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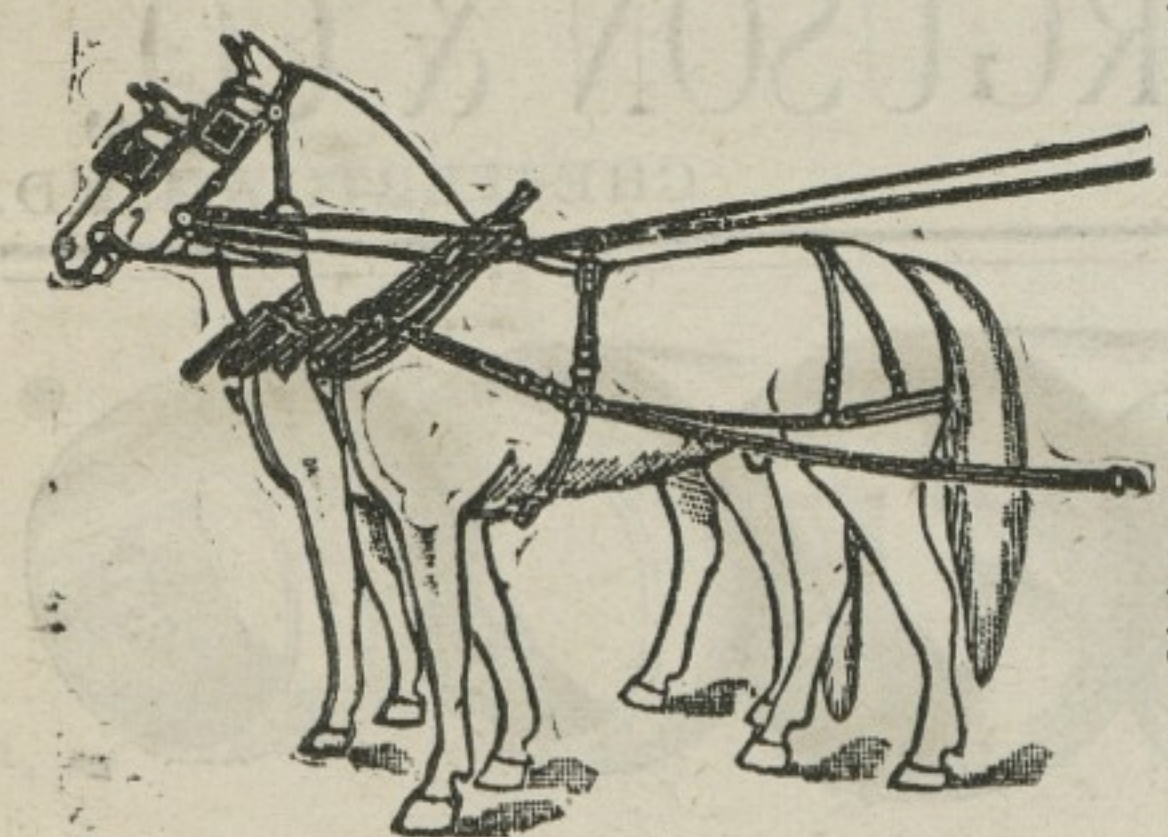
MEDDERS & CO.

WE BEGIN AUGUST WITH RENEWED VIGOR.

We have just closed the busiest July in our experience—really two months business in one.
No better explanation than, "Right Goods at Right Prices."

HARNESS DEPARTMENT!

These Wagon Harness are without equal in this county at near our price. They are made of Clean, White Oak Stock and are made by the same factory which makes our famous No. 20 \$10 Buggy Harness. "Don't buy imitations."



Wagon Harness \$12.50

High grade, extra heavy one-half Leather Traces, best leather Trimmings, \$12.50
cheap at \$15, made with heavy breechings, per double set.

Wagon Harness \$7.90.

Made with 1 1/2 inch Traces, Solid Leather Trimmings, Extra Strong Harness, made without breechings, and a bargain, double set, only \$7.90

Work Collars for Only 98c

Large lot of \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 Work Collars, made of good, clean stock, from our BANKRUPT STOCK. We offer them at a big bargain and give you the choice of

the entire lot for only..... **98c**

Work Bridles for Only 98c.

Large lot \$1.25 and \$1.50 Best New Plow Bridles from our BANKRUPT PURCHASE. We offer choice of

entire lot only..... **98c**

Collar Pads Only 19c.

Lot of 35c Best Collar Pads from the Bankrupt Goods will go for..... **19c**

We are Offering Rare Bargains in LADIES' and CHILDREN'S HOSE.

Children's 15c Hose for..... **10c**

Children's 18c Hose for..... **12c**

Ladies' Fine 19c Hose for..... **12c**

IT WILL PAY YOU TO SEE OUR LINE.

We offer our Ladies' the choice of the best

Handkerchief Deal

we have ever made and at right prices.

Fine 10c Handkerchiefs for only..... **5c**

Lot of 18 and 20c Handkerchiefs go for..... **10c**

Ladies' Fancy 25 and 30c Handkerchiefs..... **15c**

Fine Assortment of 15 and 18c Lawns, Dimities, Madras and Percales on show table, per yard only..... **9c**

It will pay you to visit our

BANKRUPT DEPARTMENT.

Good Tumblers for only..... **1c**

1 dozen Boxes Best Matches for only..... **6c**

Ivory Soap..... **3c**

Flato's Coffee Essence, only..... **1c**

25c. Chipped Beef..... **19c**

Enterprise Coffee..... **8c**

5c. Washing Soap..... **2c**

Gilbert's Lemon and Vanilla..... **3c**

5c for the Clean, Pure American Granulated SUGAR.

WM. MEDDERS & CO. | WM. MEDDERS & CO.
CASH DEALERS.

The Great Eastern Shore Kent and Queen Anne County Fair!

TO BE HELD AT TOLCHESTER BEACH, MD., AUGUST 26, 27, 28 AND 29.
\$5,525 IN PURSES.

Nothing ever like it on the Eastern Shore of Maryland before. The best horses from all over the United States. The stock and farm products the largest. Don't fail to have something to help make your county famous, and show to the world what your county is and can do. If you want to know more drop a postal for fair book. All the ladies are taking a great interest this year and that department will be second to no fair in the State. Every day will be a big day. How to get there—watch your county papers, as all railroads and steamboats will give reduced rates.

A Few Things to Remember.

ENTRIES.—All entries will be free, except in Races and Poultry Department, but ten per cent. will be deducted from all premiums which may be awarded. Entries on poultry must be paid at time of entry.
The office of the Secretary on the Fair Grounds will be open after August 1st for the reception of entries and arrangement of place for exhibits.

EXHIBITS.—Exhibits must be in place 10 A. M. TUESDAY, AUGUST 26th, and shall not be removed before 5 P. M. FRIDAY, AUGUST 29th, under forfeiture of all premiums which may have been awarded to any person so offending.

HAVE YOU READ THE RULES?

1. Save yourself and the Secretary trouble by sending your entries in ahead of the Fair, at least a week. The Secretary and all clerks are on the grounds all during the week of the Fair.
2. Application for space does not make your entry, and where entries are made by mail, you must call at the office and get your tags. Neglect this and you may lose your premium. The tags are always ready for you.
3. Always give of animals, 1, age; 2, sex; 3, pedigree, if any. We can make no entry on a statement that you want to show a horse at the Fair, and yet many people expect to have a tag ready on just such entries.
4. Always say how many stalls you want, and give the smallest number you can get along with, and what you want them for.
5. Everyone makes mistakes. We do, but we will correct them cheerfully if it is our fault; but you must not blame us if we rely on what people say you ought to do. If you are in doubt, come to the office and find out. The clerks are paid extra to answer questions. Take no advice of any one but the officers.
6. Be sure your entry blank is made out in the name of the person you want the premium awarded to. Checks in payment are sent to the person whose name is on the entry blank.

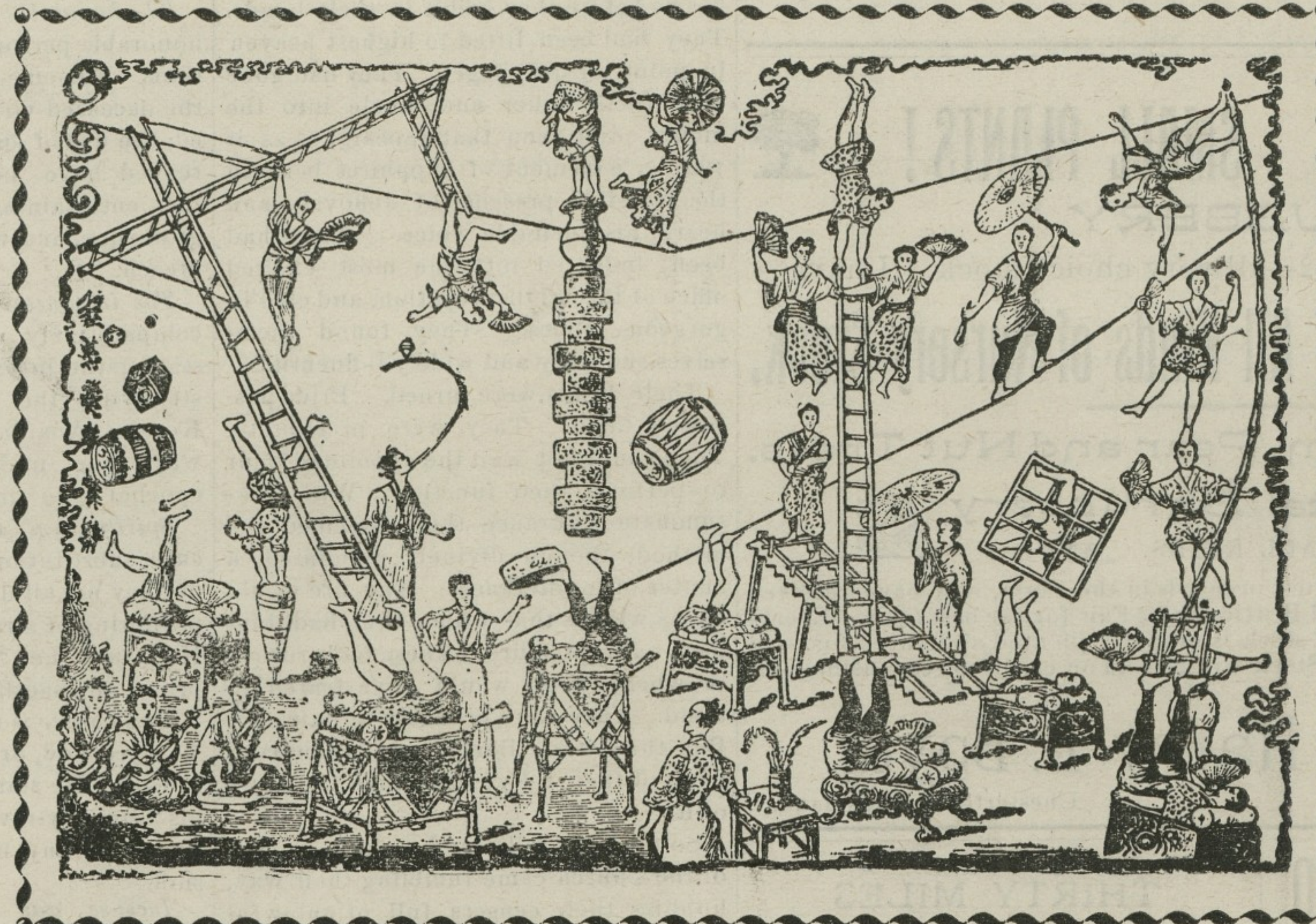
7. Don't ask officers to attend to exhibits, because they have something else to do. Attend to them yourself, and if anything is wrong you know who to blame.
8. Don't blame the officers too much if the judges, superintendents, etc., are not on hand at exactly the appointed time, but keep your attendants, stock, etc., where you can get at them when wanted. There is a great deal to be done in a short time.
9. All feed furnished will be charged for.
10. The success of the Fair depends on you. The Board of Managers will do all they can to make you comfortable and to make the Fair a success, but they CANNOT DO IT ALL.

ADMISSION.

Single Tickets..... 25 cents
Exhibition tickets, sold when entry is made to exhibitors competing for premiums, admitting twice a day..... 15 cents
Grand Stand Tickets..... 25 cents
One horse vehicle or saddle horse..... 25 cents
Two horse vehicle..... 25 cents
(No horse admitted without horse ticket.)
Children under 10 years, free; over 10 years, full price.
Non-transferable passes will be issued free to owners of stock and machinery for their employees, at the discretion of the Superintendent, but they must be obtained when entries are made.
Tickets must be bought at the designated offices, and no money will be received at the gate. No person can enter without a ticket, it makes no difference how many you have bought.
If you wish to attend the Fair under the above conditions, we will be glad to have you, and make it as pleasant for you as we can.
No return checks of any kind given under any circumstances, except by order of
G. E. NOLAND, Secretary.

The TOKIO ROYAL Japanese Troupe

From
Tokio,
Japan



Sports, Games and Pastimes

Displays of Ingenuity
Physical Endurance
Accuracy of the Eye
Steadiness of Nerve!

A Wonderful Exhibition of Oriental Talent!

Jugglers, Contortionists,
Balancers, Magicians,
Equilibrists!

PRESENTING FIVE COMPLETE ACTS

BETTERTON ITEMS.

Havre de Grace's baseball team arrived in Betterton on Aug. 1, and played two games, one in the morning and the other in the afternoon. In the morning Pearl Moore pitched a game which excited most favorable comment from many of our city boarders. Moore is as good an amateur as any town can boast of. In the afternoon Archie Turner was in the box, and with the support of the team, which is always given, shut Havre de Grace out again and again. In the morning the score stood 13 to 4 in favor of Betterton and in the afternoon 16 to 3 in favor of Betterton. Betterton has the boys that "play ball."

Betterton is one of the busiest little towns that adorns the beautiful bay. Everything on the go. The hotels and boarding houses are about full. No one wishes to behold a more beautiful place than Betterton, with its commodious hotels, ideal cottages and pretty girls. Vanzant Cottage has a sign out which is a new departure. You can see over it, below it and through it, and yet it exists. Two foxes, which are very beautiful, came to Betterton this week.

The second quarterly conference of the M. E. church will be held Aug. 16, at 8 P. M. Dr. Corkran will preach August 17 at 8 P. M., in the M. E. Church.

Rev. B. F. Campbell, of Dover, will lecture in the M. E. Church, August 14, subject, "How to Kill a Church."

W. E. Greet will enter in September, the Wilmington Conference Academy, where he will study for the ministry.

The Misses Kahmars are visiting Miss Violet Moore. Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Silcox, of Philadelphia, are visiting at the Vanzant Cottage.

Mr. Walter Brice and family, of Philadelphia, who have been the guests of Capt. Geo. Moore, have returned to their city residence.

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold a "lawn fete" August 8th.

Epworth League Day at Rehoboth.

Thursday, August 14th, is Epworth League Day at Rehoboth. The parties in charge have made every arrangement for a profitable and enjoyable day. Noted Epworth League speakers will be present. The Queen Anne's Railroad will run a special train to and from Rehoboth on that day, reaching Rehoboth early in the morning. Returning persons can leave on the regular trains or stay until after the night services. Epworth League Day will be a big day at Rehoboth. Apply to ticket agents for further information.

WORTON ITEMS.

Mrs. Higgins, of Wilmington, is visiting Miss I. C. Cooper, at her home near here.

Miss Rambo, of Baltimore, and Miss Nora Bryan, of near Chestertown, are visiting at the home of Mr. Jaywood Rambo.

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Carter and daughter, Evelyn, are visiting relatives in Wilmington.

Miss Gertrude Carter spent last week at the home of her uncle, Mr. Richard Rasin, near Kennedyville.

Mrs. Samuel Wallis and daughter, Miss Mary, returned Wednesday from a trip to Wilmington.

Miss Florence Jewell, of Betterton, spent several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rash, near here.

A great number of our young folk witnessed the game of baseball in Chestertown, and some of the older folk attended the horse sale.

The picnic of the Union Sunday school was held on Tuesday, at Worton Manor Beach. Although Chestertown attracted quite a number who would have attended, a pleasant time was had by those who were present.

The Presbyterian Sunday school went down on Wednesday, and although the storm of the afternoon came early and droye the picnicers into the house, through the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Hudson and their son and daughter, all enjoyed themselves greatly.

Master Lynwood Morris, of near Lynchs, is visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Dwyer, near here.

Master Frank Turner is visiting his uncle, Mr. Frank Crew, in Wilmington.

Mr. Charles Boyles spent the first of the week with friends at Golts, Dover and Smyrna.

Mrs. A. S. Turner has been quite sick this week.

Mrs. N. B. Gears is entertaining friends from Baltimore. MADGE.

A Cure for Cholera Infantum.

"Last May," says Mrs. Curtis Baker, of Bookwaller, Ohio, "an infant child of our neighbor's was suffering from cholera infantum. The doctor had given up all hopes of recovery. I took a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to the house, telling them I felt sure it would do good if used according to directions. In two days' time the child had fully recovered, and is now (nearly a year since) a vigorous, healthy girl. I have recommended this Remedy frequently and have never known it to fail in any single instance." For sale by M. A. Toulson, druggist, Chestertown Md.

MILLINGTON MATTERS.

Mrs. Frank Bonsell, of Wilmington, has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tolson.

Mr. W. E. Cacy and family, of Dumont, N. J., are spending a couple of weeks with relatives in town.

Mr. James Wright, of Smyrna, spent Sunday in town.

Messrs. C. M. Hurr, Hix Long, Willie Wilson and Mr. Harkins, spent Sunday at Betterton.

Dr. E. G. Clark and daughter, Miss Agnes, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Emma Clark, of Leonia, N. J., is spending a month with her sister, Mrs. George C. Dixon, near town.

Miss Emma Hart, of Sudlersville, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Marie Vansant, at the Brick Hotel.

Mrs. Sophie Eareckson, of Baltimore, has returned home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Dr. N. Comegys.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Comegys, Mrs. Mollie Ireland and daughter, spent Friday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Comegys.

Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks, of Chestertown, spent last week with Miss Emily Massey, on Cypress street.

Mr. J. E. Spear is spending a week with friends in Virginia.

Miss Eva Comegys has returned home from being on a house party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Newman, near Church Hill.

Miss Bessie Hurlock is holding a house party which will last about ten days or two weeks, at her home on Cypress street, and is entertaining as her guests, Misses A. Gettrude Bois, Newville, Pa.; Flora J. Wells, and Helen P. Startt, of Smyrna; Maude A. Hurlock, Church Hill; Mazie A. H. Hall, Centerville, and Florence E. Hurlock, of Massey.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Smith spent last Sunday the guests of Mr. Smith's niece, Mrs. Herman Pratt, at Greenspring, Del.

LYNCH'S ITEMS.

Mrs. James Roseberry, of Baltimore, is visiting friends in the village.

Miss Bertha Biddle is home after spending several weeks in Baltimore. She was accompanied by Miss Mabel Pearce and Miss Maggie Ellison, of West Arlington.

Misses Anna Hossinger, of New Jersey, and Jessie Roseberry, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. J. B. Hossinger.

Messrs. C. P. Morris, Harry Cacy and Misses Lizzie Hepbron and Lillian Cornelius, left Wednesday for a trip to Pen Mar, where they will spend several days.

Miss Hazel Beck and brother, James, of Washington D. C., are visiting Mr. W. E. Beck.

Miss Lydia Walbert, of Queen Annes, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Rash.

Mrs. Isaac Dwyer, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. E. Moffett.

Mrs. Harry Hoyle and little daughter, of Chestertown, have been visiting Mr. Samuel Mann.

FROM CHESTERTOWN.

The prospect for a big tomato crop is not very promising, owing to the excessive rains. Such is the opinion of farmers in our community.

Mr. Marcus Rogers has rented the farm commonly called the "Miller farm," which Mr. Robt. Walsmley will vacate at the expiration of the year. Mr. Geo. Harrison is the owner. Mr. Wm. Meredith will move on the farm now occupied by Mr. Andrew Toulson, on Cherry Lane. So worthy and estimable a citizen as Mr. M. should receive a welcome greeting in any community.

Chicken thief or thieves have lately twice invaded the poultry yard of our pastor, Rev. I. Ryder, and have taken over forty chickens. We hope the night marauder may yet find stealing to be a very costly business.

Mrs. W. F. Jarrell is on a visit to Pen Mar.

Mrs. J. W. Mann, of Newark, Del., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. A. Crittenden. It is but seldom that Mr. Mann has a leave of absence from the very responsible and often severely taxing duties which his connection with the P. W. & B. Road imposes, and which he has performed with marked ability.

Miss E. M. S. Illoy has returned home after a pleasant visit to her sister in Woodbury, N. J., and Groton, Conn. Her sister, Miss Florence, of Philadelphia, is on a visit to her mother at this place.

Miss Annie M. Beall and her friend, Miss May Marr, of Prince, Ga., went to Baltimore last Thursday. It was Miss Marr's first visit to our county, and she was much pleased with her visit.

Mr. Chas. H. Jarman has joined the list of benedictines, and we wish him happiness.

Mrs. C. G. Carey's health is still very bad. OCCASIONAL.

GRAIN MARKET FURNISHED BY STEVENS BROTHERS,

226 South Charles Street, Baltimore, Md.,
GRAIN AND FRUIT

Commission Merchants, Members Chamber of Commerce.

THURSDAY'S QUOTATIONS.

Corn.—Offerings for southern corn today consisted of a few small bag parcels which sold at 65 cents for white and at 66 and 66 1/2 cents for yellow, the latter price for one small bag lot delivered. Cob Corn draggy at \$3.45@3.50 per bbl. for carloads prime yellow on spot supplies ample.
Wheat.—The arrivals of southern wheat continue to show a steady falling off, and the market today ruled quiet and fractionally easier. Sales of cargoes on grade at 71 1/2 cents for No. 2 red, 69 1/2 for steamer 2 red, and 68 1/2 cents for rejected. Bag Lots, by sample, brought 66, 67, 68, 70, 71, and 71 1/2 cents, as to quality and condition. Market closed about 1/2 cent firmer.