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We have picked the best from many factories. Our line has style, finish and quality.

The prices are reasonable when you consider the quality.

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Beginning Saturday, May 2nd, Beach Amusea Pier will be open every Saturday night for Dancing, Bowling and Pocket Billiards.

Come and Enjoy the Dancing.

The Pavilion is kept in absolutely clean condition and no profane language or disorderly conduct will be tolerated.

The public is accorded every courtesy and guaranteed every accommodation and protection of careful and thoughtful management.

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A LADY CLERK for bakery between 20 and 30 years of age, must give good reference. Wages $25.00 a month and board.

Call or write to F. D. ZAFFERE, Millington, Md.

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AGENTS WANTED.

We want a reliable man or woman in Chestertown to look after renewals and new subscriptions to Metropolitan, "The Livest Magazine in America." The work may be done n spare time—a few hours each week. Liberal pay for whatever time is put in. No investment or bond required, no previous experience necessary. Full instructions and supplies sent free. Give two references.

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A good, sound Grey HORSE. Price $40.

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FESTIVAL.

The Ladies Aid of Salem M. E. Church, Fairlee, will hold a Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival on the Church Lawn on SATURDAY, MAY 30th. If unfit to hold on lawn will be held in the Grange Hall. m9-2t

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.

New Hall, MASSEY, on FRIDAY, MAY 29th, 8 o'clock P. M. The combined dramatic talent of Lynch M. P. Church and of I. U. P. E. Church will present that ever fetching musical comedy, "My Wife's Relations." Adults 25 cents; children under 12 years, 15 cents. Curtain 8 P. M. m9-1t

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SHAD SUPPER.

The ladies of Union M. E. Church will hold a SHAD SUPPER and FESTIVAL in Union Hall, Worton, Saturday evening, May 16, 1914. Supper 35 cents. m16-tf

FESTIVAL

A festival will be held at Union School FRIDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS, MAY 22ND and 23RD. Public cordially invited.

SUPPER.

A Shad Supper and Strawberry Festival will be held at Turner's Ice Cream Saloon Betterton, on MAY 23RD. Come out and help a good cause.

m9-3t COMMITTEE.

DECORATION DAY MATINEE!

Radcliffe Park, Chestertown

Saturday, May 30th, 1914

1.30 P. M. SHARP.

There will be at least 5 good races. Mile heats 2 best in 3 for ribbons. Horses will be called to wire at 1.30 p m. sharp.

No charge for admission to grandstand.

GENERAL ADMISSION 25c.

☞S. Powell Peacock has offered a purse of $50 in gold to any horse on the peninsula that will beat Rowdy Boy at Radcliffe Park on Decoration Day.

Entries next week. m16-3t

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Special Attraction

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CHESTERTOWN will have the pleasure of entertaining the members of the Easton Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church the first week in June. There will be about 80 delegates from the Peninsula. Welcome to Kent, brethren. Our roses are preparing to laden the air with their sweetest fragrance.

JOHN N. BENNETT ELECTED PRESIDENT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

The newly appointed School Commissioners, John D. Urie, John P. Ahern and John N. Bennett organized on Tuesday last. Mr. John N. Bennett was elected President of the Board for two years, and Prof. Jefferson L. Smyth was re-appointed superintendent, and S. Scott Beck, Esq., attorney. The selection of trustees for the schools of the county was begun and will be published in the NEWS later. The question of teachers' salaries under the new State law was also taken up.

JESSE JEROME DROWNED.

Jesse Jerome, 49 years old, 2314 Hudson street, Baltimore, was accidentally drowned late Monday night, when he fell overboard from a hoisting machine belonging to the Baker-Whiteley Coal Company, lying at Ninth and Clinton streets, Canton. Jerome was employed as a machinist by the Baker-Whiteley Company. He was alone on the hoisting machine Monday night. When workmen reported for work they discovered that he was missing. The officials of the company were informed of the man's absence and they in turn notified the police. The Lannan went to the scene, and after dragging the bottom for a few minutes recovered the body. Coroner D. W. Jones, of the Eastern district, conducted an investigation and rendered a verdict of accidental death. Mr. Jerome was born in Kent county and has been working for the coal company for about 12 years. He leaves a daughter, Miss Sadie Jerome, and a brother, John C. Jerome, of Rock Hall.

Sales of Property.—John D. Urie, Esq., attorney, sold at Rock Hall Saturday the Somers place to Mrs. Emma M. Mariner for $425.

Wm. M. Slay, Esq., attorney, sold at public sale Tuesday a house and lot at Betterton to Mrs. James Hickman for $425.

The Venable house and six acres were withdrawn at a bid of $2,000 and afterwards sold to Mr. Albert S. Turner.

The 60-foot lot on Smith's alley in Chestertown was sold to Mr. John Bartley for $501. Mr. R. Thompson owns the house on this lot.

S. S. Beck, Esq., attorney, sold at public sale Tuesday the Noblette mill in Worton to Mr. E. H. Trinks for $1315.

Mr. Walter Taylor, of near Hanesville, purchased at public sale on Tuesday the five acres of land in Castletown, belonging to the late Simon Freeman, which was sold at mortgagee's sale by Hope H. Barroll, Esq, attorney. The price paid was $255.

Mr. Frederick H. Russell has purchased of Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard the residence on Water street which he now occupies. It is the end house of the four new ones built by Mr. Hubbard. It is a snug home and has all modern conveniences, including an electric carpet sweeper!

Marriage Announced.—Announcements have been received of the marriage of Miss Mary E. Townsend, of Millington, and Mr. Edgar Haupt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haupt, of 44 Garrison lane, on Tuesday evening, May 5, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Haupt. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. W. Beasley, of Frederick Avenue Church South, and was followed by a buffet supper. After a wedding journey the bride and groom will live at 44 Garrison lane, Baltimore.

Vacancies Filled.—At a meeting of the Board of Visitors and Governors of Washington College on Wednesday last John D. Urie, Esq., of Chestertown, and Mr. Harry C. Willis, of near Fairlee, were elected members of the Board to fill vacancies. Mr. Urie is a graduate of Washington College, class of 1881; Mr. Willis is an ex-member of the Maryland House of Delegates, and a progressive farmer of Kent.

EFFECTS OF LIQUOR BILL.

No Arrest While Shipments Were Held Up—Several When Supply Released—Beer Soars High.

"In all of my experience I have never known so quiet a Saturday as was May 2nd, just passed," said Officer Cooper when asked whether the anti-shipping bill had affected any reduction of the week's criminal docket. "Not an arrest was made," he continued, "and there was no drunkenness apparent whatsoever."

"Nearly every Saturday someone is arrested and often there are two or three arrests. Never a Saturday passes that there is not apparent some drunkenness, even if the parties are not sufficiently intoxicated to justify an arrest."

Last Saturday the liquor was released and two arrests were made for disorderly conduct while several others were saved by their friends.

It is predicted that Kent will have more and better people here this summer because of improved conditions.

It is reported that the price of beer sold on the Ericsson boats has been increased to 20 cents per bottle. On one trip over last summer more than 1,000 bottles of beer were sold!

THE banner cow sale of the season took place at Middletown Saturday when Julian Cochran sold 20 head of two-year-old heifers, twelve of which had their calves by their sides. The 20 head brought $1,775, and the calves were sold afteward and brought from $12 to $20 each. Eight head of the heifers brought over $100 apiece. One was sold for $131, and one for $121. These heifers were bought by Mr. Cochran last summer at Lancaster, Pa., were fed upon his farm about two miles north of there and have cleaned up a handsome profit for him besides eating the roughage of his farm. They were advertised in the KENT NEWS.

FURNITURE TAX LAW

The new law which allows an exemption of the tax on furniture and household effects to the value of $500, and which becomes effective on the first of next January, is to be applicable throughout the entire State whereas the old law, which gave practically no relief, only applied to Baltimore city and Baltimore county, and was so framed as to exempt persons "owning only household effects, the value of which is less than $300," and was construed by the taxing authorities not to apply if the owner of the household effects was liable to taxation on any other kind of property.

Many arguments are used against the taxation of furniture and household effects and some of them are that this class of property is unproductive, rapidly deteriorates in value and cannot be accurately appraised.

The furniture tax has borne heavily against many who have been unable to pay it and thousands of suits have from time to time, been instituted before civil magistrates to recover the amount of this tax, and these suits have made the tax all the more irksome and unpopular. This act will perhaps give relief to as many persons as any other measure passed at the last session of the Legislature.

SOME LAWS PASSED.

New Law On Carrying Concealed Weapons—Sale Of Bichloride Tablets Restricted—Fishermen Must Take Out Licenses—Must Not Kill Buzzards.

The average citizen does not know the danger he is in of breaking the laws passed at every session of the Legislature and the average man does not read these new laws and knows very little about what is expected of him. As ignorance is no excuse before the law every reader of the NEWS should read carefully the Public General Laws published in the NEWS last week.

A careful perusal of the laws passed at the last session will show some new features which will interest the average citizen. For instance: "It is unlawful for any person to sit down on any mould in which cigars are being pressed under a penalty of from $5.00 to $50.00.

The new law on carrying concealed weapons is very strict. It makes it a crime to carry any dirk knife, pistol, bowie knife, slug shot or brass knuckles, and any person caught carrying these concealed weapons shall be fined one thousand dollars or be sent to the House of Correction for two years.

Under Chapter 160, no female person in charge of any musical instrument shall solicit money on the streets under a penalty of a fine of $100.00 or sixty days in the House of Correction.

Chapter 306 makes it unlawful for any town, municipality or city to levy a tax upon any person for selling fresh fruits, vegetables or other country produce from a wagon, provided, such products are grown by the seller. No one shall be protected under this Law, however, unless he shall have raised the produce himself.

Chapter 432 makes it a misdemeanor for any person other than an employe of a railroad to jump on any car, locomotive or train and for every offense the offender shall be fined $25 or be sent to the House of Correction for one month.

Chapter 372 says it shall be unlawful for any person to shoot, trap, catch or kill any partridge, quail, pheasant, rabbit squirrel, woodcock or deer between the twenty-fourth day of December and the tenth day of November in any year nor on Sundays or when the ground is covered with snow under a fine of from $25.00 to $100.00, and can be committed to jail from 30 to 60 days for each offense.

Any physician who fails to notify the health authorities of any case of smallpox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid fever, measles, whooping cough or any other infectious disease, shall be fined one hundred dollars in each case.

Chapter 720 makes it a misdemeanor to kill any turkey buzzard in this State under a fine of from $1.00 to $5.00 in each and every case.

Under Chapter 745 the Clerks of the Circuit Courts in the Counties shall send a full report of all marriages and of all degrees of divorce granted to the Vital Statistic Department of the State Board of health once each month and the failure of the Clerk to comply with this law makes them liable to a fine of $10.00 in each case.

Under Chapter 794 it is unlawful for any druggist or storekeeper to sell any bichloride of mercury tablets unless each tablet shall be triangular, diamond, square, oblong or irregular shape and said tablets shall be colored either blue, green, purple with the word "poison" impressed or embossed thereon. The penalty for offense in each case is from $25.00 to $100.00 or a jail fine.

Under Chapter 815 every person engaged in fishing for profit shall take out a license costing $5 00 for the first seine and $1.00 for each additional seine. Heretofore the one license has been all that was necessary.

These are only a few of the Laws which were passed. During the session there were more then 700 laws passed and signed by the Governor; many of them were local laws affecting only the county to which they apply.

A COAT of white-wash has been given the fencing and stables at the Kent Fair grounds by Mr. Howard Bowers, an expert with the hose. The first matinee will be given May 30.

THE "Gardens" across the river are looking fine. Judge Herbert Skipper is erecting a new fence. Mr. Wm. F. Malin is putting the finishing touches to Mr. Savington's home. Mr. Frank E. Duyer is erecting a splendid bungalow for Mr. Polk T. Bramble, of Chestertown. Mr. Owen C. Smith's truck fields are far advanced while his Indian Runner ducks beat the county. The hot houses of Mr. Rumsey Anthony are worth a visit while his father's place is a picture of thriftiness. Other places are looking fine.

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