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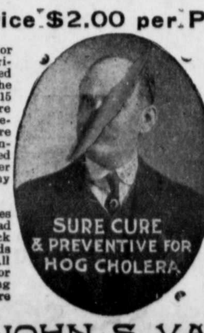
HOG CHOLERA CURE.

Price $2.00 per Pound.

Mr. Wm. Cooper, Jr., near Worton Station, came to me on Friday, Feb. 4, 1916, and purchased 1 lb Cholera Remedy. When he returned home, two of his 15 hogs were dead and four were down with the disease. He telephoned me Sunday that all were getting better, and wanted another package by mail. He called Tuesday and said all were better and eating. He did not lose any after having the remedy.

Mr. Thos. Smith, Queen Annes county, near Chestertown, had 22 large shoats. Six were sick and refused food. Used 2 pounds of remedy, cured all but one. All are well and two left over for another year. I advise keeping Hog Cholera Cure on hand. Sure preventative and cure.



Mr. George Hatcherson, near Chestertown, had forty hogs. They all died but eight. When he began giving it to the jewelers, four were down. All are up and well now.

Mr. Frank Skirven, a few miles from Chestertown, says he had twenty hogs, lost ten. I heard of your remedy and tried it on the other ten. Lost one and the rest are all right.

I sent John Comegys of Black's Station, this county, Hog Cholera Cure free of charge and he came in and insisted upon paying for it, as he said it was the best he ever tried; and farmers should know about it, as hogs were the most profitable thing on the farm.

JOHN S. VANDEGRIFT,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

DR. CAROLINE E. GEISEL.

In these anxious times while the nation is working toward greater efficiency and preparedness of every sort the watchword for all of us is health. This is the theme of the lecture given by Dr. Geisel of Battle Creek, Mich. Preparedness for life, preparedness for the duties of wifehood and citizenship, are the special topics which are emphasized. The Kankakee (Mo.) Democrat of Feb. 1, 1917, says:

"It has been a long time since any gathering in Kankakee has listened to a more thoughtful and deep reaching lecture than that given yesterday afternoon by Dr. Geisel. She was interrupted by frequent applause, and the audience left the building feeling both thrilled and thoughtful. Dr. Geisel enumerated at length the several needs of women. Some of these needs are health, proper food and clothing, education, organization and the proper use of the ballot in order to protect her interests. But, according to Dr. Geisel, woman's greatest need is a proper fitting of herself for the function of motherhood, not only physically, but mentally, spiritually and morally. A woman who has brought to perfection these attributes—one who is strong in body and mind, brave of soul and character—is best fitted to bring children into the world. In this way she is the most patriotic of all citizens, for she has helped her country in the best possible manner by giving it men worth while. In her tribute to motherhood Dr. Geisel reached the sublime."

Dr. Geisel's lecture here will be a part of the general preparedness campaign undertaken by the Chautauqua. The slogan adopted is "Live a little longer," and, besides Dr. Geisel, Frank Dixon is to deliver a lecture of a similar type, his subject being "Uncle Sam, M. D."

PAUL FLEMING, MAGICIAN.

"John, what are you doing with this half dollar in your ear?" John looks surprised and is delighted to find the magician plucking half dollars at random from his ears, his side pockets and from the air near by. He was not conscious that he was such a man of wealth, but there is the fact before his eyes, and seeing is believing.

A deck of playing cards is not usually given to dancing, in public at least, but Magician Fleming makes that do this stunt.

Orange trees do not usually grow in this climate, but Magician Fleming has developed a new kind of orange tree which grows and blossoms and produces ripe fruit all before the audience's eye and in the course of a very few moments.

Spirits usually require a medium with a darkened room, but Paul Fleming guarantees to produce these spirits in full view of a Chautauqua audience with only the facilities of a Chautauqua stage. His is a rare program and one unusual to the Chautauqua platform. It will be a great treat for the youngsters, and many of the oldsters will find it equally entertaining.

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THE FARM LABOR BUREAU AND ITS CO-OPERATION WITH THE FARMER

County Agent, Under Maryland Council Of Defense Law, To Aid Farmer In Every Phase Of Increased Production.

Under the Act of the General Assembly at its special session last June, when it passed a law authorizing a Council of Defense for Maryland, appropriating one million dollars for its preparatory work for war, it stipulated that $200,000 of the million was to be spent toward agricultural development and extension and the conservation of food.

The increased planting of food stuffs, which is yielding almost double production, requiring more farm labor than heretofore, coming at a time, when a scarcity of labor is being felt in every line of work, due to the men being drawn from the fields to the ranks of military service, and to the demand for labor made necessary by increased production in materials for warfare, such as in the munition plants, ship building yards and cantonments, which are springing up in every section in every state, it was necessary for the protection of the farmer, so that his crops would not suffer from want of help to harvest them, to establish a Farm Labor Bureau, whose functions are to provide sufficient labor to yield the greatest production of the crops planted.

To reach the farmers of the State and to provide a speedy and efficient working force to see that the wants of each county was supplied, the Maryland Agricultural Extension Service, with County Agents in each of the counties, with the United States Department of Agriculture and the United States Department of Labor, co-operating, have perfected their organization whereby practical assistance can be given any farmer of the State in need of help along the agricultural line.

Extraordinary efforts are being made by County Agents to have the farm laborers in their county work the full week, as well as trying to have those who have left farm work for other vocations, to go back on the farm, and in many instances the County Agents have been able to fill the requests for farm labor without going out of their county for help, which class of help is most desired by the farmers. In cases where the County Agent is unable to supply the demand for labor from his own county, he makes application to the Farm Labor Bureau, located in the Stewart Building, Gay and Lombard Street, Baltimore, who, by aid of advertising and farm labor scouts, secures the labor desired, where possible, and ships it to the County Agent, who distributes it on the farms needing help.

Being a State Office, no charge is made to the farmers asking for farm hands, but in cases where there is a transportation charge in getting the help from one county to another, the farmer is expected to pay that charge, and in making application to his County Agent for farm help, he is expected to state just what his needs are, whether he wants a man for temporary or permanent work, whether he prefers a married or single man, whether he will provide lodging and board or just lodging or just board, whether he has tenant houses for married help, what he will pay and the character of work he expects to have done. With this information at hand, the County Agent is able to make a selection of the men to be placed, which is found to be of great advantage, not only to the farmer, but to the farm hand, who makes a much better satisfied laborer.

The need for increased production in all food crops cannot be too strongly urged at this time, and with the farm labor situation solved, practically assuring the farmer that he need have no fear as to securing help when it is needed, every farmer is urged, as a patriotic duty and on the personal and special request of the President of the United States, to plant heavier crops this fall than ever before.

If you do not know who your County Agent is write, phone or ask the editor of this newspaper.

COMPULSORY WORK LAW.

The Compulsory Work Law, passed at the special session of the Legislature, is in force beginning next Monday. The States Attorney and Sheriff of each county have received a copy of the rules and regulations, which explain that every able-bodied male person between the ages of 18 and 50 years who are not, on August 20, 1917, or any time thereafter, regularly or continuously employed in some lawful and useful business, occupation, trade or profession must, with three classes of exceptions, register for work under the law.

Those exempted under the terms of the law are (a) students and persons fitting themselves to engage in a trade or industrial pursuit; (b) persons temporarily unemployed by reason of differences with their employers and (c) persons engaged or employed in any seasonal business, trade or occupation, but every unemployed man must register.

Large incomes or revenue from the ownership of property does not exempt a man from the provisions of the Compulsory Work act. Every man must be actively at work or he must register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which he lives, and to avoid arrest and imprisonment any man not engaged at work on Monday must register immediately.

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MARYLAND'S CROPS MUST BE SAVED

Every Man, Woman And Child Can Render a Patriotic Service By Helping Conserve Our Food Supply.

Help must immediately be given the canners of Maryland, if President Wilson's wishes are to be carried out and if the war, which is involving every civilized nation, is to be won by America.

Every energy of the Government has been concentrated on increased food production. The farmers of America have nobly responded to the call and Maryland was no laggard, as the present crop reports show, but a condition has arisen which calls for the rank and file of our people to respond to the appeal of Herbert Hoover, in charge of the Nation's food to help conserve our increased production and prevent a waste of perishable crops.

Cooperating with the Government in its efforts to conserve all food supplies, General Carl R. Gray, Chairman of the Maryland Council of Defense has asked and received the acceptance of Messrs. C. C. Homer, Jr., John B. Ramsey and Walter B. Brooks to serve on a committee to assist the canneries in securing the necessary help to prevent any waste or spoilage of perishable crops and unless this Committee is successful in its efforts, a great amount of the increased food produced from the farms will be lost to the country.

In 1916 Maryland packed over six million cases of the thirteen million cases of tomatoes packed in the entire United States and in addition packed several million cases of corn, peas and other canned vegetables and fruits.

In 1917—this year—Maryland can almost double her production. The crops are ready to be picked. Maryland can help save the nation and possibly some of her allies from starving, if the people of Maryland will make that patriotic response to which they have in the past been so accustomed.

A great emergency is upon us.

The President has made his appeal.

The farmers have loyally and nobly responded and have done their share.

The tomato crop is in the field ready to be picked, delivered to the canneries and canned.

BUT IN FILLING THE RANKS OF OUR ARMY—IN FILLING GOVERNMENT ORDERS FOR WAR MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES—IN BUILDING SHIPS AND GUNS AND AEROPLANES FOR OUR SUCCESS IN THE WAR—WE HAVE USED UP THE LABOR NEEDED IN OUR CANNERIES—AND UNLESS IT IS REPLACED BY PATRIOTIC VOLUNTEERS OUR HEAVY PRODUCTION OF CROPS WILL BE ALMOST A TOTAL LOSS.

The call is sounded for help to man the canneries.

Every man, woman and child, above the age of fourteen, can "do their bit."

Every man, woman and child, loyal to their Country, must do their share.

President Wilson on July 11th said:

"I shall expect every man and woman who is not a slacker to be at my side throughout this great enterprise. In it no man can win honor who thinks of himself."

The crops of Maryland must be saved.

The canneries are providing wholesome and sanitary surroundings, the work is not laborious, the pay is liberal, the work is patriotic.

School teachers on vacations are enlisting in the canneries to help out. School boys and girls by the hundreds are ready to respond. Married women without children are closing their homes temporarily in order to do their share. Factories have arranged to work half their force, releasing the other half of their employees to spend the five weeks necessary in the canneries. Everywhere is the sacrifice being made.

Women who have never worked in their lives, but who are familiar with home canning are answering the appeal of the Government to help in the canneries. Women, who in their youth worked in canneries are returning this year in response to the country's call.

In every county of the State, there is a Section of the Maryland Council of Defense. The help each person might give may be in their own locality.

Every section of the State is organizing to win the war—to save Maryland's crops—to cooperate with the President and to be loyal to our country.

Volunteer today that you will work in a cannery for five weeks. Form a little club of ten or twelve members—you can all stick together for company—and you will be helping to do your share.

Send your name to Mr. James Steele, Secretary of the State Canning Committee, Fayette and Guilford Streets, Baltimore, who will advise you who to report to in your own county.

A Real Providence.

Mr. Younghusband reached home late for dinner.

"I got pinched for speeding on the way home," he explained rather sheepishly. "Have to appear tomorrow morning and get '$10 or fifteen days.'"

Mrs. Younghusband fervently clapped two blistered little hands. "What a providence!" she cried devoutly. "You must take the fifteen days, John! The cook has just left!"—Harper's Magazine.

Home Ground Cornmeal.

Clean up the old coffee grinder or buy a new one and grind your own cornmeal for griddlecakes, muffins and bread. If you do not like bread made of cornmeal alone use some wheat flour with it. Since home ground cornmeal does not keep long it is better to buy whole corn by the bushel and grind for meal as needed.—New York Sun.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Having accepted a State position, I have rearranged with Mr. Edgar P. Beck, to take care of my Insurance business during my absence from Chestertown. Mr. Beck is an experienced Insurance man, and I am confident he will look after he interest of my patrons faithfully and well. All my business and the companies I represented have been transferred to his agency. Thanking you for past favors and hoping to retain your business, I am,

Very truly yours,

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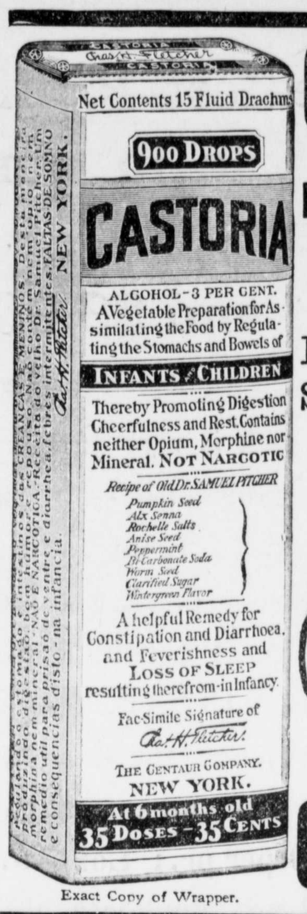
Many war zone hospitals have ordered Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder, for use among the troops. Shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath, Allen's Foot-Ease gives rest and comfort, takes the friction from the shoe, and events the feet getting tired or fo ot sore. Drug and Department Stores everywhere sell it, 25c. *Don't accept any substitute.* Try it to-day.



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WEEK-DAY SCHEDULE GOING SOUTH.
Effective Jan. 1, 1917

	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Elkton		8.30	11.35	5.35	6.55
Chesapeake City		9.00	12.05	6.05	7.20
Cayots Corner		9.15	12.20	6.20	7.30
Bohemia Bridge		9.20	12.30	6.25	7.35
Cecilton		9.35	12.45	6.40	7.50
Fredericktown		9.45	1.00	6.50	8.00
Georgetown		9.50	1.05	6.55	8.05
Galena	7.30	10.00	1.15	*7.00	8.10
Locust Grove	7.45	10.15	1.30	7.15	
Kennedyville	8.00	10.30	1.45	7.25	
Chestertown	8.45	11.00	2.15	7.50	

*Discontinued at Galena, unless having passengers for points beyond.

WEEK-DAY SCHEDULE GOING NORTH.

	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M
Chestertown		8.45	1.30	4.00
Kennedyville		9.15	2.00	4.25
Locust Grove		9.30	2.10	4.35
Galena	6.45	9.45	2.25	4.50
Georgetown	6.50	9.55	2.35	5.00
Fredericktown	6.55	10.00	2.40	5.05
Cecilton	7.10	10.15	2.50	5.15
Bohemia Bridge	7.20	10.30	3.05	5.25
Cayots Corner	7.25	10.40	3.15	5.30
Chesapeake City	7.40	10.55	3.30	5.45
Elkton	8.10	11.25	4.00	6.15

SUNDAY SCHEDULE GOING SOUTH.

	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Elkton		9.20	2.30	5.35
Chesapeake City		9.50	3.00	6.05
Cayots Corner		10.05	3.15	6.20
Bohemia Bridge		10.15	3.20	6.25
Cecilton		10.30	3.35	6.40
Fredericktown		10.35	3.40	7.00
Georgetown		10.40	3.45	7.05
Galena	7.30	10.50	3.55	7.10
Locust Grove	7.50	11.10	4.15	
Kennedyville	8.05	11.25	4.30	
Chestertown	8.35	12.00	5.00	

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Georgetown	7.40	10.00	3.45	
Fredericktown	7.45	10.05	3.50	
Cecilton	8.00	10.20	4.05	
Bohemia Bridge	8.15	10.35	4.20	
Cayots Corner	8.25	10.40	4.30	
Chesapeake City	8.40	10.55	4.45	
Elkton	9.10	11.25	5.15	

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Galena	.60	Bohemia	.50
Georgetown	.70	Cecilton	.60
Fredericktown	.75	Fredericktown	.75
Cecilton	.90	Georgetown	.80
Bohemia Bridge	1.00	Galena	.90
Cayots Corner	1.05	Locust Grove	1.05
Chesapeake City	1.20	Kennedyville	1.20
Elkton	1.50	Chestertown	1.50

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SCHEDULE

In Effect Monday, July 4th, 1917.

(Except as Noted).

NOTE—On account of change in schedule there will be no steamer from Baltimore June 30th, and no steamer to Baltimore on July 1st, on schedule effective June 9th, 1917.

Steamer will leave Baltimore, Pier 9, Light St. Wharf, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1 P. M., weather and tide permitting, for the following points: Rock Hall, Queenstown, Bogles, *Spaniards Point, Cliffs, Indiantown *Ashland, Quaker Neck, Booker's, *Riverside, Rolph's, *Piney Grove, arrive at Chestertown about 7.30 P. M.

*Stop on Signal.

Returning, steamer leaves Chestertown for Baltimore, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 7.00 A. M., weather and tide permitting, stopping at the above landings, arriving in Baltimore about 1 P. M.

Steamer will leave Baltimore, Pier 9, Light St., weather and tide permitting, Wednesday, at 6 P. M. stopping at: *Cliffs, Indiantown, *Quaker Neck, *Booker's, *Riverside, *Rolph's, *Piney Grove, Chestertown, *Deep Landing, Crumpton.

*Stop on Signal.

Returning, steamer will leave Crumpton, weather and tide permitting, for Baltimore Thursday at 2 P. M., Chestertown 5 P. M. stopping at the above landings.

Steamer leaves Baltimore, Pier 9, Light street, Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 4 P. M., weather and tide permitting, for Rock Hall. Returning, steamer will leave Rock Hall for Baltimore 8 A. M., arriving in Baltimore 10 A. M.

This time-table shows the times at which steamers may be expected to arrive at and depart from the several wharves, but their arrivals or departures at the times stated is not guaranteed, nor does the Company hold itself responsible for any delay or any consequences arising therefrom.

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