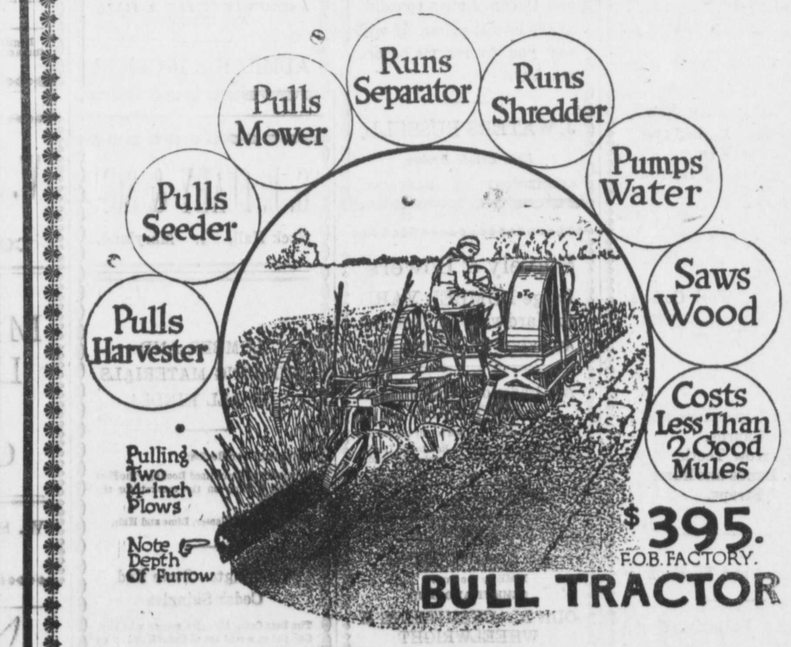
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$12.50 Suit, Men's.....$8.50
$9.00 Suit, Men's..... 6.50
8.00 Suit, Men's..... 5.00
12.00 Overcoats..... 8.50
10.00 Overcoats..... 6.75
Boys' Suits up to $5.00, now..... 2.50
$15.00 Ladies' Suits..... 7.50
8.00 Ladies' Suits..... 5.00
10.00 Coats now..... 6.75
5.00 Coats..... 2.75
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$2.50 Corduroy Pants (Sweet Orr)..... 1.75
2.00 Kersey Pants..... 1.45
2.00 Men's Pants (large size), now..... 1.00
50c Men's Underwear..... 55c
50c Ladies' Underwear..... 35c
50c Hoods..... 35c
$3.50 Bed Blankets..... 2.50
3.00 Bed Blankets..... 2.25
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Ladies' House Dresses

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10c and 12½c Dress Gingham	8¼c	15c India Linen	10c yd
Hill and Androscoggin Muslin	7½c	50c Corsets	25c pair
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