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TOLCHESTER AUTOMOBILE SCHEDULE!

Beginning Aug. 23, 1915, we will leave Chestertown for Tolchester at 9.45 A. M., 2.45 P. M. and 5.30 P. M. every day. No more moonlight after August 22nd, 1915.

Fall Schedule (Week Days Only)

Beginning Sept. 7, 1915, we will leave Chestertown at 9.15 A. M. for boat to Baltimore, and will meet the boat from Baltimore at 5 P. M. (week days only).

Graham, Clements & Sutton,

OWNERS OF LARGE BUICK HACK CAR, CHESTERTOWN, MD.

THIS $12.50 ELGIN WATCH FOR $9.75

With 20-year gold-filled open-face; 7-jewel Elgin movement—$9.75.



Elgin Special—the thinnest American Watch for men; 25-year gold-filled open-face case, 7-jewel—$12.50; 15-jewel—$15.50; 17-jewel—$20.00.

Men's Precise Watches, with 20-year, gold-filled case, 11-jewel movement—special at $12.50.

WOMEN'S WATCHES—Twenty-year gold-filled Watches, with 7-jewel American movement, on flexible gold-filled Bracelet, worth $14.00, at $8.50. Elgin Bracelet Watch—detachable style that can be worn on pin or chain if desired; 14-karat gold, 7-jewel movement, at $22. Open-face Watch, 14-karat gold case, 7-jewel American movement, worth $15.00, at $9.75. Hunting-case Watch, 14-karat gold, Elgin movement, worth $22.50, now $17.00.

Rote's Jewelry Store

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

LOCAL MATTERS

An Enviable Record.—Mr. Joel R. Clements, the venerable and able superintendent of the Chester River wharf, will retire from active service the last of the year. Mr. Clements has had a long and honorable connection with the successful steamboat company. Had he remained at his post until January 30, 1916, he would have been connected with the company just 54 years. He started when he was 18 years old on the Steamer Chester as clerk, and has held various positions of trust with the company ever since. His health and age prevent a longer connection with the company which we are quite sure will regret very much to lose his faithful and efficient service. Mr. Clements at present is being assisted by Mr. Edw. Jones, vice Mr. Lewin Howard, who resigned to accept a position at Panama.

BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Chestertown cannery has closed and the Bohemian laborers left on Wednesday.

Mr. Claude F. Parks has purchased a new Buick runabout of Graham, Clements & Sutton, for use in his business.

The local telephone company has been engaged putting in many new poles in Kent and Queen Annes. They are putting in much higher ones.

The foot-ball season at Washington College will open to-day week with Coach Brickley's Polytechnic College squad as the opposing team.

Autumn began on Thursday, and the grand October days will soon be with us. The equinoctial storm arrived on Tuesday, just one day in advance.

Mr. Charles W. Kibler, Jr., has sold his Paige car to a gentleman on Hooper's Island. Mr. Kibler has taken the agency for the Saxon car, and it is a beauty.

The first frost of the fall was reported on Thursday morning the very first day of autumn, the thermometer registered 46 degrees very early on Thursday morning.

Farmers state that the corn crop will be an exceedingly short one this year. Various reasons are given for the poor yields, but the heavy storm in August is believed to have been the cause.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. this week paid the death benefit claim to the heirs of the late Thomas H. Chance, and the Patriotic Order Sons of American paid to his widow the death claim of the late A. S. Crawford.

The new home of Mr. Thomas W. Eliason, Jr., now being erected on his fine lot at the entrance to Washington avenue, will soon be completed, and will be a decided improvement to that section.

A sudden change in the temperature on Wednesday night made overcoats feel comfortable, and straw hats looked as if they had the bilious. The temperature dropped to 50 degrees, but the change was a welcome one.

Sheriff Wm. E. Brown has purchased a property in Quaker neck to which he will remove at the expiration of his term. Sheriff Brown has made many friends in Chestertown who will regret to see him leave here.

A slight fire at the gas plant caused much excitement on Tuesday afternoon and caused the fire department and hundreds of citizens to respond to the fire alarm. The rafters in the cement building caught fire, but were extinguished before any damage was done.

Mr. Hackett Emerson has resigned his position at the White House Shoe Shop and will take charge of H. F. Jefferson & Bro's store at Crumpton. Mr. Emerson is very popular in Chestertown, where he has many friends, and we regret to lose him from our midst.

Mr. D. A. Bacchus had on sale at his store in Chestertown, Friday morning, three quarts of fine strawberries which he sold at 25 cents per quart. They were grown by Mr. Kent Bowers, in Queen Annes county, near Crumpton.

Mr. William B. Coleman last week purchased of Mrs. John D. Urie the small house adjoining his property on West Front street. Mrs. Harry Pfeffer has purchased the same from Mr. Coleman. Mrs. Pfeffer will at once have the house torn down and erect on the lot a neat residence. This will be a great improvement to this section of the town.

OUR DEATH RECORD.

MERVIN C. LYNCH.

Mervin C., the interesting little eight-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl N. Lynch, died very suddenly on Sunday morning last at 4 A. M. Mr. and Mrs. Lynch were on a visit to Mrs. Lynch's mother, Mrs. Lewin Crisfield, of Locust Grove, and had been to Chestertown on Saturday morning and had the little one with her, and he was taken ill that afternoon and in spite of all tender care and the professional skill of Drs. Simpers and Jones, the bright little fellow passed away in a short time. Funeral services were held at the home of his grand-parents, at Locust Grove, Tuesday, at 12.30 o'clock, the Rev. Mr. Kays, of Wyoming, Del., officiated, assisted by Rev. Mr. Stauffer, of Shrewsbury. Interment was in Chester cemetery. Undertaker W. H. Krusen in charge.

STEPHEN CALVIN WALKER.

Stephen Calvin Walker, brother of Mrs. Phillips, died at the residence of his sister, in Quaker Neck, Friday morning, aged 49 years. J. E. Ferguson, undertaker.

"Within the Law."

Bayard Veiller's play, "Within the Law," proved to be a huge success. It caught the fancy of the people from the very start, held them in intense interest throughout, won a fusillade of laughter by its comedy and finally swept along to sure victory. So deftly has Mr. Veiller handled his characters that one does sympathize with Mary Turner, and one does rejoice in the success of her wiles. It is a weakness of the American public to admire cleverness, even in a criminal, and it is Mary's adroitness and the fact that the author has contrived to keep her chaste. If otherwise morally soiled, Mr. Veiller's ingenuity has not stopped there. A Maxim Silencer plays an important part in a murder which is accomplished noiselessly. And the searchlight from a neighboring skyscraper is cleverly introduced to reveal a dead body at a moment of great suspense. Mr. Veiller does not hesitate to go the entire distance of sentimentality and show Mary Turner at the final curtain in the arms of her doting husband.

The Religious World.

Other church notes on page 7.

Rev. L. R. Woodford who has been stationed at Fawn Grove, Pa., Methodist Protestant Church, has accepted an appointment in Columbus, Ohio, and will sever his connection with the Maryland Annual Conference.

"Why I am a Methodist", will be the subject of Rev. R. P. Nichols sermon at Still Pond on Sunday September 26. "The Mormans at Close Range", will be the subject of his lecture at Betterton Saturday night, Oct. 2.

Christ Methodist Protestant Church, Dr. W. R. Graham, pastor. Services on Sunday, Sept. 26, and preaching by the pastor at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday school 2 30 P. M. Christian Endeavor service 6.45 P. M. Mid-week service Thursday evening 7.30 o'clock.

MAIN PLANKS IN THE DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

Indorsement of President Wilson and the national Administration.

Appointment of commission, headed by Dr. F. J. Goodnow, to prepare a plan for a reorganization and reform in the State's financial system.

A plan to abolish useless offices, to eliminate waste and duplication, to install the budget system and to enforce the most rigid economy in the State government and in the Legislature.

A declaration upon the subject of annexation in favor of giving the city complete control of its harbor and of such legislation as will be just to city and counties in a reasonable extension of the city limits.

A plank promising the abolition of the fee system wherever it can be done without prejudice to economy and efficiency.

A pledge to extend the Baltimore City Primary Election law to all the counties and to abolish the envelope system.

An indorsement of the home rule amendments and a pledge to enact the necessary legislation to make it effective.

A pledge to introduce a uniform system of accounting in all State offices, and to consolidate the State fishery force, State Game Warden, Shellfish Commission and State Forestry Board into a conservation commission.

The main plank in the platform is a promise to institute economy and efficiency in the management of the State's affairs and, to that end, the following commission was named to study the situation and recommend a comprehensive plan of reform to the next Legislature:

Dr. Frank J. Goodnow, president of Johns Hopkins University.

James Alfred Pearce, former judge of the Court of Appeals.

Philip D. Laird, former chairman of the Public Service Commission.

Joseph D. Baker.

B. Howell Griswold, Jr.

State Senator William Milnes Maloy.

Francis Neale Parke.

Democrats Be Sure and Register.

Registration begins in Kent county on Tuesday, September 28th. There are only two days in which you can get your name on the registration books. These days are:

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH,
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5TH,

between the hours of eight A. M. and seven P. M. If you failed to get registered last year be sure and attend to this important duty on one of these days. If you have moved from the district in which you voted last year you must get a transfer from the district where you voted last year and get registered in the district where you are now living. Don't fail to attend to this.

A GOOD SHOW.

The La Tena's Animal Circus Was No Disappointment.

La Tena's Animal Circus showed to two good audiences on Tuesday, and the whole story is really told in saying they pleased and satisfied audiences. The parade at 10.30 was sufficient promise of the fulfilment of their bill work to draw the crowds.

What they had in the way of standard circus—flying trapeze, horizontal bar, contortion and riding—was high class, and they had an aggregation of clowns that were awfully funny in their team work. But La Tena will be remembered longest in Lebanon for the trained animals, which were a predominating feature. Remarkable intelligence was shown by elephants, bears, lions, dogs and ponies, but the most wonderful as well as the most novel feature was the trained seals.

It was altogether a clean show, which some were glad to see twice the same day.—Lebanon, N. H. Press. Will show in Chestertown next Tuesday, Sept. 28.

With Our Advertisers.

Frank A. Hurlock has just opened a new barrel of fine shad. Try one, also glass jars, etc., at bargain price.

Buster Brown shoes for boys and girls. Mr. Robinson also has the agency for the celebrated Hess shoes.

Fall merchandise is now on display at Medders & Co's big store in Still Pond. It awaits your inspection.

Fall opening in all departments of H. F. Jefferson & Bro's. big store. Things beautiful all over the store.

Mr. H. Sachs and Miss Minnye Sachs have been in Philadelphia and New York to buy a full line of ladies suits, coats, skirts and hats. Wait for their opening.

Paul Comegys, Millington, is headquarters for all kinds of hardware, farm implements. He carries one of the most satisfactory grain drills on the market. See him about them.

Big fall opening at the Hub stores, Millington. Everything in men's, women's and children's wear of latest styles and finest finish. Go in and inspect the goods quick and make your selection from one of the best stores in the county.

Bramble, Kilbourn & Noland, the new Fairlee merchants, announce their fall and winter opening in every department of their big store. They carry everything in a well-equiped department store, and also carry a fine line of agricultural implements and repairs.

Julian T. Power, optometrist, advises the examination of all school children's eyes as a safeguard against weakness and impaired eyesight in the future. He knows his business to perfection, and is building up a fine practice. See him on Court street.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, September 30, Oct. 1 and 2 will be Hopkins tailoring days at Vansant & Newsome's big store. You know what that means. If not, inquire.

A. L. Sparks' big store is filled with beautiful dress goods, suits, millinery, etc., for his big fall and winter opening. You are invited to inspect the entire stock.

C. C. Jones, the shoe man, is displaying a fine line of fall and winter footwear for ladies, men and children. He has the latest cuts and toes, and the prices are right.

Messrs. J. W. Skirven and Stockton Startt have recently returned from the Shenadoah Valley, Va., with a fine lot of ewes for breeding purposes, which they are placing on the market. This section has never been troubled with the foot and mouth disease, which has infected many other sections of the country.

NOTICE.

Mr. John C. Turner will represent me in buying grain. Let us quote you prices.

JOHN P. AHERN,
June 9-tf Millington, Md.

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From 5 years to 2 months old.

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All accounts due Kilbourn & Bramble and T. B. Kilbourn are payable to me. I must have prompt settlement, as it is necessary that the business of both firms be closed up.

T. B. KILBOURN,
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If you're interested in having a Suit made that will be "RIGHT" in style, perfect in fit, thoroughly well made and of your choice of over 400 styles of woolens of the best mills in America, you will attend our Fall and Winter opening of the HOPKINS line of Made-to-Measure Clothes.



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Thursday, Friday and Saturday,

Sept. 30, and Oct. 1 and 2.



An expert—from that organization of experts—will be here to show you their enormous line of patterns and materials for the coming season, and to take your measurements for whatever you need.

When you need a Hopkins Suit or Overcoat you are assured of getting one finished inside and out with every little nicety and detail of design and workmanship that identifies them with men who DO care about their personal appearance.

But, even though you're not ready to order, come anyway. You're sure to decide the kind and style you'll want later.

SUITS TO MEASURE	TROUSERS to Measure	COATS and TROUSERS
From $13.50 Upward.	From $4.00 Upward.	From $12.50 Upward.

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Protect the other fellow first, then he'll look out for you.

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CHESTERTOWN CANDY KITCHEN

And Ice Cream Parlor The Right Place to Eat.

ANNOUNCEMENT

We take this occasion to announce to our friends that we are prepared to deliver Ice Cream now packed at 25 cents a quart, 50 cents ½ gallon and $1.00 a gallon. Water Ices also at same price, all made from fresh fruits.

Harlequin Blocks with crushed fruits in center 40 cents per quart; $1.50 per gallon. Our Ice Cream, Ices and Blocks cannot be surpassed.

Ice Cream manufactured by the Chestertown Candy Kitchen at their establishment on the corner of High and Cross Sts.; is made under strict sanitary conditions, from the best products the markets afford, and costs you no more than the inferior grades sold elsewhere.

Those who have used our Ice Cream are our best advertisement. The largest and best assortment on the shore. Orders left with us for Sunday delivery will have our very careful attention.

If you have never visited our beautiful parlors, why not call? Prompt and efficient service. Absolute cleanness. Everything of the very best quality. Comfortable seating for all. Music at all times and electric fans.

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