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SATURDAY, JANUARY 26, 1918.

KENT county observed heatless Monday.

THERE is an effort being made to increase the salaries of the County Commissioners and Sheriff.

WE hope our law makers will provide some way to work prisoners on streets or roads. This law is very much needed at this time.

A SIGNAL honor was paid Senator John Walter Smith by Vice-President Marshall in being named as one of the Board of Visitors at the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

THE NEWS this week installed a Mergenthaler linotype machine. It is a No. 5, model K, and was put in place by Mr. Shaw, of Philadelphia. A part of this issue was set on the machine.

CHESTERTOWN on Monday had every appearance of the Sabbath Day. Mr. Garfield's order was obeyed without a whimper. The banks and other places would have been glad to have been included.

JUDGING from reports from Washington and Annapolis, Woman Suffrage is sure to come. So get ready, ladies; you will soon be standing in the line at the polls waiting your turn to exercise your rights as free American citizens.

THE Legislature has been engaged this week hearing delegations present the question of Annexation, Prohibition, &c. Rev. Wm. A. Sunday and Hon. Wm. J. Bryan are expected to address the Legislature next week.

THE Governor of Maryland and Mrs. Harrington have issued invitations for a reception to be given at the Executive Mansion, Annapolis, Wednesday evening, February 6, from 8 30 to 11 o'clock to meet the members of the General Assembly.

TEDDY is frothing at the mouth for a fight and is spurred on by scores of other partisans. Party comes before country with some politicians, as is evidenced at Washington this week. This is no time for wrangling over petty party matters.

THE noted Havre de Grace and Perryville Bridge case has been sent back by the Court of Appeals to the Public Service Commission for a re-hearing. The case involves the right of the Bridge Company to charge certain tolls for autos and other vehicles crossing it.

THE recent report of Comptroller McMullen is one of unusual merit, and proves that the Democratic party made no mistake when they re-elected him. The State's finances are in a healthy condition notwithstanding the strenuous times of the past year, and the construction of statutes and disbursement of funds under them has struck terror to the hearts of those who are only too glad if possible to raid the treasury vault through the back door.

THE statement recently made by State Treasurer Dennis shows that only 54⅔% of the taxes paid into the State Treasury comes from Baltimore city, as against 45⅓% from the counties. It is said that not one-fifth of the city's intangible property is now listed for purposes of taxation. The amount returned to the city for charitable and other purposes, as compared with what the counties receive, is enormous. It is high time that the city stop talking about its generosity to the counties. The latter feed the city.

IT is certainly disgusting to see the conduct of the wealthy barons of this country as they criticised the order of the Fuel Administrator and tried to make all the trouble possible against the enforcement of his order. It proved beyond question the great hold that commercialism has upon the business men of this country. Some men's patriotism ends when it begins to affect their pocket books. If the soldier in the field sacrifices his home, native land and life for us, there is nothing that we can do that is too much to support him in this great conflict. "Service and not saving" should be our motto.

FARMERS SHOULD ORDER NOW

During the month of January the farmer should carefully go over all the tools and machinery on the farm and make a list of the repairs needed and see that they are attended to at once. This is also the time to make a list of all seed needs, fertilizer, and lime requirements, and in fact everything that is needed to carry on the farm for the coming year. Freight and express matter are moving very slowly, and even after orders are placed it takes months sometimes before the deliveries can be made.

A PRICE of $75 50 a ton F. O. B. seaboard for the nitrate for fertilizer which the Department of Agriculture has purchased in Chile for sale to American farmers at cost was announced to-day by Secretary Houston. The farmers must pay the freight charges from ports and the state tag fees, and payments must be in cash. In the farming districts, county agents, assisted by local business men chosen by them, will handle the shipments, and in counties where there are no agents a committee of three or more local business men will be appointed. Farmers are required to file their applications with the agents or committees not later than Feb. 4.

AN IMPORTANT QUESTION

The Liquor Forces of this State and of the whole country are sparing neither money nor brains in order to influence the legislatures of the various States against ratifying the National Prohibition Amendment. The old argument of *personal liberty* is being put forth in all its various phases. To our minds, there is but one side to this question, either in times of peace or amid the conflicts of war. Liquor is an evil and a curse to humanity, and if we would make this State and country a safe place for Democracy we should banish rum forever.

Personal liberty ends where another's rights begin. No man can drink rum without injury, not only to himself but to his family and his fellowman. Even the owner of a house is not permitted to do as he pleases in its construction or in its destruction. The law says he must put on a metal or slate roof so as to protect his neighbor in case of fire. It also prevents him from burning his own home. So why not pass a law which will keep a man from burning himself up or doing injury to his neighbor by the use of strong drink. It is the duty of the law-makers of our States to remove it forever from our midst.

It is needless for us to tell of the number of murders, of suicides, of divorces, wrecks and accidents, with other figures that tell of what terrible suffering this demon is producing in our land. Prohibition brings to a State great benefits, morally, financially and from an economic standpoint. The State of Kansas is one of the most striking examples of what Prohibition can do for a State, and Seattle what it can do for a big city. Maryland should take its place in the front rank of Temperance States, and Kent's representatives are expected to help in the grand cause.

DO YOUR BIT!

The Ladies Home Journal says (and the L. H. J. KNOWS) "The men are the 'slackers' in this Food Conservation movement!" They want their nice juicy steaks, and their wheat rolls and pies, in spite of the fact that the women are trying to do their bit by saving these articles.

If that applies to Kent county, and I don't believe it does as women, we will be forced to try some of this Camouflage, we hear so much about! Why not serve it in the form of "SALLY LONDON" instead of the old Sally Lunn our mothers used to make? You can make it in this way: one cup and a half of wheat flour, half a cup of bran, one cup of corn meal, two spoonsful of shortening (chicken fat or goose fat may be used) 6 LEVEL teaspoonsful of yeast powder, and one and a half cups of liquid. (I use water). Beat it up and let it stand for half an hour. There's Camouflage for you, for I defy a mere man to say just what it is which makes it taste so good, and by so doing we are saving one and a half cups of good wheat flour for France.

I read in the NEWS last week where a piece of white bread was given a little French girl by an American, who was surprised to see the girl kiss it and fondle it. Then the little girl said it was the first piece she had seen in three years. Think of that, wont you, every time you go to the flour barrel? And think too of the three Canadian officers who were capturedby the Germans, and crucified with bayonets against a barn, over there! We don't want them over here, let's do our bit.

THE GREAT DUPONT WORKS

Pennsgrove, N. J., Jan. 13, 1918.

MESSRS EDITORS OF KENT NEWS:

The three Maryland boys, like all other boys, left old Maryland for some reason, they don't know why, but anyhow they are stationed at Pennsgrove, N. J., for the time being and have all [illegible] worked at the Dupont plant in [illegible]'s Point, where they have seen wonderful sights that they can believe their own eyes.

[illegible] them one evening was put to [illegible] blending tower, which is a [illegible] thirty-five feet high, going [illegible] at the top of the building [illegible] over 1,000 acres of plant, [illegible] lighted with electric [illegible] a bee day and night, [illegible] means to Uncle Sam. KENT NEWS and as [illegible] only two parts [illegible] boy has to read [illegible] WALBERT.

WORTON GRANGE [illegible]

Worton Grange is beginning the new year right. Last Monday night 25 members were present, and 3 new members taken in.

Much interest is being shown by all. The newly elected officers were installed at this meeting. They were: Master, Bro. Ralph Williams; Overseer, Bro. Carroll Loller; Lecturer, Bro. Barney Cooper; Steward, Bro. Sewell Lee; Chaplain, Bro. Thomas Bryan; Treasurer, Bro. W. M. Hadaway; Secretary, Sister Isabelle Williams; Asst. Steward, Bro. Harry Williams; Gate Keeper, Bro. Morris Cooper; Ceres, Sister Sarah Williams; Pomona, Sister Sylvia Rash; Flora, Sister Rachel Carter; L. A. Steward, Sister Vallery Hadaway.

Next Monday night another member will be taken in and more to follow in the very near future.

Our Lecturer has already aroused much enthusiasm by announcing a "carrom tournament," beginning next Monday night and continuing through February at least. Bro. Carroll Loller and Bro. Geo. T. Williams are leaders of this contest, the winning side to be given a prize at the last meeting. A good time at least is expected from this affair. Of course this is not all. Bro. Cooper expects to have topics of the day, music, etc., to make the evenings both profitable and enjoyable. During February, owing to the scarcity of coal, and weather conditions, we will have only two meetings, the second and the last Monday night in the month.

BLANCHE M. LOLLER
Corresponding Secretary.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

THE COST OF GROWING WHEAT

For some years the News has tried to impress upon our farmers the great importance of knowing the cost of production. It has been demonstrated that wheat has been grown in Kent at a loss for some years. Before a largely attended meeting of the Farmers' Association, at the Courthouse in Frederick Saturday, County Agent P. A. Hauver submitted an estimate of the cost of producing a bushel of wheat, based upon estimates secured from county agents in this State, Virginia, Pennsylvania, Delaware and New Jersey. At the same time, Lewis F. Kefauver, Middletown; E. Charles Renn, Ballenger, and Louis Roelkey, of near the city, well-known farmers, submitted estimates.

The average result showed, said the report, that the total cost of producing an acre of wheat(estimated yield being 21 bushels to the acre)was $31.26. The value of the straw was estimated at $5.05, making the net cost of grain an acre $31.21, or $1.49 a bushel. "This may seem low," said Mr. Hauver, "but I think you will find it fairly representative."

Mr. Kefauver, who stated that he had been farming for 45 years, based his estimate on an average of 17 bushels to the acre. He included interest on land, valued at $90 an acre, and beginning from the time the ground was prepared for seed until the grain was delivered to the dealer he found that the cost of producing an acre of wheat (17 bushels) was $35.36, or an average per bushel of $1.94. Mr. Roelkey figured on a cost of $2.07 a bushel, and Mr. Renn's estimate was $26.50 an acre.

The principal difference between the estimates of the farmers was over the maintenance of horses and labor. Mr. Kefauver charged the maintenance of three horses for six months during the year, which was the largest item in his budget. Mr. Roelkey placed the board of his hands at 15 cents a meal.

For some time farmers in this county have been dissatisfied with the price they are being paid for wheat. They assert that dealers are making more money than the producers and they have decided to ask the Government to fix a new price and establish a different grading on wheat.

BIG HERDS GONE

World War Wastes Europe's Meat Supply.

American Stock Raisers Co-operate With Food Administration in Conservation Measures.

It is probable that Europe for many years after the war will look to a great extent to America for its meat supply.

Europe's herds are dwindling under war's demands faster than they can be replenished.

When the German armies retired from occupied portions of France and Belgium approximately 1,800,000 head of cattle were appropriated. This addition virtually safeguarded Germany from cattle shortage other nations now suffer.

In England some 2,400,000 acres of grass lands have by compulsory measures been forced into grain production, thus reducing pasturage and hay lands. A declining scale of maximum meat prices for live cattle was ordained in England, as follows: For September, $17.76 per hundred pounds; October, $17.28; November and December, $16.08, and for January, $14.40. The evident intent of this measure was to drive the beef animals into market as soon as possible.

According to official French figures, the cattle of France have decreased to a total of 12,341,900 as compared with 14,807,000 in 1913. Today, due to lack of forage principally, France is producing only one gallon of milk where before the war two and one-half gallons were produced.

Meantime the United States food administration has taken steps to conserve our flocks and herds and to increase their numbers. The stock breeders of this country show a disposition to co-operate with the government in this.

For many years it has been a practice among many of the dairy people of this country to kill male calves at birth and in many instances the females if not needed to replenish their herds rather than go to the expense of maturing them into veal. The high prices of meat caused the virtual discontinuance of this killing. Another encouraging fact is 75 per cent. of calves killed for veal this year were males.

Somebody has very aptly said that the wars of the world have been won with grease, meaning that bacon and lard have been as essential to success in war as powder, which is true.

The hogs of Europe have been very greatly sacrificed to present day needs. This makes the American burden all [illegible] more heavy and makes doubly essential an increased pork production [illegible] nation. In Italy grain is now [illegible] to be fed to hogs. In Denmark [illegible] a recent order one-fourth [illegible] were ordered to be killed. [illegible] that one-half have now been killed.

SEIZURE OF [illegible] FOOD STOCKS [illegible] HOUSEWIVES' [illegible] IMPOSSIBLE

The government has [illegible] never considered any plan of seizing [illegible] foodstuffs owned by householders. No [illegible] is there any policy of this kind suggested for the future.

In spite of this fact, the United States food administration has been obliged repeatedly to issue official denials of rumors that the government intends commandeering preserves and canned goods put up in American homes.

These rumors were originated partly by pro-German propagandists and partly by conscienceless grafters, who sought to profit through buying from misinformed housewives.

The year 1918 will see home canning and preserving practiced on greater scale than ever before in the nation's history, officials in Washington believe. And they are assuring all patriotic housewives that foods so saved are theirs, and theirs alone.

MISSISSIPPI
VIRGINIA
KENTUCKY
and
SOUTH CAROLINA
HAVE RATIFIED THE
National Prohibition Amendment
Shall Maryland Be A SLACKER?
Write your representatives in the General Assembly to vote for the National Prohibition Amendment.
(Advertisement)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

EDWARD BRADLEY,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof to the undersigned on or before the 26th day of July, 1918, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand and seal this 22nd day of January, 1918.

J. THOS. QUIGLEY,
Administratrix.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

JEFFERSON L. SMYTH,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof to the undersigned on or before the 26th day of March, 1918, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand and seal this 22nd day of January, 1918.

ANNA SMYTH BRICE,
Administratrix.
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Wear and Warmth

for the cold, rough days of Winter and all at much lower prices than they will be next season.

Corduroy Suits, $10, $12, $15
Corduroy Trousers, $2.50 to $5
Heavy Mackinaws, $5 to $12
Heavy Sweaters, $3.50 to $10
Sheep Lined Coats, $8 to $15
Heavy Underwear, 75c to $5
Business Suits, $10 to $15
Dress-up Suits. $15 to $40
Heavy Overcoats, $10 to $25
Dress Overcoats, $25 to $60
Fur Lined, $35 to $125
Heavy Reefers, $5 to $10

Everything to wear for Men and Boys. Big stock and all at attractive prices now.

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In buying drugs the really essential feature is

PURITY

It is impossible to get cheap Drugs and have them pure. The only advantage we get is buying in quantities. We buy the best and sell them close—the result is a lower cost to you, but we never slight the worth of the drugs we sell and we are exact on the PRESCRIPTIONS we fill.

Supplies for home, bath, nursery and sick room are found here in great profusion.

Toulson's Pharmacy
Toulson Bldg, - Chestertown

NOTICE

The Legal Advisory Board of Kent county wishes to make public acknowledgement of the valuable aid rendered by their associates, both members of the bar and public spirited citizens in assembling registrants for Military Service to their Questionnaires promptly and in[illegible]. Without this hearty and efficient co-operation by all those who offered their services, the work could not have been accomplished within the prescribed time, and many registrants would have been delinquent or subjected to costly hardships in complying with the requirements.

JAMES A. PEARCE,
WILLIAM W. BECK,
HOPE H. BARROLL.

jan. 19-1t.

Mortgagee's Sale
—OF—

Nice Little Farm

In Still Pond Neck, in Kent Co., Md.

UNDER and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from James J. Dorsey to the Kent County Savings Bank, a corporation, dated May 25th, A. D, 1916, and duly recorded in Liber A. P. R. No. 1, folio 131, etc., of the land record books for Kent county, State of Maryland, the undersigned as attorney named in said mortgage, authorized to exercise said power of sale, will offer at public sale at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Kent county, aforesaid, at 12.30 o'clock p. m., on

Saturday, Feb. 2nd, A. D. 1918

All That Lot of Land

AND PREMISES of which James J. Dorsey died, seized and possessed, located in the colored settlement commonly called "The Pines," near the public road leading along the north shore of Still Pond Creek from Still Pond Creek bridge to Coleman's, in the Third Election District of said Kent county, and adjoining the lands of Edward T. Dorsey and others, and containing

4 Acres, 2 Roods and 1 Perch

OF LAND, more or less.

For a fuller description see two deeds to the said James J. Dorsey from John H. Dorsey and others, the first dated April 29th, A. D 1896, and recorded in Liber S. G. F. No. 5, folio 45, etc., of the land records for said Kent county, and the last dated November 9th, A. D. 1910, and recorded in Liber J. T. D. No. 22, folio 190, etc., of the said land records.

The property is improved by a

ComfortableFrameDwelling

and the necessary outbuildings, all in good repair. The land is highly improved and of splendid quality, being adapted to the production of grains, vegetables or fruits.

TERMS OF SALE—One-half (½) of purchase money cash on day of sale, the remainder payable in six months from day of sale or all cash at purchasers option. All deferred payments to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. Deed at purchasers cost.

JOHN D. URIE,
Attorney Named in Mortgage.
JOHN T. JESTER, Auctioneer. j12-ts

MORTGAGE SALE
—OF—

REAL ESTATE

NEAR STILL POND, MD.

UNDER and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from Minta L. Graves and Henry Graves, her husband, to Alwyn N. Stavely and Ellsworth C. Bowers, dated March 29th, A. D., 1913, and duly recorded among the land records of Kent county, State of Maryland, in liber J. T. D. No. 27, folios 360, etc., and duly assigned by the said mortgagees, the undersigned, as assignee of said mortgage, will offer at public sale at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Kent county aforesaid, at 1 o'clock, p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 30, A. D. 1918

All That Lot of Land

[illegible]nd premises commonly known as the Minta [illegible]aves property, located in the village of col[illegible] people known as "Dutch Town," near the [illegible] of Still Pond, in the Second Election Dis[illegible]town of said Kent county, and on the north side [illegible]rict [illegible] said leading from said village of Dutch [illegible] of the [illegible] public road commonly known as [illegible] Town to [illegible] Road," leading from Still Pond to the "Back [illegible]d adjoining the lands of Howard Betterton, [illegible]ers, and containing ONE-HALF Turner and [illegible] more or less. ACRE OF LAND, [illegible]

For a further [illegible]scription of said lot of land and [illegible] premises see said mortgage.

The property is impr[illegible]ved by a Frame Dwelling and nece[illegible]sary Outbuildings, all in fair rep[illegible]air.

TERMS OF SALE—One half (½) of the purchase money cash on day of sale, [illegible] the remainder payable in six months from day of [illegible]ale, or all cash, at purchaser's option. All defer[illegible]ed payments to bear interest from day of sale [illegible] to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. Deed at purchaser's cost.

JOHN N. BENNETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
JOHN D. URIE, Att'y for Assignee of Mortgage.
JOHN T. JESTER, Auctioneer. jan 12 ts.

Men's Sweaters. 50 Cents

Pants and Gloves

BELOW MARKET PRICES

I have some elegant Men's Pants at $4.00 pair, worth $5 00 and $6.00. Only a few pairs left. Sizes 36, 38, 40 and 42.

GLOVES

My assortment of Gloves is large and priced from 15c to $1.50 per pair. None of them can be replaced in stock at these prices.

Get them while you have the opportunity. They will be hard to duplicate at and advance of 25 per cent.

We can furnish the best line of Cakes, Fancy Groceries and Candy. Try our Canned Pumpkin and Beets at 18c per can. They're fine.

F. A. Hurlock
Phone 239 R

CONSERVATION

Don't let the old straw rick rot and blow away. Sell it and put the proceeds at work Write or telephone and our buyer will call.
AMERICAN STRAWBOARD CO.,
n24-6m [Phone 86] Chestertown, Md

FOR RENT.

HOUSE on Mt. Vernon Avenue, 6 rooms, bath and electric lights. Possession given December 1, 1917, or January 1, 1918.
W. S. & A. M. CULP,
n10 3t Chestertown, Md.

FEATHERS WANTED.

White Prime Geese Feathers. We pay highest market price. Mail samples.
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A beautiful NEW HOME in Chestertown with all modern conveniences, bright concreted cellar, etc. Address
d8 3t* KENT NEWS.

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PHONE 87.

We are in the market for Country Salt Meat Hams, Shoulders, Middlings and Lard. Highest cash prices paid for Butter and Eggs and other produce. Also Fat Cattle, Hogs and Calves wanted. We are now butchering country meat and hogs. We are selling our best loin of beef at 30 lb; round 25c, some as low as 18c. We are buying Horse Hides. Beef Hides and other kinds of hides. We are now carrying a good line of Fruits of all kinds. Fresh Fish and Oysters on hand all the time.

We are buying Wild Ducks, Partridges, Rabbits and Fresh Fish of any kind.

We are buying all kinds of Fur—Coon, Opossum Muskrat, Mink, at the highest cash price. Also buying Muskrat Meats, Dressed Opossum, and Wild Ducks. jan5

LARGE PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at Public Auction at MY STABLES IN GALENA, MD., on

Friday, February 1, 1918

At 10.30 A M., rain or shine the following stock described below:

50 to 60 Head Cattle

of most all kinds and sizes. Will have a few fresh cows and calves by side—some good Holstein and Guernsey Heifers, some good springers and balance fat cows and Bologna cows. Last sale fresh cows sold from $45 to $83, heifers $10 to $55, bulls $19 to $81.

You can get most any kind and size at these sales. Will sell a few

HORSES AND MULES

I sold 166 Shotes, Hogs and Pigs at my last sale at very satisfactory prices. Will have from

125 TO 150 SHOTES AND PIGS

again at this sale. I sold every hog and pig every horse and every cow but three I offered. Some didn't bring enough while others no doubt brought all they were worth.

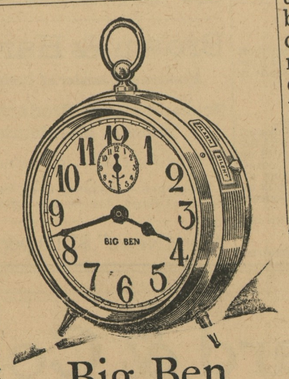
ONE GOOD SECOND-HAND FORD AUTOMOBILE.

Lot of HARNESS, BLANKETS and CARRIAGES.

Sale rain or shine. Terms Cash.

S. G. CALDWELL.

☞ My next sale will be Friday, Feb. 15, 1918.



Big Ben

the clock you've read so much about in the magazines, arrived in my store yesterday with 23 brothers.

They're the finest alarm clocks I've ever laid eyes on. They're built right and right from the ground up. I'm a practical clock man and I know.

They'll be in my window for the rest of the week and I wish you'd come in and look them over.

J. S. KREEGER
Jeweler and Optometrist
Chestertown, Md.

SPECIAL NOTICE
—OF—

Assessment on Personal Property

The Commissioners of Kent County, under order from the State Tax Commission of Maryland, are now sending out by mail, "Notices and Schedule for Assessment on Personal Property." You will receive two schedules, one to be filled in by the party or parties receiving it; the other to be retained by you for your own reference. You then must go before a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public or come before the County Commissioners and make affidavit to the Schedule. This MUST be done before the Commissioners can accept it from you. Your notice will state just what day you must make the return, which means you must make a return on or before that date. The Commissioners will sit in session on each day of the week EXCEPT SATURDAY, after you receive your schedule.

It is advisible that you read over your schedule carefully before attempting to make it up. By doing this, you will have no trouble. It is important that you see that your name and address is properly listed, District, Rural Delivery, etc., if any (if colored) so state. Personal property in your possession belonging to others must be reported. See Section No. 23, on Schedule.

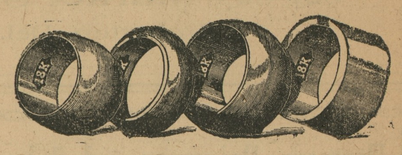
By order of Board,
SAMUEL HICKS,
j19-tf Clerk

BENJ DURDING, Rock Hall; Md. C. N. SATTERFIELD, Chestertown, Md.

Durding & Satterfield

We make a specialty of insuring HAY and WHEAT, either in barns or in stacks. Remember the "HOME" is the large American company, made so by liberal policy, Oc

Unmarried Men take warning
WE ARE AFTER YOU



If the unmarried men of the town and county don't brace up and quit fooling it won't be the fault of H. B. Rote. We are making prices so attractive that the average young fellow without nerve can't look his sweetheart in the face without feeling that he should have "proposed" long ago.

Most women like to possess pretty Rings. We have provided for the demands of fashion and display as fine assortment of Rings as was ever shown in this town. Come in and look the situation over.

H. B. Rote, the Jeweler
Chestertown, - - Maryland

SHOES FOR MEN

The New Styles Which You Admire Are Here

There are few men, having any sense of pride in their personal appearance, who do not take a peculiar interest in their shoes.

They want shoes that are style right, without a flaw, but which at the same time fit with perfect comfort. We have had unusual success in exactly satisfying these discriminating men with Ralstons. It's not every shoe that furnishes such a successful combination of style and fit.

Ralstons are exceptionally well designed and well made—let us introduce you to the new styles.

Vansant & Newsome
Chestertown, Maryland

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