Local Notes

THE spring schedule of the Tolchester Company will be found in another column of this issue.

A FARM TRACTOR has been purchased by Mr. Edwin C. Corbin, of Rolph's Wharf, from the International Harvester Co.

WM. H. MCKEE has leased his fine stallion, Star Bingen, to parties in Virginia, and he will leave here this week.

THE Postoffice Department has presented the local office a fine American flag and it was raised on the Lyceum Theatre flagpole for the first time on Washington's Birthday.

THE "Coming of Ruth" was presented at Centreville Tuesday night by the Chestertown Choral Society before a fine audience and all were pleased. The proceeds went to the Centreville Fire Company.

THE Groves Bros., of Lankford, have a reputation hard to excel. The ages of the five aggregate 350 years! They are all Democrats and have never missed to vote the Democratic ticket May they live long and flourish.

THE College basket ball team claim the champion ship of State having won from Loyola, Mt. St. Josephs and George Washington University.

THE wedding of Miss Duling and John T. Culley, both of Millington, took place at Christ Church parsonage Saturday night, Dr. W. R. Graham officiating.

A DIVOECE was granted Mrs. Anna May Price from Charles D. Price this week by the Circuit Court for Kent county. Mrs. Price was represented by H. W. Vickers, Esq.

GOLTS, in the upper part of Kent county, has ceased to exist by an order of the Post Office Department. It has been changed to "DEEPWOOD."

WE have received thru U. S. Senator Smith a number of packages of government vegetable and flower seeds. We will be glad to give them out as long as they last to persons who can make use of them.

LOCAL carpenters are busy. A. M. Culp's men are at work on the new residence near Rolph's wharf; F. E. Duyer's force are finishing up Mrs. Hynson's home, on Water street; G. H. Cannan is building a row of houses on Cannon street; W. T. Pippin is putting into shape the store room on High street for the 5 and 10 cent store. Duyer & Rawleigh have just finished work at the Electric Light Plant; Wm. Malin is figuring on a building not yet made public.

THE present winter has been one of the worst ever known to Kent fishermen. Men who have been in the habit of selling several hundred dollars' worth of winter fish report heavy losses, and a number of them have taken up their nets and are seeking employment at powder and other plants.

J. WATERS RUSSELL has been handling a line of high grade fertilizers for a number of years and calls your attention to his advertisement offering an excellent line at right prices.

CHESTER RIVER was frozen over Wednesday morning, March 1st.

THE fine stallion owned by Mr. Lewin U. Skirven died last week quite suddenly.

A DELIGHTFUL DANCE was given in Firemen's Hall, Chestertown, on Thursday evening last by the Chestertown ladies and gentlemen. Misses Helen Hynson and Louise Crane were the committee in charge of the affair.

A Leap Year dance was given in Firemen's Hall on Friday evening last. The patronesses were Mesdames R. D. Hynson, G. W. Smith, A. H. Deringer, S. P. Townshend, W. W. Beck, H. C. Brown, J. D. Welch and H. R. Strong. The committee was composed of Misses Estalena Deringer, Alice Hynson, Esther Urie, Margaret Smith, Katherine Gilpin and Harriette Welch.

Bankrupt Sale

OF VALUABLE

Personal Property

UNDER and by virtue of an order of the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, passed in the case of Simon Grollman, Bankrupt, the undersigned, Trustee for said Bankrupt, will sell at public sale on the said Simon Grollman Farm, in Worton Point, in the Third Election District of Kent county, Maryland, on

THURSDAY, March 23, 1916

Beginning at 10.30 o'clock A. M., the following described Personal Property:

13 Head Horses & Mules

Some of these horses are of fine size, excellent workers and fine drivers; there is one pair of Mules that are true and excellent workers; and there are also two Yearling Colts.

5 Head of Cattle and 1 Jersey Bull,

24 Head of Sheep,

4 Brood Sows, with pigs or with pigs by side.

Farm Implements

One Superior Grain Drill, new last fall; 2 D. S. Farm Wagons, in good order; 1 Black Hawk Corn Planter, McCormick Mower, nearly new; 7 Hand Cultivators, 1 Randall Harrow, 1 Manure Spreader, 1 Twin 60-Tooth Harrow, 1 Schauber Corn Cutter, 5 Oliver Plows, Single, Double and Three Horse Trees Carriage, Plow and Wagon Harness, Collars, Bridles, Forks, Hoes, Shovels, and other articles too numerous to mention, as well as a Spray Pump and Barrel, 1 Hand Forge, Vise and Pipe Vise, 110 Bundles of Box Shucks, 1 Barrel of Vinegar, 5 Bags of Portland Cement, 11 Tons of Soft Coal.

100 Red Cedar Posts.

1500 Cross Ties.

1 Three-Horse Power H. C. Gas Engine with Saw, Bench and Belt.

1 Traction Engine and Thresher.

90 New Fish Barrels.

8 Pound Nets, all in good condition.

Household and Kitchen Furniture.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10.00 and under cash; over that amount a credit of six months will be given on note with approved security. No property to be removed until the terms of sale are complied with.

WILLIAM W. BECK, Trustee.

S. SCOTT BECK, Attorney.

JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auctioneer. mar4 ts

PREPAREDNESS

THE whole country is talking about Preparedness. We want to say to every prospective purchaser of Clothing for the coming Spring that, in spite of the advanced prices of everything, we are far better prepared to serve your wants in Clothing than ever before. We had forethought enough to anticipate the constant increase in price and placed our entire Spring order long ago, and are fully prepared to sell you even cheaper than ever before. For instance we have a full and complete line of All-Wool Worsteds in Blue, Black, Gray and Fancy weaves, which are offering this Spring for $12.50 and $15.00 which we guarantee cannot be equalled for less than $15.00 to $18.00.

NOTE WELL

To you who insist upon having your suit made to measure, we want to say that we have nearly 2000 samples of the finest weaves and textures to be found both in Europe and this country; and what is better still, WE have always an expert measurer—not for two or three days in the year—but one who is constantly onthe job from January to December, and who iscareful and painstaking, and we absolutely guarantee a perfect fit in every instance.

Respectfully,

BORDLEY & SONS

ADLER-ROCHESTER CLOTHES — CHESTERTOWN, MD. — THE MEN'S STORE

GRANGE NOTES.

TheFebruary Special meeting of Fairlee Grange was held on Wednesday 16th. The committee on New School reported progress. A Ways and Means Committee was appointed to secure the services of Miss Comstock for Fairlee children by devising some plan for conveying her to and from Fairlee once in two weeks.

The subject of Child Welfare was presented but no action taken.

It was annonced that the debate between Kennedyville and Fairlee will be held on March 1st, also lecture by Rev. R. P. Nichols, of Still Pond, an afternoon meeting beginning at 3.30 P. M.

The literary program was as follows:-

Reading—Give Woman the Vote, by Mrs. E. A. Corey.

Reading—Easy Farming, by Mrs. E. A. Corey.

Reading of the "Garner" by Mrs. Page Gale. The front page of this paper was decorated with hearts made of strings of Bleeding Hearts as symbolic of Valentine's Day and was indeed very artistic.

The worthy lecturer announced an "Old Folks' Concert" to be held the first of next December under the management of the committee, Mrs. G. E. Noland, Mrs. M. Bramble and Mrs. T. Hudson. After supper the program was continued. Instrumental music by Mrs. George Hatcherson.

Reading—Our Country's Flags by Mrs. E. A. Corey.

What suggestions to improve the Farmers Institutes.

Recitations beautifully rendered by Mrs. Chas. Skirven.

Solo—Mrs. Hatcherson accompanied by violin, Miss Frances Morris, and piano, by Mrs. Wallace Kilbourn.

Reading—The White Man's Foot from Hiawatha, by Mrs. Wm. G. Smith.

Mr. J. T. Anthony gave a very interesting talk on the beautiful and enterprising County of Frederick.

Music—Mrs. Hatcherson.

On Wednesday, 23rd, the Grange met with Worthy Master M. P. Lee in the chair. Miss Linda Morris reported progress for the Committee on Ways and Means, Committee continued. The Grange decided to celebrate its 8th anniversary and a committee on arrangements will be appointed next Wednesday by the Worthy Master. Fairlee Grange was organized April 6th, 1908.

The literary program was as follows:-

Duet—Miss Ida Crew and Mrs. Tilghman Hudson.

Reading on Music—Miss Frances Morris.

Piano Solo—Mrs. T. E. W. Crew.

Reading—Miss Linda Morris.

Question—The Grange as an opportunity for our young people, was discussed by Sisters Hudson and Crew and Brothers Lee, Hudson, Morris and Lee.

Reading—Mrs. Crew.

Song—Father, we'll Rest in Thy Love.

The Singing School is progressing, but owing to the afternoon meeting and debate next Wednesday there will be no singing school until March 8th.

Press Correspondent.

A splendid meeting was held at Fairlee last Wednesday night including this program:

Piano Solo, Mrs. Hatcherson.

Paper by T. Hudson on "In what 10 ways can the Grange help our community."

Solo, Mrs. Frank Crow.

Recitation, Miss Ada Hurlock.

Quartette, Mrs. Hatcherson, Mrs. Crow, Jesse and Ralph Usilton.

Debate—"Resolved, that this country is justified in making adequate preparation in defending herself against any foreign power."—Affirmative, John Medders and Wm. Hague. Kennedyville; negative, H. C Willis and Wm. G. Smyth.

The debate was so interesting that it was deemed best not to have judges and both sides were declared winners at least on "Preparedness." An enjoyable feature of the evening not on the program was a speech by Mrs. T. Hudson on the negative side of the question. She was called on and responded in a most learned manner. Supper was served to the visiting members. The next meeting will be on the 15th.

OVER

55,000 "ChoreBoy" Engines

are now in actual service all over the world proving themselves to be POWERFUL, PROMPT and WILLING. They are made by the largest builders of High Grade Engines in the world and equipped with

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When you buy a gasoline engine you want power—not big water pots and fly wheels only. Before buying an engine, meaaure its bore and stroke. That, combined with its speed, will give you an idea of its power. The "CHORE BOY" is rated at 1¾ H. P., but, like all engines made by the Associated Manufacturers Company, has an actual overload capacity of 25 per cent.

We want to show you a "CHORE BOY" in action and give you complete specifications including bore and stroke, etc.

Come and see it.

Graham & Thomas

CHESTERTOWN, : MARYLAND

AT the last meeting of Still Pond Grange a resolution was passed endorsing the action of the farmers in lower Kent, who have contracted for (1200) twelve hundred acres of tomatoes at (17c) seventeen cents per basket and recommend that price as the minimum for Kent County farmers.

As a result of the contest, the sisters of Still Pond Grange paid their forfeit by serving a splendid supper to the brothers. The supper, consisting of chicken, ham, chicken salad, Maryland biscuits, hot rolls, pickle, jelly, cake, fruit, etc., was served to about sixty persons The business meeting was called at 2.30 and one new member was received. At this meeting Bro. Hepbron, on behalf of the brothers, presented their "defeated foes," the sisters, with a bouquet of white carnations. The lecture hour was opened to the public, and Sister Kelley, the Lecturer, had prepared a most interesting program consisting of a chorus by the Grange, discussion, Which is the bigger nuisance, a man working in doors or a woman out of doors was lead by Bro. Ford and Sister; a paper by Sister Moore, How to get and keep the young people in the Grange; Roll Call—What have you to be thankful for, and a short talk on Poultry by Mr. Oswald, of Western Maryland.

An entertainment was given in the Grange Hall on Tuesday evening and a most excellent evening's entertainment was enjoyed. Among those to whom we are grateful for making the entertaiment the success it was, other than the Grange members, are Miss Tull and Mr. Numbers of Betterton, Mrs. Williams, Worton; Miss Hurlock, Kennedyville; Miss Kelley, Locust Grove; Mrs. Fletcher, Fairlee. Hot chocolate and cake were served to all present at the close of the entertainment.

Still Pond Grange is looking forward to a prosperous year, as we are constantly taking in new members and great interest is being aroused in Grange work.

H. L. MOORE, Press COR.

Personal and Social

Mr. Owen C. Smith has been appointed local assessor vice J. F. Connelly, deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Vannort have been spending the week in Baltimore with daughter and family.

Rev. H. P. Jester, pastor of St. James M. P. Church, has been nursing a bone felon on his left hand for several weeks. He is better now and able to be in his pulpit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Jarrell entertained a company of friends at dinner Wednesday evening after which the guests enjoyed the play at the Lyceum.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence T. Newsome, of Betterton, attended the K. of C. Charity Ball in Baltimore Thursday evening.

Mr. James Shuster, of Wilmington, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Russell.

Mrs. Raymond Startt has been in Baltimore consulting a specialist about her throat.

Mrs. Charles Meredith and son, Alvin, of Queen Anne's, have been visiting her sister, Mrs. George Dickerson in Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Taylor and family are spending some time in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crouch are entertaining their daughter and grandchildren from Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Biscoe, of Wilmington, spent the week near Chestertown.

Miss Helen Russell has been substituting for Miss Inez Russell at Still Pond school this week.

The two and one-half pound child born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hill about Christmas is getting along finely and now weighs a little more than four and one-half pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge and family have moved into the house of Mr. Robinson this week. Mr. Eldridge and son will work for Mr. Wm. Jewell.

T. R. Starr, of Pomona has rented the blacksmith shop and engaged Mr. E. C. Stafford, formerly of Dover, Del., but now of Pomona, to do the work in the shop. Mr. Starr is also building a small Store-room in conjunction with the shop and expect to keep a full line of goods needed for the shop and also groceries and dry goods.

Mrs. Silas Weller, who wa sparalyzed three weeks ago, is still very low with little hope of recovery.

Mr. Charles W. Boggs and wife are visiting the home folks in Kent and Queen Anne's. Mr. Boggs is a son of Mr. J. W. Boggs, of Crumpton, and his wife was before marriage Miss Helen Jefferson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jefferson, of Chestertown. Mr. Boggs is vice-president and business manager of the Oklahama Publishing Company of Oklahoma City, and is making a success in the newspaper business in that hustling, growing western city.

Mr. William G. and Howard F. Owens, of Betterton have joined the Studebaker ranks, Mr. Clarence T. Newsome of Betterton, Chesapeake Garage having sold each a seven passenger Studebaker. Mr. Newsome went to Townsend Wednesday morning in company with Mr. and Mrs. William G. Owens, Mrs. Clarence Newsome, Mr. Elwood Bramble, and drove the cars home. Mr. Jessie B. Coleman has also bought a seven passenger Studebaker which Mr. Newsome will deliver to him in a few days.

Mr. Earnest K. Brice took a party to Chestertown Tuesday evening to see "The Coming of Ruth.," Those in the party were: Mr. and Mrs. Earnest K. Brice, Mrs. Beauregarde Lewis, Mrs. Charles H. Brice and Mrs. Clarence T. Newsome. Though the roads were rough and muddy, they were forgotten in the pleasure of an evening well spent in listening to the beautiful music.

(other personals on page 6)

SUNDAY CAMPAIGN IS ON

Imagine, if you can, a forest of timber, devoid of branch or leafy greenness, criss-crossed to heavy beams overhead, supporting a roof weighing many tons and covering many square feet; rows of twinkling electric lights; the spicy smell of timber and sawdust under foot over 12 inches in depth; a sea of humanity with upturned faces from the throats of which issue melodious song which rolled and reverberated and filled the vast interior and beyond the wooden walls to the surrounding neighborhood several blocks away; sweet notes from cornets clear as a golden bell and the onrush of 20,000 voices—imagine all this, and then you will have some faint conception of what the services were like at the "Billy" Sunday Tabernacle on the York road on Sunday.

The United Railway Co., had the job of their lives in transporting this huge crowd, but they successfully met the situation and moved the crowd in good time. On the north-bound tracks there were about 75 cars strung out, and as fast as each was filled it was started on its way. It is said that it required only about 30 minutes to empty the vast building.

There were over 50,000 who heard him Sunday and the collection was over $3 000. It looks like a grand time for old Baltimore and the surrounding country.

WM. MEDDERS & CO. — SPECIAL ATTENTION TO TELEPHONE ORDERS — WM. MEDDERS & CO.

Goods Bought In Advance Of The Advance . . . . .

To supply your wants at the old low prices, we bought thousands of dollars worth of Staple Merchandise at the low prices last season, and now have the stock ready for you at surprisingly low prices.

Good 10c Bleached Muslin from the Miller sale, at 7½c.

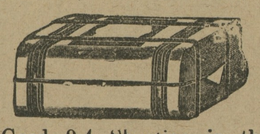
Fine 8c Unbleached Muslin from the Miller sale, at 6c.

Same old low prices on ALL our goods

75c Night Gowns 49c
75c Ladies' Night Gowns on sale at 49c.

75c Muslin Skirts 49c
75c Ladies' Muslin Skirts on sale at 49c.

Sheeting Muslin, 22½c



Good 9-4 Sheeting in the Bleached and Unbleached to go in this sale at only 22½c yd.

15c Pillow Cases, 10c
15c Pillow Cases are now reduced to 10c.

85c Good Sheets, 69c
85c Good Sheets, full size, extra value, on sale 69c.

India Linens, 10c
The Pretty 15c Sheer India Linen, sale only 10c yard.

Ladies' Long Cloth 10c
Extra Quality 15c Ladies Long Cloth, soft finish, sale price 10c yard

Book fold Long Cloth, 10c
Just 12 yards in a piece, 15c quality, on sale at 10c yard.

50c Table Damask, 35c

Pretty patterns in the best 50c Mercerized Damask, 35c.

Best 60c Damask, 45c
Full bleached and rich patterns 72 inches wide, and very fine mercerized damask, only 45c.

All Linen Damask
On sale at old prices.
Large stock of select Linen Damask at a saving of at least one-fourth. Prices, 75c, 98c, $1.25 per yd.
Linen Napkins to match.

Cotton Toweling, 3c

For Roller Towels, only 3c yd.

8c Roller Crash, 5c
Heavy Twill Toweling, 5c.

$1 Cotton Bird Eye, 69c
Full 10 yards to piece, soft finish, on sale at only 69c.

Apron Ginghams 6½c
Good stock will be on sale and you must not miss this, only 6½c.

Next Wednesday SALE ON

Pure White and White Enamel Sauce Pans

For 9 Cents

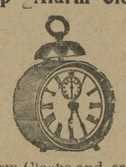
On next Wednesday we will have on sale a lot of the pretty pure WHITE ENAMEL SAUCE PANS, 4-quart size, white inside and outside, and just a dandy for this sale, and you take your pick for 9c.

Only one to go to a customer and no duplicates, same as heretofore, and the price 9c.

These are all clean and pure white, first quality Enamel, and you will be much pleased with your selection.

March Supplies
A full and complete stock ready for your convenience.

"Wake-Up" Alarm Clocks, 59c



Good Alarm Clocks and each guaranteed to run and keep time or replaced with a new one.
Special Alarm Clocks.....59c
Better Alarm Clocks.....75c
Best of All at.....98c to $1.98
It matters not what the price—if the Clock does not give satisfaction return it for a new one.

Good Table Oil Cloth, 15c

Fancy 20c Table Oil Cloth, all new patterns, best quality, special sale, 15c yd.

Iron Beds at $1.98 Only

All sorts of White Enamel Beds.
Full Size Enamel Beds at $1.98.
Better Beds at $2.50, 2.98, $3.98 up.

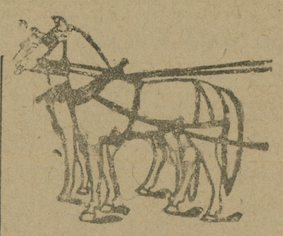
Real Good Mattresses, $2.50
Good Mattresses, double thick, cotton top, full size, price $2 50.
Better Mattresse, $2 98 to $10.00.

Good Bed Blankets

$1.25 Grey Blankets, double, for the kitchen, only 90c.
Extra Grey Blankets, double, for the kitchen, only 98c
Better Blankets, $1.25, $1.50 up.

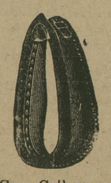
Good Bed Comforts
Large $1.25 Double Comforts, for the kitchen, only 98c.
Extra $1.50 Comforts, $1.25.
Better Comforts, 11.50 to $5.00.

Wagon Harness At Old Prices



Double Heavy Wagon Harness, made with 1¾ inch traces, all clean stock, less breechings, extra heavy, price $10.90.

Gall-Cure Collars For $1.75



The Gall-Cure Collars are recognized high-grade make; price $1.75.
$2 50 Grade Collars at $1 98.
$3 00 Full Leather Collars at $2.50.
$1 75 Plow Bridles at $1.50.
$2.00 Plow Bridles at $1.75.
Plow Lines, pair at 15c and 20c.
Rope Traces, pair at 18c and 20c.
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 needs.

CLOVER SEED!

We are in position to quote attractive prices on

Fancy Red Clover.

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Fancy Timothy.

Fancy Red Top.

We have made a specialty of nothing but the best in these seed. The highest tested seed, both in purity and germination, are the first things to consider.

A sample will cost you nothing, and our low prices will save you much.

Phone us for quick service.

Spraying Season

CLOSE AT HAND

Sray Your Orchards—use "ORCHARD BRAND" Lime-Sulphur Solution, made by the Thomsen Chemical Company.

It will clean your trees of San Jose Scale and other insects. Make good fruit grow where you now raise poor fruit or none.

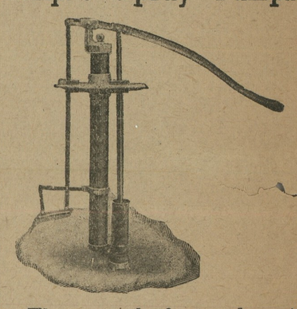
Cost is small and full information sent for the asking. It will pay you big profit to spray your trees with "ORCHARD BRAND" Sulphur Solution.

We are distributors for Kent County on "ORCHARD BRAND," and hope to supply you.

Call us on phone so we can enter your order to arrive and avoid delays in shipping.

WE SELL THE

Eclipse Spray Pumps



These are the best and most economical Spray Pumps on the market, and are in use by all our large fruit growers.

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.

Horse-Food Molasses

Now is the time to feed the Horse Food Molasses for the best results.

It will work like magic on your stock if properly given. You will use no more stock food when you get acquainted with Horse Food Molasses.

Price per gallon, 2[illegible]c.

Can fill quick orders from stock.

—BARKER'S—

Horse & Cattle Powders

15c Barker's Horse and Cattle Powders; package, 10c.

Horse Clippers, $6.90

Stewart's No. 1 Horse Clippers, complete machine and outfit, $6 90

We sell the extra Knives and all parts to these Horse Clipping Machines.

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Size 8x10, only 2[illegible]
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