FRED. G. USILTON. WM. B. USILTON

Kent News.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1921

This community has been very much disturbed this week by the sad tragedy which resulted in the death of R. Groome Parks. This young man had the respect and esteem of everyone. His high sense of honor, his sympathy for the distressed and his gentle, courteous manner made him especially popular. The sympathy of this community go out to the aged parents.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS IN TOWN

The raise in the price of electric lights in Chestertown is giving the citizens much concern. A protest has been filed with the Public Service Commission but no attention paid to same. A raise was made last July and a protest filed but not answered. The public want to know whether this arm of the State Government is for the public or especially for the public utilities. It would seem just to give an opinion on all requests before action may be taken. But, in this case, all a utility has to do is to decide to boost a price, file same before the Commission and proceed to collect the money. The same thing holds true in the case of the raise in price of gas.

The Town Commissioners have "struck" against paying the increase and so notified Mr. Tracy, of the Electric Light Company. In another column Mr. Tracy answers the objections to the raise and his argument will be read with interest.

To say the least, the Public Service Commission should grant a hearing and give a decision as to the right to increase before this increase is put into effect.

TOWN COMMISSIONERS ACT

At a meeting of the Commissioners of Chestertown Monday a resolution was passed notifying A. H. Tracy, of the Chestertown Electric Light & Power Company that the increase in price of street lighting will not be accepted and that on and after March 1st, 1921, the contract is abrogated. In view of this action the following is interesting:

J. W. Stowell, Robert Eddington, W. B. Bell representing Federalsburg and many other heavy users of electricity from several of the Shore towns went to Salisbury Thursday and presented their case to C. O. Culver, general superintendent of the Eastern Shore Gas & Electric Co. In view of the reduction in the price of most of the commodities that go into business in these reconstruction times and since the company when it raised the rates promised to go back to old prices as soon as it was possible, the consumers want to know if that time has arrived. The committee was cordially entertained and was given assurance that the matter would be taken up immediately with headquarters in Philadelphia. Superintendent Culver has no authority to lower the rate but has expressed the belief that a lower rate would be put in effect in a short time.—Federalsburg Courier.

RACE TRACK GAMBLING

Last Friday The American printed an interesting symposium of views of Baltimoreans on the racetrack issue, the regulation of betting, and participation of the State in the receipts of race-tracks. The opinions of nearly 200 persons were given, and a great preponderance of them seemed to regard with favor the present plan. In order to find out the sentiment outside the city The American asked the editors of the various newspapers throughout the State to tell how the people of their respective communities regard the racetrack issue, and says The American, "If opinions of Maryland editors represent the thought of the county people, there are rocks ahead for racing."

It is indeed marvelous to read the almost universal opinion against this evil. The Kent News' reply was as follows: "We are firm believers in doing all we can for the betterment of the youth of our State, and if we can make their environment cleaner or more wholesome we should esteem it a duty as well as a pleasure. Gambling at race tracks has brought untold shame to our State, misery to scores of young men, and inculcating habits which get such a grip upon them that they are forever lost to right living. We do not believe in the State selling the honor of its citizens for any sum."

NOTICE OF FITNESS TESTS

The State Employment Commission will hold fitness tests at Annapolis, Baltimore, Cumberland, Frederick, and Saulsbury, Saturday, February 19, 1921, to establish lists of persons eligible for appointment to the following classes of positions in the State service. The usual annual starting salaries are as indicated:

Junior Stenographer—$660—$1080.
Senior Stenographer—$900—$1500.
Junior Typist —$600—$1000.
Senior Typist —$900—$1320.
Senior Account Clerk—$900—$1200.
Chester —$720

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$720 and usu[illegible] tables. $540 and [illegible] uniform. [illegible] sched-

ROBERT B. DIXON DEAD

Robert B. Dixon died at his home, "North Bend," near Easton, Friday, about 1.30 p. m., aged 86. Mr. Dixon has been closely identified with business developments of Talbot county, both commercially and financially. He has headed the largest enterprise there up to the last year, when he relinquished his interest in most concerns in favor of his son, James Dixon.

Mrs. A. Mitchell Palmer, wife of Attorney-General Palmer; Mrs. F. A. Levering, of Baltimore; Mrs. William T. Norris, of Easton; Mrs. J. Kemp Bartlett, of Baltimore, daughters; Wm. A. Dixon, of Baltimore, and James Dixon, of Easton, sons, survive him.

Public Sale

The undersigned, having rented his farm and intending to remove therefrom, will sell at public sale at his residence, on the Crawford Farm, in Middle Neck, Cecil County, Md., six miles west of Middletown, Del. (stone Road runs to farm gate) on

Wednesday, Feb 23rd, 1921

at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp the following Personal Property:

13 Head of Horses

ALL GOOD FARM HORSES

26 Head of Cattle

mostly high-grade Holstein. Two cows entitled to register.

Herd Bull, Uneeda King Alcantra Nonpariel, bred by H. F. duPont, Winterthur Farms, Del., born October 20, 1917. This is a fine animal, nice and quiet. His extended pedigree can be seen day of sale. Balance consists of 21 milch cows, 2 yearlings heifers, 1 weanling heifer, very fine. This is an exceptionally fine lot of cattle. Some fresh with calves by their sides, others will be in profit by day of sale.

52 Head of Sheep

some with Lambs by their sides.

Two Bucks

46 Head Hogs, Brood Sows and Shotes.

Nice and thrifty. Some will suit butchers, have been inoculated.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

All farming implements needed on a 250 acre farm and in good condition. Harness, Household and Kitchen Furniture, etc., etc.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $20.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of nine months will be given by purchaser giving bankable note with approved endorser; interest added from day of sale. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

WILLIAM PRICE, Owner.
Eugene Racine, Auct.
Cochran & Eliason, Clerks. f5

Bargains
in
GOOD WORST-D SUITS
Silk Mixtures
$25, $30, $35
at
Old Time Prices
Special
Men's Regular and Stout Sizes; lots of Late Styles closed out from Good Makers.
Big Ulsters
Dress Overcoats
½ Price
Now $20 to $50
and much less than they will be next Fall — Hickey-Freeman, Kuppenheimer and our Best Makes among them.
½ Price Suits
Some Big Bargains in Our Clean-up Sale; All Sizes among them, 35 to 50 Chest, Regulars and Stouts.
MULLIN'S HOME STORE
WILMINGTON

Mortgagee's Sale
—OF—
Valuable Real Estate

Located in the Second Election District of Kent County, Maryland.

Under and by virtue of power and authority contained in a mortgage from Emma W. Rigby and J. Ivon Rigby, her husband, to William A. Walls, dated the 3rd day of January, A. D., 1920, and recorded among the Land Record Books for Kent County, Maryland, in Liber A. P. R., No. 6, folio 128, and duly assigned to William Mason Shehan on the 20th day of January, A. D., 1921, default having occured in the terms and conditions of said mortgage by failure to pay both the principal and interest thereon when due, the undersigned assignee will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door, in the Town of Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, on

SATURDAY,
The 19th Day of February, 1921

between the hours of two and four o'clock P. M.

All That Farm, Tract or Parcel of Land

situate, lying and being in Kent county, Maryland, called "Castle Carey," which is situated in the Second Election District of Kent County, Maryland, on the public road leading from Locust Grove to Shallcross Wharf, lying on Freeman's Creek, adjoining the lands of the heirs of George Hollis, and the lands of Mrs. Mary E. Hurtt, and containing

318 Acres
and 27 Perches

OF LAND, more or less, with eight or ten acres of marsh contiguous bounded on one side by lines of said farm, and by Freeman's Creek on the other, and being the same property which was conveyed by Deed dated the 3rd day of January, 1920, from William A. Pote and wife to the said Emma W. Rigby and recorded in Liber A. P. R., No. 6, folio 127, one of the Land Record Books for Kent County.

TERMS OF SALE — One-half in cash and one-half in six months or all cash at the option of purchaser or purchasers. Deferred payments to bear interest from the date of sale and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned assignee. Title papers at the expense of purchaser.

WM. MASON SHEHAN,
Assignee of Mortgagé.

Rate Schedule P. S. C. No. 8A.

SCHEDULE MADE AND FILED
by
Chestertown Electric Light & Power Company

in accordance with Public Service Commission Order No. 246, of April 19th, 1911, described in circular No. 8A.

The following rates are to become effective on and after March 1st, 1921. Prices are on a monthly basis unless otherwise stated.

Town Lighting—32 c. p. street lamps $21.00 per year each.

P. S. C. Rate Schedule No. 8 effective January 1st, 1921, and which is now in force is to apply to all classes of service except the Town Lighting service as set forth above.

CHESTERTOWN ELECTRIC LIGHT & POWER COMPANY.
Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, January 27th, 1921.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county letters of Administration c. t. a. on the personal estate of

MARTHA ELIZABETH SKIRVEN
late of said county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 12th day of August, 1921, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefits of said deceased's personal estate.

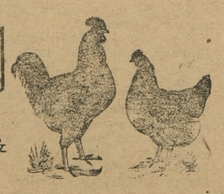
All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under our hands this 8th day of February, 1921.

GEORGE S. DIEHL,
RICHARD S. DIEHL,
f12 Administrators c. t. a.

KENT NEWS $1.50 PER YEAR

Eggs For Hatching



(From the Best Birds)
Barred Plymouth Rocks & S. C. White Leghorns

PRICES—Eggs: 15, $1.50; 100, $9.00. Chicks: $18 per hundred. Custom Hatching: $3 per hundred eggs.

By adding to my flock every year the finest male and female birds that money can buy, I have built up splendid strains that for laying and beauty are hard to beat anywhere or at any price.

Bramble Poultry Farm
[illegible]ne 216-M. CHESTERTOWN MD., R. R. 1

PUBLIC SALE OF
Personalty

The undersigned, having no use for the within named property, will sell without reserve, on his farm near Rock Hall, opposite Wesley Chapel Church, on

Tuesday, March 1st, 1921

Beginning at 10.30 o'clock A. M. the following Described Personalty:

14 Head Horses

MULES AND COLTS

consisting of 4 pair Mules and one Single Mule, 2 Brood Mares and 3 3½ year old Colts, all in excellent condition.

IMPLEMENTS

18 new 5-gallon milk cans, 1 new grain cradle, 1 gentleman's riding saddle, 1 lady's riding saddle, 1 Singer sewing machine, 1 set carriage harness, 1 Columbia graphone and records, 1 Blue Flame coal oil stove, three burners, 1 set scales, 600 lbs., 1 air tight stove, 1 oil stove, 1 3½ H. P. engine, lot of potato hooks, shovels and other implements, all in good condition, found on a well equipped farm.

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

T. MILTON JONES, Owner.
S. Scott Beck, Attorney. f12
H. S. Startt, Auct.

TAKE WARNING!

ACT QUICK

Buy now while you get 20 per cent off on your purchase. No discount after March 1. Only a few more days to buy at these prices:

$150 Farm Wagons now.....$120.00
$100 New Way Corn Planter, with Fertilizer Attachment $80.00
$80 New Way Corn Planter...$64.00
$75 Oliver Riding Plow now..$60.00
$225 New Idea Spreader now $180.00
$35 Set Harness now.....$28.00
$2.25 Ames' Shovel or Spade....$1.80
$3.25 No. 1 Onedia Jump Traps $2.60
$160 Majestic Range now....$130.00
$80 Penn Ester Range now....$64.00

AND EVERYTHING ELSE IN SAME PROPORTION

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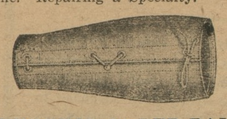

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Walter T. Bramble.

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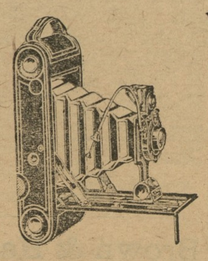

Though Kodaks were never advanced like most goods the Eastman Kodak Company are among the first to make a big reduction in order to get back to normal prices.

Just a few of the present prices—

No. 0 Brownie Camera $2.00
No. 2 Brownie Camera $2.50
No. 2A Brownie Camera $3.50
No. 2C Brownie Camera $5.00
No. 2 Folding Brownie Camera.....$9.00
No. 2 Folding Brownie Camera.....$10.00
No. 3 Folding Brownie Camera.....$15.00
No. 3A Outing Kodack Jr.....$19.00

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JEWELER AND OPTOMETRIST
WATCHES PHONE 53-J CHESTERTOWN, MD.

February Sale

IN ORDER that we may begin our spring business with a clean slate, we have decided to forget all about what the merchandise cost and to take our loss like men.

Men's Suits and Overcoats

that sold for $45.00, $50.00 and $55.00 sale price **$24.75**

Alterations at Cost.

Corduroy Suits for Men

$20.00 Suits; sale price $14 75
$22 50 Suits; sale price $15 25
$25.00 Suits; sale price $18.25

Corduroy Suits for Boys

$10 00 Suits; sale price $6 75
$12.50 Suits; sale price $8 75
$13 00 and $14 50 Suits; sale price $9.75

High Rock and other Heavy Flannel Lined Shirts and Drawers, that sold for $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75 per garment; sale price..... **69c**

GUM BOOTS AND ARCTICS — Men's, Women's and Children's—20% Off.

All Sweaters One-Half Price

Vansant & Newsome
Gent's Furnishers, Tailors, Shoers
CHESTERTOWN, - - MARYLAND

Big Value In China

We offer about 1200 pieces in this special sale. We offer this week the best value in Chinaware that has been heard of for years!

CUPS AND SAUCERS, $3.00 Value, special, doz.....$1.20
DINNER PLATES, $3.00 Value, special, doz $1.45
TEA AND SOUP PLATES, $2.75 value, dozen.....$1.20
ICE CREAM SAUCERS, $1.25 value, special, dozen.....60c

Try our "Premium Blend" Coffee at 29c pound. This is a new blended coffee we have just purchased. Its a success everywhere its sold. We ask you to try a pound of this coffee and if not satisfactory your money awaits you. Price 29c pound.

Best Grades of Blended Teas at 19c per package.

Many other items at correspondingly low prices.

These Gloves are offered special this week at 12½c pair.

About 200 miscellaneous items, viz., Tea Pots, Water Pitchers, Cream Pitchers, Mugs, Sugar Bowls, Gravy Boats, Butter Dishes, Individual Butters and many other items, all specially priced for this sale. NO GOODS SOLD TO DEALERS.) Now is your opportunity to buy good serviceable China at the lowest price offered for years.

F. A. Hurlock
PHONE NO. 166 M.

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