Personal ❋ ❋ ❋ ❋ and Social

Mrs. H. C. Willis and Mrs. J. E. Keyser are spending the week at a house party on Stony Creek in Harford county.

Mrs. A. M. Bowers is at New Freedom, Pa., for a few weeks.

Miss Maria Parsons is visiting friends in Pennsylvania.

Miss Myrtle Gladden, of Annapolis, is the guest of Miss Howard, on Mill street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vansant have been enjoying a week at Asbury Park.

Miss Nettie Sutton has been visiting friends in Wilmington.

Misses Mary and Sallie Davis are spending the week at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Cornelia Haines and daughter, Miss Mae, have returned to their home in Philadelphia after spending ten days with their uncle, Benj. E. Benton, near Massey. They were accompanied home by Miss Clara Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Groves gave a house party Saturday evening in honor of their guests, those present being: Messrs. John Cleary, Geo. Lentz, Chas. Clendaniel, Fredie Numbers, Lloyd Kennedy, the Misses Groves, C. C. Roe, Marietta Loud and Emma Groves, of Frederick county. At midnight refreshments were served; also plenty of fine music and games.

Misses Helen and Louise Russell, of Chestertown, spent a few days with their cousin, Mr. James H. Groves and family, near Kennedyville.

Mrs. Wm. T. Russell and daughter, Ellen, of Baltimore, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic H. Russell on Water street.

Mr. Robert E. Jones, lieutenant 29th Infantry in U. S. Army, has been a guest of relatives in Kent. He is looking remarkably well.

Mr. Frank Lewis and baby, of Baltimore, are visiting the home folks, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Elliott.

Miss Maggie Joiner, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Gussie Cannon on Kent Circle.

Mr. John Cannon, of Wilmington, is the guest of his nephews on Kent Circle.

Mies Catharine Price entertained a house party last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Price, near Kennedyville. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Moor Vasell, Mrs. J. W. Morris and son, Linwood, Miss Gray and Mr. James Caldwell, of Wilmington, Mr. Herbert Caldwell, of Galena, Miss Hester Long, and Mr. S. Price, of Kennedyville, and Mr. Ernest Strong, of Chestertown.

Miss Marghuerita Dodd has resigned her school at Chincoteague and accepted one in Dorchester county.

Mr. James H. Shuster spent Sunday in town with his sister.

Rev. D. J. Givan, pastor of Antioch M. E. Church, formerly of Kent, is seriously ill at his home on Main street. Mr. Givan's condition is such as may necessitate an operation, but his physicians have not yet come to a definite conclusion.

Mr. Oscar Faucet has returned from a visit to his daughter in Norristown, Pa.

Mr. Harold Graham and "friend," of Baltimore, are guests at the M. P. Parsonage.

Mr. S. G. Caldwell and wife are at Ocean Grove for a few days.

Mrs. Fannie Bull, of W. Arlington, Baltimore has been the guest of Mrs. Wm. E. Moody the past week.

Mrs. William Daniels, of Wilmington, and two sons, Mrs. Lydia Rawley, of Smyrna, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hickman, of Dover, Del., and their son, Donald, are all visiting at the home of Mr. William Hickman at Betterton.

Master Jack Davis, of Wilmington, is visiting his cousins, Misses Helen and Louise Russell.

Master William A. Smith has received a handsome new bicycle from the Curtis Publishing Company.

LOCAL NOTES

A SLIGHT FIRE occured at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burke on High street Monday. The fire was extinguished before the Fire Co. arrived.

THE Junior Auto at C. E. Kirby's store was won by Master Stirling Townshend, he having gotten the largest number of coupons.

THE People's Laundry lost a fine horse Tuesday. He dropped dead to the wagon near Culp's factory.

H. SACHS and family have rented the Crew house on High street belonging to T. G. Wroth and will remove there as soon as extensive improvements are made.

THE Board of Visitors and Governors of Washington College have appointed Mr. Martin Ten Hoor, a graduate of the University of Michigan professor of philosophy and education to succeed Dr. Dana. Mr. Thos. Kibler will return to the College as athletic director.

A PLYMOUTH ROCK HEN belonging to Mrs. E. R. Anthony, of near town, hatched out four young partridges Thursday. They follow the hen about and answer her call the same as her chicks. They are about one third the size and resemble strongly a brown leghorn chick. Mr. Anthony found the eggs in his corn field, where a dog or other animal had driven the mother bird from her nest.

THE sale of R. Bradford Johnson's personalty has been postponed to Tuesday, Sept. 1st. Last Wednesday was too stormy. This sale is worth attending if you want good stock.

MRS. ANNIE H. STAM has purchased of Mrs. Carrie Wroth her fine residence property on Front street. The price paid was $3,800. The lot has a frontage of about 45 feet and is beautifully situated on the river. This home will be tenanted in September by Mr. Brown and bride.

CAPT. MORRIS WILSON, of Rock Hall, piloted a party of fishermen Monday to the perch feeding grounds off Poole's Island and they caught four baskets full of perch of various sizes from 1½ pounds to several ounces. In the party were Messrs. Ray Sparks and Bernard Boyd, of Jacksonville, Clifford Sparks, of Phila., Irving Sparks and the NEWS man. We sure did catch'em!

Two old colored residents of Chestertown have died the past week—Virgil Diggs and George Fletcher.

THE Teachers' Institute next week will be favored with vocal solos by Miss Louise Armstrong, Jewell Armstrong, Thos. W. Perkins and Miss Helen Boyd; recitations by Misses Carmeta Russell and Polly Westcott; instrumental duet by Misses Smyth and Russell; solo by Miss Anna Mae Ayres; violin solo by T. Kemp Bordley.

A GENTLEMAN in Chestertown has received a letter from a friend from Germany who is marooned in London, said letter to be mailed here to her people in Berlin, Germany. This is the only route that mail can be gotten into Germany or Austria.

A SUIT by titling has been filed in the Clerk's office in Chestertown by C. W. Kibler against The Metcalf Grain Co., both Grain buyers.

THE Chestertown market has been well supplied with everything but never before were there so many peaches sold here. Mr. Aleck Bacon's son of Melitota alone has sold over 500 baskets while others have sold them by the score. This market beats the city but the demand is limited.

THE Crew House is being renovated for Mr. H. Sachs and will be occupied by his family in September.

MR. H. SACHS will open up a first-class Ladies and Men's Tailoring Department on the upper floor of his place of business early in September.

THE Kent House has been rented by Miss Mollie Watts who finds her present house too small. The Kent House has 30 rooms and has lately been improved and renovated throughout.

A NEW shoe repairing shop has been opened next door to Mr. W. T. Bramble's harness shop.

BORDLEY & SONS are still marking down goods making room for their alterations. "Every hat in the window for 50 cents" was a sign noticed there this week. All Spring and Summer Suits at ½ off. Other interesting reductions. While in town at Chautauqua call and see their fine haberdashery.

BOWERS & STAVELY have been awarded the contract for building a new school house at Lynch.

Mr. Samuel Mann and family removed to their new home in Baltimore yesterday. He has bought a good store with big trade on Madison avenue Mr. Chas. Bentz is left in charge of the farm until Mr. Sewell Lee can move there. We regret to lose such excellent citizens.

Miss Emma France, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. T. D. France, was operated upon for appendicitis at Mercy Hospital, Baltimore, this week and is getting along very well.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Beck, Misses Minnie Massey and Blanche Constable and Mr. W. B. Usilton attended the Cambridge Fair this week. In motoring over the 70 miles to Cambridge only about five miles of dirt road were encountered the balance being splendid cement and stone and shell roads. Cambridge is a hustling city of 8000 people.

Messrs. Allan B. Harris and G. W. Gitt went to Cambridge by motorcycle this week.

(Other Personals on Page 2.)

DEATHS.

Mrs. Laura Crew, widow of the late Eben Crew, of Betterton, died on Friday night last after a lingering illness, aged 68 years. Funeral services were held from the home of her grandson, Mr. Arthur Brice, at Betterton, on Sunday afternoon at 2 30 p. m., the Rev. F. X. Moore officiating. Interment was in Still Pond Cemetery. The bearers were William Crew, Medford Crew, Howard Owens, W. H. Crew, Harvey Brice, Dr. Brinsfield. Undertaker, W. H. Krusen.

Elizabeth H., the eleven-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Kalbrach, died near Betterton, on last Saturday morning after a short illness of diarrhea. Funeral services were held from her late home on Monday morning at ten o'clock, Rev. F. X. Moore officiating. Interment was in in the M. E. Church Yard at Still Pond. Undertaker, W. H. Krusen.

Helen Maud, the 8 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Say, died at her home in Winchester, Va., Monday and was buried Wednesday. She was taken ill with appendicitis and died quickly. Her mother was Miss Helen Carter, sister to Mrs. Hiram M. Brown, of Chestertown.

IMPORTANT DATES

SEPTEMBER 22 AND 23, OCTOBER 6 AND 7 DAYS ON WHICH KENT COUNTIANS CAN REGISTER.

Every Voter Will Have To Offer Himself For Enrollment This Year Before He Can Participate In Election—No Registration Before Primaries.

The qualified voters of Kent county who wish to cast a ballot in the forthcoming general election to be held this fall must take care that they do not overlook the fact that there will be a new general registration and everyone must register anew.

It makes no difference if you are already a registered voter, that fact will not entitle you to vote. New books will be made up and everyone must be registered in the new registration books which will be used in the coming election. The registration days this fall will be as follows:

Tuesday, September 22.
Wednesday, September 23.
Tuesday, October 6.
Wednesday, October 7.

The hours at which the registration offices will be open are from 8 a. m. till 8 p. m.

On Tuesday, October 13th, the registration offices will be open during the same hours for correction and revision only, and on that day no new names will be allowed to go on the books.

The primary election this year will be held on Tuesday, September 15.

There will be no registration for the primaries, and only those whose names are on the old books at the present time will be allowed to participate in the election of the party nominees. The only exception to this is in the case of young men who will arrive at the age of 21 years before election day, November 3rd, and would therefore be entitled to registration for that election. Young men coming under this class will be allowed to participate in the primaries.

CHURCH NOTES.

Christ Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. W. R. Graham, D. D., pastor. Services on Sunday, Aug 30, and preaching by the pastor at 10 30 a. m. and 6,30 p. m. Sabbath school 2 30 p. m., christian Endeavor service Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Mid-week service Thursday evening at 8

Dr. J. S. Bowers will be unable to fill his engagements in Kent next Sunday, but Dr. J. M. Sheridan, ex-president, will occupy the pulpit at Wesley Chapel in the morning and at Kennedyville at night. Miss Nannie Bowers, daughter of Dr. Bowers, is quite sick at the country home of her father, New Freedom, Pa.

Mr. Joseph N. Wheatley addressed Christ Church Sunday School Sunday afternoon about his trip to Detroit.

Chestertown M. E. Church.—Rev. L E. Barrett, D. D., Pastor—Services next Sunday, Aug. 30, as follows: 10.30 a. m.; preaching by the pastor, subject: "Light,' 2.15 p. m. Sabbath School and Pastor's Bible Class; 7 p. m. Epworth League Song Service followed by short sermon by the pastor. All invited.

Subscriber for Fifty Years.—One of our most esteemed subscribers to the KENT NEWS in renewing his paper for the 50th time writes as follows from Philadelphia, Pa.:

EDITORS KENT NEWS,

Dear Sir:—Enclose please find $1.00 subscription to NEWS

This is my 50 years successive subscription. My father the late D. B. Stuart passed over to the other side in 1863 and I continued his subscription. From that time I have noticed many changes in the paper, of style and make-up, yet I enjoy it ever so much to keep in touch with the affairs of old Kent. The first thing I look to see who of my old friends have passed on. Wishing your paper many years of property

Yours truly,
R. P. STUART.

FRUIT JARS

I have in stock the best Mason's Perfect and Sure Seal Fruit Jars, in pints, quarts and half-gallons.

Apron and Dress Ginghams
Just received, new supply of Apron and Dress Ginghams, 8c and 10c yard.

My stock is being increased with new and UP-TO-DATE Merchandise.

Table Oil Cloth
Ready-made Aprons
Hair Nets, Etc,
are all to be found in my stock

☞ Bring us your Country Produce. Will pay highest prices for Butter and Eggs.

Frank A. Hurlock
(Successor to O. B. Crow)

Aug. 31-Sept. 6

REDUCTION SALE LOW SHOES

To clean up our stock of Summer Footwear we are offering them at a great reduction. The prices below are for cash only:

$4.50 values, now.....$3.25
$4.00 values, now.....$3.00
$3.50 values, now.....$2.75
$3.00 values, now.....$2.35
$2.50 values, now.....$2.00

Unusual values in Summer HOSIERY.

C. C. JONES, THE SHOE MAN,
Phone 222-J CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

New Ice-Cream Parlor
Cross St., Chestertown

I have rented the elegant big store room in the new Culp Building on Cross Street, next door to Fowler's Paint Store, and fitted the same up in the latest style as

Ice-Cream Parlors

Our Ices Cannot Be Surpassed

Our many customers are our advertisement. Try an order and be convinced for yourself. We are prepared to serve the public, including Churches, Lodges, &c., with Ices of all kinds in any quantity upon reasonable notice.

MRS. J. CORDRAY LOUD.
PHONE 54. my23

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

SEE the Chautauqua for entertainment and instruction and see J. S. Kreeger for watches, clocks, rings, lavaliers and all kinds of jewelery, kodaks and supplies. Have your pictures developed and printed here.

J. S. KREEGER
Jeweler and Optometrist
Phone 53-J Chestertown, Md.

Where Shall I Go This Evening?

To The Candy Kitchen

Hot weather has started and the taste for good, cool ice-cream is returning and the only place to get it is at the CANDY KITCHEN.

Our friends have noticed what a nice clean parlor we keep and have favored us all along with an ever-increasing share of their patronage. There is but one reason for this increase. We keep the cleanest, purest cream in town, as well as the best line of purely Home-made Candies.

Everything good to eat can be obtained at our parlors, and there is no better way to spend a few minutes these warm evenings than to come with your friends and hear the good music while you eat. New records every week.

Of course we keep a full line of cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco. We also handle all kinds of fruits in season, and we might remark that nothing but pure fresh fruits go into our ice-cream.

If there is a party, a festival, a picnic, or an excursion—remember that you can get a special discount on cream bought in large quantities. Shipped free over five gallons. This is a saving.

We are always glad to see you and your friends at all times. Come in and spend a while with us. Yours very truly,

Chestertown Candy Kitchen
Phone 256. CHESTERTOWN

WM. MEDDERS & CO.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO TELEPHONE ORDERS

FALL OUTLOOK

Don't you bother about the "make-out" higher prices on account of the war, etc.

You will get your supplies this season at the same old low prices as heretofore.

Some few goods may be scarcer, but a great many will be cheaper.

We have our Fall and Winter stocks bought, and there will be no occasion for advances at this store.

Good Things for Sale

Bissell's Cyco-Bearing.....$3.50
Carpet Sweepers on sale at.....$2.50
Every Bissell Sweeper is guaranteed or money back.

Window Screens
Light Frames, Best Quality

22c Screens now.....16c
30c Screens now.....22c
Screen Doors now.....85c and 95c

Mottled Blue 4-quart Enamel Pudding Pans, white inside, only.....10c

All-White Sauce Pans, inside and out, now.....10c

20c Steel Fry Pans.....10c

20c Enamel Culander only.....10c

20c Galvanized Buckets.....10c

20c Agate Wash Basins.....10c

6-qt. Agate Pudding Pans.....10c

6-quart Enamel Preserving Kettles, worth 25c.....10c

Berlin Sauce Pans, 3-quart seamless.....10c

25c Drip Pans, all sizes, only 10c

10c Drip Pans, large size, only 5c

10-quart Agate Dish Pans.....10c

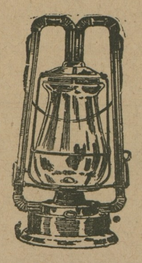
All sorts of China and Glassware are now on sale at.....10c

All Iron Cots, $1.98
Complete with springs. Makes a good single bed.

75c Dish Pans 50c

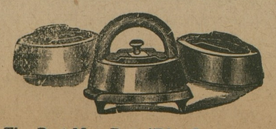
Large 17-Quart Blue Agate Pans with white enamel lining. Sold for 75c. Sale price, 50c.

50c Lanterns, 33c



The 50c Best Tubular Lanterns, side lift, at only 33c.

$1 Flat Irons, 69c



The Best Mrs. Potts' Flat Irons, complete set, on sale at 69c.

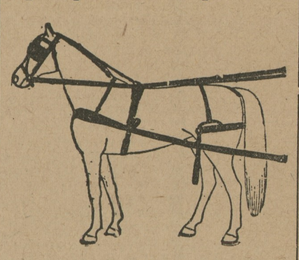
Next Wednesday
SALE ON
Heavy Wash Boards For 9 Cts

Next week we have on sale Heavy Zinc and Heavy Brass Wash Boards, full size and all styles in the assortment—just the thing you may be in need of—if not now. later on. Take your choice for 9c.

Only one to go to a customer and no duplicate, and price will be only 9c.

Don't overlook this sale on next Wednesday.

Buy Harness Now
Big Bargains in Carriage Harness



Best values in GOOD HARNESS we ever sold.

Special $14 Harness, full track saddle, made of select stock and a real bargain our special price, only $12.50.

The $16 Kay Saddle Harness, very neat and pretty, and made of fine stock leather, on sale at $14.50.

The $18 Kay Saddle Harness, genuine rubber, fine finish and a very stylish set, with black or russet reins, $15.50.

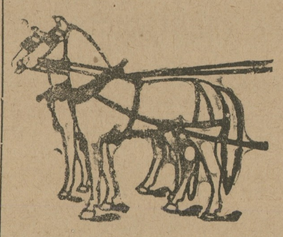
Plow Harness at same old low prices.

Gall-Cure Collars, $1.75

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

The $2.50 Gall-Cure Collars.....$1.98
The Mule Skin Collars at.....$2.50
The Rope Traces.....18c
The $2.00 Plow Bridles at.....$1.65
The $1.50 Plow Bridles at.....$1.25
Lot Horse Collars on sale at.....$1.25

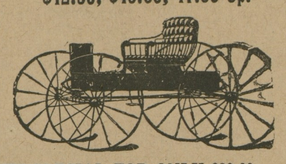
Wagon Harness



The Best $16 Wagon Harness, made 1¾-inch heavy traces and good breechings, straps & chains, now **$14.90.**

Our Special Wagon Harness, made as above, 1¾-inch heavy trace, but without breechings, only **$9.50.**

Factory Prices on Stylish Runabouts $42.50, $45.00, 47.50 Up.

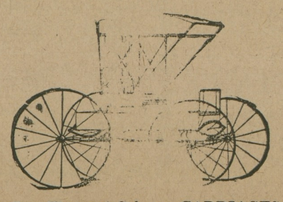


SPECIAL FOR ONLY $39.00.

Runabouts, made and trimmed in good order, nicely painted and like the regular dealers $45.00 jobs, are here on sale at $39.00.

Full stock of Vehicles on sale.

Carriages At Factory Prices



Our Close-out Sale on CARRIAGES, SURREYS and RUNABOUTS will be of great saving to those in need of a vehicle.

We have a large stock, a selection unequalled in the county, and at these reduced prices you can afford to buy a new outfit.

Harness also reduced for August

WM. MEDDERS & CO.

School Supplies

Now is the time to get your "School Supplies" and this is the place to buy them for less than you ever did before. "We have a large stock." Selection unequaled in the county.

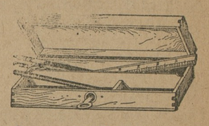
5c Writing Tablets, 3c

The 5c Ink Tablets.....3c
The 5c Pencil Tablets.....3c
Lot 10c Special Tablets.....5c
Lot 15c Special Tablets.....10c

5c Good Envelopes, 3c

Good 5c Envelopes, pkge.....3c
Best 5c School Ink.....3c
Good 5c Lead Pencils.....3c
The 5c Erasers.....3c
Lot 5c Composition Books.....3c

Fancy Companion Boxes



Lot 5c Companion Boxes.....3c
Large Selection of Fancy Companion Boxes, at.....5c, 10c, 15c, 25c
The 5c Rulers at.....3c
Lot of the best 5c Pens, Pencils, Crayons and all sorts of things for use at school time, on sale at.....3c

Quite a collection of School Supplies for the Little Tots, such as Tablets, Pencils, Rulers and the like, and they take a choice for only.....1c

SCHOOL SHOES
A FULL AND COMPLETE STOCK

We sell and recommend the SELZ "LIBERTY BELL" SHOES for Children as the best values on the market.
Children's Sizes.....$1.25, $1.50
Larger Sizes.....$1.50, $1.75, $2.00

FOR BOYS

For Stout and Strong Boys we have a Calf Skin Shoe, made to stand the rough and tumble of a boy, and it is the best School Shoe on the market. Each and every pair is guaranteed to give satisfaction or you get a new pair *free*.
PRICES $1.75, $1.98, $2.50

SPECIALS

Lot of Children's Good Shoes, worth from $1.25 to $1.50, all sizes on sale, for only..... 98c

SCHOOL SUITS
Come and Make a Selection.

Large stock to select from—something that will give wear and service to the boys.
PRICE $1.98, $2.50, $3.50 UP
BOYS' KNEE PANTS, extra value, at.....50c, 75c, 98c

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