Personal and Social

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Crouch announces the engagemet of their daughter, Anna May to Mr. Eugene J. McCloskey, of Rahway, New Jersey. The wedding is to take place June the 15th.

Capt. W. C. Eliason is still at the hospital. He was getting along finely until he met with a fall, since which he has been confined to his bed. However, at this writing he is mending slowly and hopes to be "on the job" in a few weeks.

Miss Mary Burke, one of the efficient telephone operators at the Chestertown office, was operated upon at Easton Hospital, Saturday for appendicitis. We are glad to learn thru her Dr. H. G. Simpers that she is doing nicely.

Miss Virginia Maslin, of Baltimore, is recuperating from recent illness. at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Usilton, Jr., in Chestertown.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Pardee and daughter, and Mr. John Newnam, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Newnam, near town.

Mrs. Howard McDaniel, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Maggie D. Cann, of Newark, Del., have been guests this week of Mr. Richard Groves and brothers, of near Chestertown. Mrs. McDanniel is a sister of the Messrs. Groves and this is the first time they have seen her for twenty years.

Mrs. C. P. Gears, of Odessa, Del., was a visitor to Chestertown this week.

Mr. John R. Bennett, who has passed 80, has been quite sick at his home near Kennedyville, but is able to be up and about at this writing.

Mrs. Wm Hall Moore and son, of Wilmington, N. C., have been visiting her mother and sister on Mill street.

Mr. Charles A. Jessup is visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank B. Hines, Chestertown, and recuperating from a recent operation.

Mrs. A. Cohen and two sons, Isador and Lewis and Mrs. J. D. Gale, af Lankford enjoyed a trip to Baltimore last Sunday in Mr. C's car.

Mrs. Alice Burchinal will visit her son, Mr. Joseph Burchinal, in Chicago and spend several months there. We shall miss you "Miss Alice" on the circle.

Mrs. Charles Colladay, of Balto., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. F. Jarrell on the avenue.

Mr. J. H. O. Stokes, Jr., was operated on at Maryland General Hospital Thursday for appendicitis.

Mr. J. F. Getshall, of Wilmington, Del., spent the week-end with his daughter, Mrs. Samuel Logan, near Millington.

Mr. Alfred C. Loud has been confined to his home for a week with an injured knee.

Mrs. Herman Blackway is visiting her parents in Baltimore.

We are glad to report Mrs. James H. Wiest as being much improved.

Mr. James Hodges, of Philadelphia, spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. A. Benton near Massey.

Mrs. A. Harold Thompson is spending some time with friends and relatives in Chestertown.

Mr. George E. Walbert spent the first of the week with his parents near town.

Mrs. D. T. Falls, nee Miss Rasin, is very much improved. She is now able to be in her home in Brooklyn and walk without help. Her physician thinks she will soon be her normal self.

Mr. Owen B. Crow was able to walk around the street to the Hurlock store on Front street Thursday and is gaining flesh.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bacchus are visiting their son, James, a student at Columbia University and taking in the convention in New York. Mrs. Bacchus is one of the delegates from the Chestertown Federated Club.

Mrs. W. W. Hubbard is attending the National Woman's Federation in New York this week and is stopping at the Plaza Hotel.

Local Notes

WOODMAN, spare that tree!

ELSEWHERE in this issue we are publishing the local laws for Kent county, passed at the recent session of the Maryland Legislature. Our readers would do well to peruse these laws carefully.

UNION SCHOOL, in Queen Anne's, Miss Estelle Anthony teacher, held a play on Friday evening. Miss Richardson was one of the "stars."

THE Chestertown Milk Station is in a thriving condition and the receipt of milk is increating weekly. Mr. Samuel Wallis is the manager and Mr. Harry Fowler the assistant.

THE George W. Smith farm in Queen Anne's, near Chester bridge, on State road, has been sold by Mr. Jas. Clothier to Mr. J. Frank Baxter, of near Kennedyville. Mr. Baxter will likely tenant his new purchase after a residence of 9 years in Kent on the Wilmer farm. He and his estimable family will be missed here.

REPORTS coming in to the NEWS office indicate a short crop of pears and also of apples. A disease has struck the apple trees that is becoming serious. Government officials have been notified and it is hoped some means will be found to check the damage.

THE new keeper of weights and measures is Mr. M. A. Burns, of Galena.

THE Bell home farm, located opposite Washington College, was deeded this week to Mr. Wm. A. Bell and the residence adjoining the College was transfered to Miss Maggie Bell. The stipulation was "love and effection" &c.

A TEAM driven by a colored man collided with Miss Copper's auto on High street Saturday, tearing off a wheel of the carriage. The horse shied at an auto on one side of the road and ran into Miss Copper's machine, which happened to be passing at the time

THE tennis team of Washington College, composed of Messrs. Stam, Cain, Dukes and Leister, defeated M. A. C. here Saturday 5 to 1. Stam and Cain and Dukes and Leister won the doubles while the three former ones won singles.

THERE has been a reorganization of the Candy Kitchen Firm, by which Messrs. Christ Alevizatos and Jerry Solomos will conduct the business in the future. Tommy has gone home to Greece.

THE P. O. S. of A., of Chestertown will present a large American flag to the new High School on Washington ave., on Tuesday, June 6th at 2.30 P. M. The address will be made by Dr. William James Heaps, of Baltimore county, besides other interesting features.

THE dedication of the High School will take place June 12th, preceded on Sunday morning by the Baccalaureate sermon preached in the M. E. Church.

A NUMBER of Kent Countians attended the dance at Centreville Thursday evening given by Mr. Wm. McKenney, Jr.

THE town commissioners are preparing to put a new dressing on the macadam road on High street.

EDW. SMITH, while working on State road near Betterton was badly injured, Thursday, by explosion of a boiler used in cooking asphalt.

"IDLEWHILE," the eligibly located property of Col. A. H. Suplee at Betterton, has been sold at private sale to a Mr. Ellis, of Baltimore, for $5500. This sale includes the hotel and about 10 acres of ground, Col. Suplee reserving a number of acres for his private use. Mr. Ellis will greatly improve the property.

THE first home-grown berries were brought to town Tuesday by Mr. Townsend Anthony, across the river, and were on sale at Carmine's, Hurlock's and other places. The price was 15 cents.

MR. SAMUEL WALLIS, manager of the Chestertown Cooling Station, was thrown from a bicycle Sunday when a pair of overalls that he was carrying caught in the front wheel, and knocked unconscious. When he came to his senses he was home in bed. He rode home, not knowing what he was doing. He was considerably bruised about the face, but went to work Monday.

ON June 1 the new revenue laws drafted by State Comptroller McMullen will become effective. Through new sources of revenue and by increasing fees on agencies and commodities that are already taxed, it is estimated that $300,000 will be added annually to the State Treasury.

BEFORE engaging in the crab industry Kent countians will do well to look up the law regarding the matter, as there is a license for handling them in every way except eating them. See the law elcswhere in the NEWS.

THE latest rate card of the steambaat boat—Chester river—is $2.00 round trip to Baltimore and $1.25 one way. The minimum freight charge is 25 cents.

THE earliest sweet peas in town are those raised by Mrs. Thomas Holdson. She will have blooms in a few days.

THE plots of grass on either side of the road on High street are quite beautiful and add very much to the appearance of Chestertown as one enter or drives through.

THE hitching racks along Park Square in front of J. W. Russell's office, Pippin Hotel and other places have been removed.

THE largest acreage of tomatoes in Kent is that contracted for by Mr. Thos. W. Trew, 65 acres! Mr. Thos. Bryan is possibly the first to finish planting out his acreage. Most farmers have fine plants.

THE Junior Class of the Chestertown High School will give a play next Monday evening in the Grammar school.

ABOUT 500 baby chicks, 68 turkeys, 18 setting hens and 900 eggs, together with several incubators, were burned last Friday night when fire destroyed a large poultry house on the chicken farm of Nicholas Laignall, near Federalsburg. The blaze is supposed to have originated from an over-heated incubator.

AN organized band of chicken thieves operating in the section of Federalsburg, is making wholesale raids on farmers' henneries. It is estimated this gang within the past few nights has stolen 1000 chickens and many farmers are carrying their guns to bed with them, prepared to shoot at the first sound in their chicken yards. In some cases the thieves also have taken quantities of wheat and meal.

THE handsome home built for Mrs. Joseph Wickes, corner Front and Main Sts., is about completed and will be occupied by Prof. and Mrs. Mark Creasy today. This colonial style cottage built as it is on the river and also the work of the architect and builder, makes it one of the most beautiful homes in Chestertown. There are 13 rooms with bath, finished on inside with white enamel and mahogany doors with plated bronze hardware. The bath fixtures are porcelain bath tub and laboratory, heated throughout with hot water heat. It is a credit to the architect and builder, Mr. C. E. Price, of Baltimore, and force of workmen. The painting was done by M. E. Baker's force.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

A GREAT LECTURE

Dr. S. Parker Cadman, of Brooklyn, N. Y., the peerless platform speaker, gave his superb lecture, "The Puritan in Two Worlds," in the Chestertown Lyceum Monday evening to an intelligent audience of about 130 persons. It was given under the auspices of the Young Men's Club of Christ Methodist Protestant Church. The lecture was replete with historical data, ornate in diction, filled with wit and delivered in an eloquent and soul-stirring manner.

He pictured the Puritan of other ages rising to meet the great crises of their countries in both hemispheres; saw Cromwell, who he classed as the greatest soldier of the years, crush a crowned head and control a world; saw them in their fight for purity, liberty and the right to worship unhampered in all lands. He "touched up" the silver-tongued orator from the plains of Nebraska as well as the seer who sits at Oyster Bay, and thought that the Republican party would welcome a Lincoln upon the scene at this time.

In short, the lecture was a mine of golden nuggets, and we regret our people were not more largely represented so as to "pick up" some of the treasures.

Mr. Clinton C. Jones, president of the club, introduced Dr. Cadman in a most happy manner, referring to his three previous visits here. Dr. Cadman, accompanied by his wife, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hubbard, at their beautiful home on Chester river.

We are glad to announce that Dr. Cadman will appear at the Chestertown Chautauqua in September and give a new lecture on "Makers of America."

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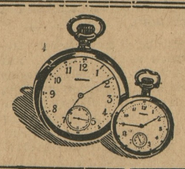

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Next Week | We Begin Our June Sales

18c Huck Towels, 10c
Large 18c Huck Towels, extra large and extra heavy, to go on sale at 10c.

8c Cotton Crash, 5c
8c Cotton Crash, heavy twill, on sale for only 5c.

Pillow Cases, 12½c
Hemmed Pillow Cases, good muslin, on sale for only 12½c.

15c Ginghams, 12½c
Lot Best 15c Dress Ginghams, fast colors, pretty patterns, on sale at 12½c.

Fancy Lawns, 10c
Fancy Lawns, 12½c and 15c quality 10c

Next Wednesday
Big Sale on
Good Brooms!
for
9c

On next Wednesday we place on sale a large lot of GOOD BROOMS—made with 4 strings and of select straw and your choice for 9 Cents.
Only one Broom to a customer same as heretofore and price 9 Cents.

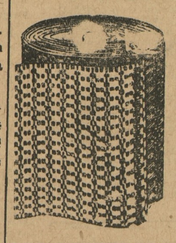
Ladies' Onyx Hose, 25c
Ladies' Fine Onyx Hose, silk finish lisle, at 25c.

Ladies' Onyx Hose, 50c
Ladies' Fine Onyx Hose, extra quality, with pointed heel, 75c value, 50c.

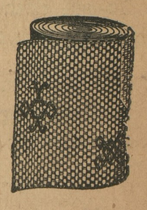
Gauze Vests, 15c
Ladies' "Merode" Gauze Vests, fine rib, soft cotton, 15c.

Ladies, Gauze Vests
Ladies' Special Gauze Vests on sale at 10c, 12½c to 25c.

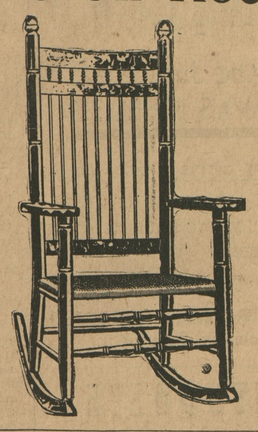
White Goods
New line of White Goods now on sale at special low prices.



New Mattings on Old Contract
Another Large Lot New Mattings just in this week.
Our line is now complete.
Prices 15c, 19c, 25c and 30c yard.
RATTING RUGS—all sizes, all patterns—Prices $2.50, $3.50, $6.90, $7.90, $8.90.

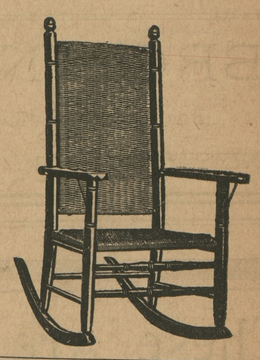


Porch Rockers MADE Double Strong

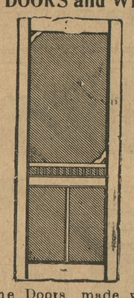


If you want solid comfort this summer come and select one of these good rockers
$1.50, $1.98
$2.50
Others $2.98 upward.
All made with Double Seat.

Double Seat & Back



SCREEN DOORS and WINDOWS



Keep Out The Flies
Fit Any Size Door
Dark Frame Doors, made with extra brace. Prices 85c, 95c
Light Frame Doors, imitation oak, nicely made and strong, only.....98c, $1.25

Summer Goods for the Summer Time! Oil Cook Stoves, Refrigerators, Lawn Mowers, Hammocks

Easy-Go Lawn Swings
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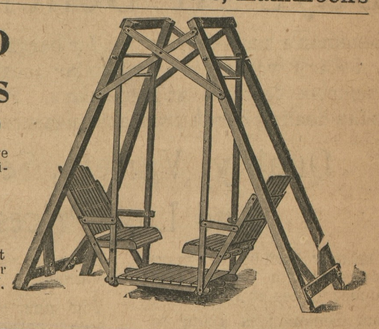
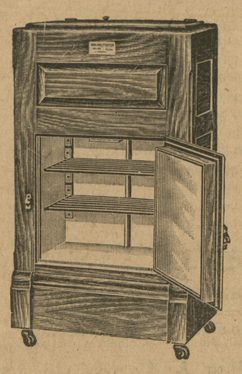
We have received a large shipment of Lawn Swings direct from the factory.
$8.00 Extra Heavy Lawn Swings, nicely painted, for only $5.90.
We can make quick shipment of these Swings by train or boat. FREE DELIVERY. SEND FOR CATALOGUE.

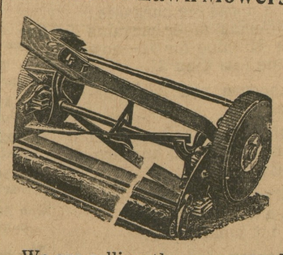


OAK REFRIGERATORS



All sizes and kinds. Prices $9.00, $12.50, $15.00 up.

Guaranteed Lawn Mowers



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Come and select a good Mower, and if not satisfactory return it and get your money.

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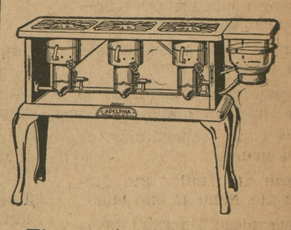

There are all sorts of cheap Oil Stoves in the market this season.
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There are more "cotton Mixtures" now and cheap "shoddy" fabrics offered everywhere this season than ever before in clothing history. The market is flooded with this sort of merchandise.

The firm of Bordley & Sons, "taking time by the forelock," realized that unless a stock of clean merchandise was bought early, it would have nothing to offer its patrons.

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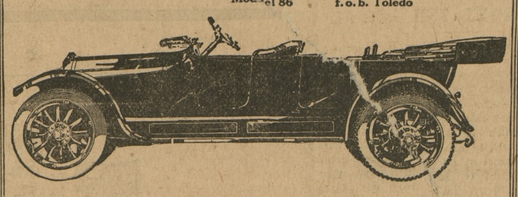

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45-horsepower motor
High-tension magneto ignition
Two-unit electric starter
Electrically lighted
Headlight dimmers
Electric control buttons on steering column
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