LOCAL NOTES

BEGINNING March 21st the Tolchester Line begins its Spring Schedule. Boat will run to and from Tolchester every day, as will be seen by the adv. in this paper.

CHESTER BRIDGE and Washington avenue were lined with pedestrians last Sunday. It was a "Spring Opening" sure.

MILFORD SMITH, colored, was slashed with a razor by Wallace Cann, also colored, Saturday night, in "Santiago," from the corner of his eye to his jaw and Dr. Dodd was compelled to take ten stitches to close up the wound. When taken to jail, Smith claimed Cann was only "playing" with him when he cut him.

QUITE a crowd witnessed the basket ball team of Washington College, Chestertown, defeat the Young Men's Athletic Association team of Talbot county. 15 to 2, at Easton, Md., last Thursday night. Between the halves music by the Easton High School helped to enliven the occasion. The lineup: Washington College—Kratzer, right forward; Keyworth, left forward; Shartle, center; Duyer, right guard; Burns, left guard. Y. M. A. A.—Withgott, right forward; Hearn, left forward; Mullen, center; Ryan, right guard; Pilsch, left guard.

IT is reported that a Mrs. Brooks purchased the Jones property at Quaker Neck and will remove to Kent.

THE Chestertown milk station under Mr. Horn's direction is growing and a new building is in prospect this year. During the past month about $1,700 was paid to the 40 patrons.

OWEN C. SMITH, of near town, lost 20 valuable hogs in the last few weeks by some unknown disease thought to be hog cholera. Mr. Smith had a fine bunch of 23 before the disease struck them and has but three left. Some think it is bad slops which caused the loss.

A DELEGATION of Kent county Democrats were in Washington Monday to confer with Representative J. Harry Covington in connection with the postmastership at Chestertown. In the party were State Senator W. W. Beck, Lewin W. Wickes, Esq. and E. F. Perkins, a candidate for the office. While there the visitors called upon Senator John Walter Smith and Hon. J. H. Covington.

DURING the snow storm of Wednesday week an oil stove caught fire at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Spielberger, on Cannon street opposite the garage, and but for the timely aid of Mr. Spielberger, might have caused a considerable fire. Mrs. Spielberger lit the stove and left it in one of the upstairs rooms to heat, going below in the meantime. When she returned, the room was filled with smoke and the stove on fire. Mrs. Spielberger informed her husband, who came over from Sutton's garage with a fire extinguisher and soon put out the burning stove.

IN the game of ball Monday between the Orioles and Philadelphia the NEWS correspondent says: "All Washington rooted for the Birds and one fan gave Pitcher Jarman, the Washington College boy, a dollar bill for cleverly covering first when Gleichman got a difficult one in his territory on the last man out in the ninth. Jarman bought a dollar cigar."

THERE are said to be 80 teams at the Kennedyville milk station recently.

ONE of the latest additions to the stock farms of Mr. W. Frank Jarrell is a fine jet black Percheron stallion weighing over 1800 pounds. This splendid horse was purchased in Cecil county after a survey of the horse world.

A FARMER'S wife near town says she has a race to the hen house every time a hen cackles as the dogs start as soon as a hen lays to get the egg! It must be an exciting time on that farm.

A CITIZEN in Chestertown has a companion dog to W. E. Moody's "for-get-me-not" dog and Mr. Scott Beck's "train" dog. He says he has certainly an intelligent dog. He saw him start into his dog kennel and seeing a hen in there, retired, and lay outside until the hen had lain an egg. Then the dog went into the Kennel, picked up the egg, carried it to the hen house and returned to his box to take a snooze!

A STORY is told concerning one of Chestertown's "stay-lates" who called to see a young lady who had recently removed to town. It is the custom of country folks to invite their guests to remain all night, especially when it grows late, and this family had not become accustomed to town hours nor ways. So that when 11 o'clock came and the young man did not show any disposition to leave the man of the house invited him to spend the night! He thanked his host, and needless to state, took his departure at once.

TOMATO NEWS.

Mr. Isaac Gibbs, of Massey, being interested in tomato contracts saw the dispatch in a recent issue of the KENT NEWS dated Mullica Hill, N. J., in which the writer said farmers there were being offered $16 per ton for tomatoes, and he wrote to the postmaster. The postmastere replied, "have been unable to learn who these agents are or what canning factory they represent. Nobody here seems to know anything about it so have concluded it must be a new yarn." The farmers of Kent are more interested in Kent prices than what Mullica Hill growers get.

Farmers about Black Station are offered $8 per ton by Swing & Co.

Georgetown growers are offered 12 cents a basket.

Numsen is also offering 12 cents per basket,

Baldwin at Chestertown has not contracted but is willing to pay $7.50 a ton.

Dover, Camden, Wyoming, Houston and Rising Sun canneries have decided to pay farmers 14 cents per basket to grow tomatoes the coming season. Growers have been holding off for higher prices, but many are now signing contracts. Sixty baskets to the ton will make the price $8.40, which is considred a fair price when the decline in the price of the canned products at the present time and during the past season. At other parts of the country where catsup is not manufactured, the price is 12 cents per basket, or $7.20 per ton.—Denton Union.

Piano Contest.—The record of votes in the piano contest at A. L. Sparks' store for the week ending March 18 was as follows:

No. 72	5,099,580
No. 36	4,870,940
No. 25	3,680,900
No. 21	2,917,175
No. 94	2,721,795
No. 30	1,990,130
No. 52	1,947,480
No. 18	1,749,800
No. 6	1,514,320

Spring Opening, 1914

BORDLEY & SONS, the Men's Store, are now ready to fit satisfactorily any man, boy or child in ready-to-wear clothes who may see fit to favor them with their patronage.

We have the largest, most complete and up-to-date line of Clothing ever shown in Chestertown, ranging in price from $7.50 to $25.00, including both the foreign and domestic woolens, in many varieties.

Our line of the famous "Adler-Rochester" Clothes fit better, are made better, and will hold their shape longer, than any custom-made suit that comes to this town.

The reason is very simple—because they are the only hand-tailored garments that are sold here.

In the favorite Blue Serges we have just received over $1,000 worth, and they are now ready for your inspection.

Remember, the Men's Store is headquarters for Blue Serges, for we carry more of this line than all the stores of Kent county combined.

It will be our pleasure to show you what we have to offer men and boys, whether you are ready to buy or not, and we can show you what clear saving of dollars means to you.

The advantage in dealing with this store lies in the fact that we adjust cheerfully whatever complaints are justly made. That's better than having to keep what you buy. Call on us and test the truth of these statements.

Yours for satisfaction,

BORDLEY & SONS
THE MEN'S STORE
CHESTERTOWN, ... MARYLAND

Personal * * * * and Social

Prof. Emil Frederick Hacker, teacher of German and French at Washington College, has resigned. The resignation took effect last Thursday. This was Mr. Hacker's first year at Washington.

Mr. Morgan Brown, of near Edesville, was raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason on Wednesday night by the Chestertown lodge of Masons.

Mr. Joseph N. Wheatley spent several days the past week visiting friends in Baltimore and Washington.

Rev. C. B. Fisher, who owns some fine land in Kent, after a pastorate of six years in Long Branch has been transferred to a church in Asbury Park, which was served by Dr. Fisher twenty years ago, after a five years pastorate. It certainly speaks well of Dr. Fisher to be called to this church and seems like returning to an old home.

Miss Nannie Gale is the guest of Mrs. George W. Hatcherson.

Miss Alice Alcott is but little improved.

Our esteemed friend and fellow citizen, Mr. W. W. Hubbard, went to the Church Home on Broadway, Baltimore, for special treatment. He has been quite sick for some weeks and upon the advice of his physician went to the Hospital. At this writing a decided improvement is noted and it is thought within a few weeks he will be himself again.

Mrs. W. P. Milby and daughter, of Trappe, Md., are visiting her mother, Mrs. S. A. Ivens.

Mrs. Charles deVere Drayton, of Washington, D. C., is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Eliason.

Mrs. Edward Ringgold bruised herself quite severely one night last week by falling down several stairs.

Prof. William Wheatley, of Easton, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wheatley.

Miss Emma France was a guest of Baltimore friends last week.

Miss Margaret Skipper, of Peabody Institute, Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Skipper.

Mr. Gault Applegarth, state road engineer, who advertised in NEWS for a house, has rented from Mrs. Emory S. Wroth, her pretty cottage on Water St. Mr. and Mrs. Applegarth will occupy the house after April 1st.

Mr. Paul Graham is spending a couple of weeks in Salisbury.

Mr. William Green is visiting his daughter in Baltimore.

Mrs. Joseph C. Kendall quietly observed her 81st birthday one day last week at the home of her son Judge Virgil W. Kendall. She was the recipient of numerous post cards and other remembrances.

Mrs. M. J. Gibson, of near Rock Hall, was paralized Sunday night.

Mrs. H. R. Graham is in Baltimore at the bedside of her father.

A letter from Mr. and Mrs. James Brice, who are enjoying summer time in Florida, states that they are well, and that they will leave Tampa for home on March 23, reaching here on the 28th.

Mrs. Sophia H. Betton, one of our aged lady residents on Front street, celebrated her 82nd birthday on Thursday. She was the recipient of numerous souvenir post cards and other remembrances.

Mrs. Amanda Edwards continues quite poorly. She is under the care of her physician.

Miss Josephine Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hicks, left Monday morning for her annual trip south.

Mr. Thomas Fourniotis, of the Candy Kitchen firm, who left here over a year ago and enlisted in the armies of the Balkan Allies, returned home Tuesday. He arrived in Baltimore Monday from Europe.

Miss Mamie Thompson has been visiting friends in Middletown.

Mr. Walter Simmons, of Cecil, visited Dr. H. B. Simmons and wife this week.

Master Calvin Copper had an enjoyable birthday party Saturday night at his home on Kent Square.

Mrs. M. M. Rasin is the guest of her son on Kent Circle.

Prof. W. Raymond Moody delivered a lecture at the University Club, Washington, on March 11 on "College Men and Social Service" and on March 14th, he lectured at the Knickerbocker Hotel New York, on "The New Fraternalism."

Mr. Benjamin E. Rust has been laid up for the past few weeks suffering with rheumatism and grip. He is able to be out now.

Mr. M. R. H. Legg, our efficient station master, left Monday for his new position at Cambridge, Md. Mr. Frank Passwater, of Kennedyville, is in his place.

Mrs. Clifton L. Jarrell, who has been confined in a Baltimore hospital, returned Saturday on the boat, looking very much better and being much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Jefferson are guests of Baltimore friends.

Mr. A. S. Crawford fell in the yard on the ice last Friday and severely injured his side.

Miss Elizabeth Stuart is spending the week visiting Baltimore friends.

Mrs. Brooks, widow of Admiral Brooks, U. S. N., and her daughter, have returned to their home in New York, after an extended visit with Major Cree and wife on Chester river.

Mr. Boozeer, of Pennsylvania, is a guest of his sister, Mrs. W. Gross Mingle.

Rev. A. H. Covey spent the past few days in Baltimore.

Capt. Jos. Robinson is in town in the interest of the John Boyle tomato packing house of Baltimore which desires to contract for several hundred acres of tomatoes.

Mr. James T. Anthony is confined to his home with grip.

Mr. Frank Connelly severely burned his right hand Sunday.

Mr. Samuel L. Wright has been quite sick with grip.

Mrs. Dale Adkins, of Salisbury, has been visiting her parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Graham, during the week.

Mr. Rolph Stavely, of Lynch, accompanied by Rev. S. S. Hepbron went to Baltimore last week to consult Dr. Bloodgood, the noted specialist, about some trouble to one of his wrists. Mr. Stavely was operated on Wednesday and is improving at this time.

Mr. Randolph Anthony, of Ohio, was with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Anthony, near town, last week. He returned home Friday.

Mr. William E. Elliott, of Chestertown, was eighty-two years old last Sunday. Mr. Elliott, who has been enjoying good health, was confined by grip on that day. Mr. Elliott has been doing six hours work each day and would not quit work for anything. He is employed with Lofland & Culp, Chestertown, successors to the late J. K. Aldridge, by whom he had been employed for many years.

Mrs. Andrew Medders is visiting her sister in Atlantic City.

Mr. Robert Shepherd will leave the Groves farm at Lankford for a fine place near Philadelphia. He will have a sale next Monday.

Mr. Edward W. Rice, vice-president and manager of the Peabody Electric Company of Joplin, Mo., and Muskogee, Okla., is visiting friends in Worton. Mr. Rice tells us the town of Joplin, Mo., has a population of 4,000 is one of the richest towns of its size in the country, and mineral experts claim a strip of land 100 miles long and 60 miles wide is the richest in the country, a solid bed zink and lead ore. The town of Joplin is in the centre of this with seven railroads entering it, four electric interurban roads, the dirt roads of the very best which are made from chat, the grindings of the rock from which the ore is separated, though stone is cheap to handle and makes the best road bed of any known material of its kind. The climatic conditions of this part of Southwest Missouri are good, being mild in winter and the strong south wind in summer keep down the humidity, producing more pleasant summers than many parts of the United States where it is cooler but not so dry. The Peabody Electric Company are doing a general retail and wholesale business from the two points, Joplin and Muskogee, besides doing general electrical contracting on a large scale, electric light and power plants being a specialty of the engineering department of this company.

DEATHS.

The news of the death of Mrs Charles T. Westcott in Baltimore was received here yesterday. Funeral to be Sunday at 12 o'clock with interment at St. Paul's.

Mrs. Robert M. Joiner, wife of Robert M. Joiner, died on Thursday afternoon at her home near Melitota. She was taken sick on Tuesday last with a slight heart attack, but was not thought seriously ill. Becoming worse the doctor was sent for and she died about five o'clock on Thursday afternoon. She was 45 years of age and was indeed a helpmeet in every sense of the word. We have known her for years and feelingly sympathize with the husband and children in their sorrow and great loss. She was Miss Pennington before marriage and leaves a husband and nine children, namely, Reba, Norman, Marian, Grace, Mary, Emma, Robert, Katherine and Hallie. The youngest child is two years old.

The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock from her late home with interment in Chester cemetery. Rev. Mr. Jester will officiate; Chas. L. Dodd, undertaker. The bearers will be Harry Stavely, J. L. Deputy, W. B. Plummer, J. R. Bowers, W. H. Cooper, Harry Rash.

Mr. Charles H. Fleming, of Aberdeen, died suddenly on the evening of March 12th. Mr. Fleming had not been in usual good health for several months, yet he was able to attend to his duties as agent for the P. B. & W. R. R. Co. Mr. Fleming and wife had just returned from a call on their neighbor across the street, and upon reaching home, dropped lifeless to the floor. It will be recalled that his brother, the late B. F. Fleming, of this town, met with a similar fate last summer, while fishing on Chester river bridge. Mr. Fleming is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ella Fleming, and two daughters, Mrs. Ramoth Mitchell, of Wilmington, and Mrs. J. F. McFadden, of Perryman, Md. He was a consistent member of the M. E. Church as also trustee, and a member of Aberdeen Lodge No. 187 A. F. & A. M. Funeral services were held from his late residence on Monday last in charge of the Masonic Fraternity, and interment at the Grove cemetery at Aberdeen.

William Briscoe, aged 24 years, beloved son of Robert F. and Amy Milburn (nee Cooper) died in Baltimore Saturday. The funeral took place Wednesday from the residence of his parents, 21 W. Hayward Ave., Wilmington.

John Donohoe, aged 87 years, father of Policeman John J. Donohoe, of Wilmington, Del., died Friday. In addition to the son who is a policeman, there are three other children, Thomas, Mrs. Elizabeth Connell and Mrs. Catherine Grady. He had 18 grandchildren. Mr. Donohoe was born in Ireland. He lived for a number of years near Galena, Md., where he engaged in farming. About 28 years ago he went to Wilmington and had a stand in Third street markst for a number of years. For the past 10 years or so he had lived retired. The funeral took place from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Connell, 1401 W. Second street, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Requiem mass was said at St. Paul's R. C. Church. Interment was made at the Cathedral cemetery. The deceased was related to the well-known Donohoe family of the First district.

Capt. Washington L. Woodall, for many years a prominent figure in shipping circles, died shortly after midnight on Monday, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Sudler Wiest, near Millington, in his 78th year. Capt. Woodall had never known a day's sickness until two weeks ago when he was taken ill while a guest in the home of his daughter. He is survived by his widow and five children: Mrs. Edward Stevens, of Sudlersville; Capt. Wasnington I. Woodall and Mrs. David Kendall, of Chestertown; Mrs. Sudler Wiest, of Millington, and Mr George Woodall at home. The remains were brought to Chestertown Wednesday and rested at the home of deceased's son, Capt. Washington Woodall, High street. Funeral services held Thursday morning at 10. 30; Rev. Dr. W. R. Graham officiating; interment was in Chester cemetery. Undertaker, Chas. L. Dodd.

The bearers were Sam'l Sparks, G. B. Westcott, Frank Howard, W. H. Lambert, Wm. Vansant, W. E. Moody.

Mrs. Lydia Morris, widow of John Morris, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William H. Alderson, on Thursday night, age seventy-nine years. Mrs. Morris had been an invalid for several years, but was a very patient sufferer. The funeral was held from her late residence on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock; interment in the Cecilton Cemetery. She is survived by four children:—Mrs. T. VanBuskirk, of Baltimore; Mr. William Morris, of Wilmington; Mrs. John Coppage and Mrs. W. H. Alderson, of Cecilton

Jr. O. U. A. M. Anniversary.

The Junior Order United American Mechanics will observe their 15th anniversary next Thursday evening in the skating rink. There will be addresses by several of the State officers, together with music and refreshments. Every member of the order, as well as the members of every other order in the town, is cordially invited to be present to enjoy the occasion. The Junior Order is one of the strongest fraternal organizations in the town, and is doing a splendid work.

The order has presented to Washington college a handsome American flag, and the flag raising will take place with appropriate exercises the day following the anniversary—Friday morning at 11 o'clock.

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NEW SPRING WASH GOODS

Large Line of the Pretty Fabrics Just Opened

12½c Percales and Ginghams **10c**

15c Percales and Ginghams **12½c**

We show you an assortment of these New Wash Fabrics that will make you glad to purchase. The larger selections and the lower prices means greater business. Make us a visit and see for yourself.

The Rubber Shoe Sale Continues

Beginning Monday, we will offer during next week the greatest "BARGAINS" in Standard Rubber Shoes that has ever been our good pleasure to offer. These Rubbers are NEW STOCK, just in from the factory and are all standard brands, such as BOSTON and BAY STATE, and you will do well to supply yourself liberally.

Children's 50c Storm Rubbers, **29c**
Women's 75c Storm Rubbers, **39c**
Men's $1.00 Storm Rubbers, **59c**

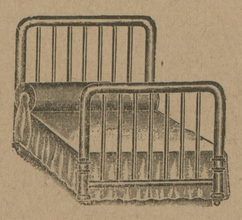
All sizes are in this lot and they are all clean, new and select stock. The Women's Rubbers run 2½ to 8, and Men's Rubbers are sizes 6 to 11, regular widths and best shapes.

Don't overlook this sale next week.

Furniture!

Of reliable make and standard grade. All sold at special low prices. Our "Free Delivery" brings it to your place without extra charge.

White Enamel Beds

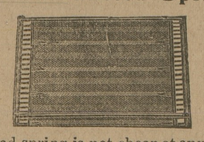


All White Heavy Enamel Beds (made in all widths)

No wear out to a good White Enamel. Prices $4.50, $7.50, $9.60.

Cheaper Beds at $1.98, $2.98, $3.98.

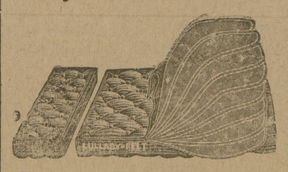
Buy Guaranteed Springs



A bad spring is not cheap at any price. We are now selling—

$4.00 Rome Link Springs at $2.90.
$6.00 Lace Woven Springs at $4.90.
Dheaper Springs at $1.98, $2.50.

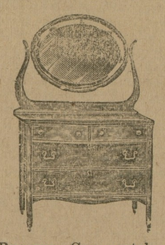
Try a Felt Mattress



The most wholesome Mattress of all. We are selling good Felt Mattresses with select ticking at quite a saving.

$12.50 Double Mattress, 2 parts, $10.00
$9.00 Double Mattress, 2 parts, $8.50.
$7.50 Double Mattress, 5 parts, $6.50.
Cheaper Mattresses at $2.75 up.

Odd Bureaus



Odd Bureaus—Can match or go to make up a pretty Suit.

Made in Golden Oak, White Enamel or Imitation Mahogany.

Prices $10.00, $12.50, $15.00 up.

Cheaper Bureaus at $5.50 up.

New Low Buffets

Made in fine quality oak and built for beauty and service.

Prices $22.50, $25.00, $29.00.

Cheaper Buffets at $12.50, $15.00 up.

Next Wednesday

SALE ON

Fancy Baskets

For 9 Cents

These are the thing you want now—Fancy Egg Basket, made of colored rush and willow with braided top support and strong handle, size from ½ peck to full peck or over and are pretty and handy.

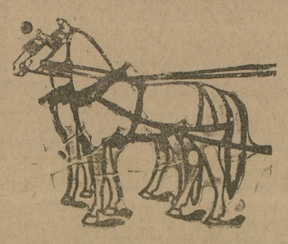
Only one to a family and no duplicates and you take your pick for only 9 cents.

All good housekeepers take pride in a pretty shopping basket, so this is an opportunity.

Come and take your pick, 9c.

Wagon Harness

At Old Prices



Heavy Wagon Harness, made with 1¾ inch traces, all clean stock, less breechings, extra heavy, price, $9.50.

Gall-Cure Collars For $1.75

The Gall-Cure Collars are a recognized high-grade make.

$2.50 Grade Collars at $1.98.
$3.00 Full Leather Collars at $2.50.
$1.50 Plow Bridles at $1.25.
$1.75 Plow Bridles at $1 50.
$2.00 Plow Bridles at $1.65.
Plow Lines, pair at 15c and 20c.
Rope Traces, pair at 18c.
Good Horse Collars at $1.25.

We purchased our Harness and all Leather Goods way last year in order to be able to give our people the best Harness at same old prices.

Our thrifty farmers will soon appreciate these values for their spring need.

Buggy Harness Cheap

Special $14.00 Harness, full track saddle, made of select stock and a real bargain at our special price, only $12.50.

The $16.00 Kay Saddle Harness, very neat and pretty, and made of fine stock leather, on sale at $14.50.

The $18.00 Kay Saddle Harness, genuine rubber, fine finish and a very stylish set, with black or russet reins, for only $16.50.

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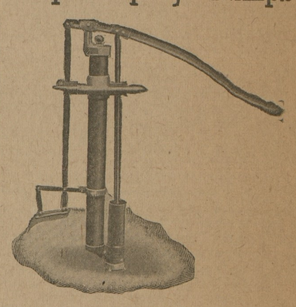

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We keep the full outfits ready for quick service and also the Repairs and Fittings.

Bamboo Spray Rods.
Eclipse Angle Nozzles,
Best Pressure Rubber Hose.
Fittings of all kinds and sorts

CLOVER SEED RUSH!

Another large lot Fancy Toledo Seed just arrived.

This seed stood the highest test at the Galena Grange, and at the Chestertown Grange, and it was our good pleasure to fill their orders on these TESTED SEED.

Orders are now coming in from all over the county and we are shipping the seed out quick.

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FANCY RED TOP
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Direct from Maine State and all fancy seed and true to name.

Free from scab or other imperfection.

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FANCY GREEN MOUNTAIN

Full size sacks, all selected Maine Seed and no other kind.

If you want Good Seed Potatoes visit our place and see for yourself. We can sell to you right. Phone us at anytime.

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Barker's Horse and Cattle Powders, package, 10c.

Horse Clippers, $6.75

Stewart's No. 1 Horse Clippers, complete machine and outfit, $6.75.

We sell extra knives and parts to the Stewart Clippers.

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