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A HAPPY CHRISTMAS TO ONE
AND ALL, IS THE WISH OF THE
TRANSCRIPT.

Mr. THOMAS IRELAND ELLIOTT, one of the most prominent Republican members of the Baltimore bar and a gentleman well-known in Chestertown, is being discussed as the mayoralty candidate of his party next spring. Mr. Elliott was City Solicitor under Mayor Hooper and is concededly one of the strong members of his profession in the city. It may also be said that the full strength of his personality and political influence have always been thrown upon the side of purity in politics and for advancement along all lines in city affairs. If Baltimore is to have a Republican mayor the people would be most fortunate should Mr. Elliott be elected their chief executive.

THE TRUST-LOVING and confident American people at the last several presidential elections indulged in the experiment of sowing the wind, and are now reaping the proverbial whirlwind. They cast their ballots for the representatives of trusts, combines and monopolies, and the sequel is, suffering, strikes and a great people emasculated and at the mercy of money-lords. The Standard Oil Company, one of the "Infant Industries" nurtured by the Republican trust and monopoly system, has advanced the price of oil one cent a gallon to the middlemen. According to advices from New York the stockholders of the Standard Oil Co. received a cash dividend of \$10,000,000 on Monday. This company controls over 80 per cent of all the petroleum produced in the United States, and the production of illuminating petroleum is placed in round numbers at 1,000,000,000 gallons a year, and "according to these figures," says a New York paper, "the revenue of the company by the advance of one cent a gallon will be increased about \$3,000,000 a year. These figures do not include the export trade. The company's fiscal year ends in February, and it has paid 45 per cent. dividend this year."

BELIEVERS IN PRINTERS' INK.

Big Stores With Big Stocks Use Big Space in the Transcript.

MARION T. MILLER.

In this issue will be found the full-page advertisement of Marion T. Miller, the leader of Rock Hall merchants. Mr. Miller has always been an advocate and generous user of Printers Ink and finds that it pays. His big ad in this issue and the issue of last week is only an intimation of the large and carefully selected stock which he offers to the purchasing public. As usual, his stock is full to overflowing of the finest quality and at prices which defy competition. Old Kris has, as usual taken up his "headquarters at Miller's Glass Front" and extends a royal welcome to all of his little as well as big friends.

WILLIAM MEDDERS & CO.

William Medders & Co., at Still Pond, is the Eastern Shore Wauamaker, not only in the matter of persistence and extensive advertising, but in the matter of having possibly the largest and most varied line of goods offered on the Eastern Shore. We have seen this store and pronounce it a "wonder" both in the extent of stock and beauty of goods offered. There is everything which the purchaser of beautiful goods can desire, and at prices which win every time. It's worth a forty mile drive (even with bad roads) to see this great display of beautiful goods. The stores, annexes and special departments are crowded night and day with customers, but all are being waited upon and are delighted with their purchases.

A. J. HACKETT

Mr. A. J. Hackett, the Still Pond horse-shoer, has a good word to say about your horse's feet during the holiday season. Horse shoeing is a specialty at the Hackett blacksmith and wheelwright parlors, at Still Pond, and Mr. Hackett is a specialist in his line of work. Don't forget the needs of the horse during the season of merry-making and good cheer.

WESTCOTT & DODD.

Messrs. Westcott & Dodd, at their great emporium have one of the most comprehensive lines of fine goods ever shown in their big store. Their fine of beautiful china ware surpasses anything ever before offered by them. Then too, in every other line there are numberless articles suitable for gifts at the Christmas season.

THE MILLINGTON MERCHANT.

F. J. Devenish is another of the believers in the TRANSCRIPT and Printers Ink. This hustling Millington merchant has surpassed all previous efforts in his superb stock of goods. Gifts by the thousand are to be found in his large stock, and as usual his prices are one of the chief charms of his offerings to the holiday shopper. The gentleman extends an invitation to the public to inspect his fine stock of fine goods.

CANNING AND MERCANTILE CO.

This firm offers a magnificent line of practical presents. After all, it is the practical side of life that must not be forgotten. It is necessary to see the appropriate things offered by this reliable firm. Fine cutlery, skates, stoves and numberless appropriate articles for the Christmas season are in stock and ready for inspection.

J. H. SIDES.

Mr. Sides readily recognizes a good thing and among other "good things" in life he considers advertising space in the TRANSCRIPT one of the very best. Mr. Sides has a large stock of beautiful jewelry, silver and cut glass ware, any article of which would make a charming Christmas remembrance. He refuses to carry the "cheap John" catch-penny goods so lavishly shown by some make-believe jewelers, so whatever comes from Sides' is all-right—true to representation and prices absolutely right.

BEDWORTH, JR., AT HOME.

Interesting Life of a Professional Racer—
Democracy Still Winning.

Bedworth, Jr., 2,064 the great Kent county pacer is spending a winter of luxurious ease at the home of his owner, Mr. William A. Bell, on the suburbs of Chestertown. This aristocrat among Kent county horses, has apartments the comfort of which are totally unknown to the ordinary "quint" on the Bell farm. His food is especially prepared and daintily served, while the common folk are given to understand that with a little help they must take what the average Kent county horse eats and do just a trifle of hustling for themselves. Bedworth is not allowed to become lonely, and as a safeguard against accident an attendant sleeps beside his stall each night.

It is stated that there are but fourteen horses in the United States eligible to enter the class in which this distinguished Kent county racer is now a member. Bedworth has the promise of a great future and his next season's campaign on the grand circuit will be closely watched by his Kent county friends.

DEMOCRACY KEEPS ON WINNING.

The gray pacer Democracy, 2,073, by Happy Partner, dam Sally Brass, by Florida, formerly owned by J. G. Milbourne, of Chester, Pa., was sold a year ago to parties in Canada, and the great half-mile track performer has earned new laurels by capturing the money and establishing new half-mile track records in Canada, Oregon, Washington and other points in the Northwest, extending as far as Manitoba. He is well known in Maryland.

Democracy, prior to the season of 1901, was the winner of 140 heats better than 2,25, having contested in 40 races of 253 heats. In 1901 he started in 17 races, won 11, was second twice, once third, once fourth and twice behind the money, making him the winner of 160 heats. He was bred by James Merrick, Jr., of Sudlersville, Md., was foaled in 1892 and began his career on the turf in 1895 as a three-year old.

BETTERTON ITEMS.

Mr. William Beck, whose venue was on the 17th, will move to Baltimore. Miss Daisy Severson visited friends the early part of the week in Still Pond. Mr. Harvey Moore spent Sunday with his parents at Edgewater Cottage.

Betterton was glad this week to see its agreeable friend again, George Mann, Esq., Mr. Mann and family spent over eight months of the present year at the Chesapeake Hotel, and their decorum was such as to win the highest esteem of everyone.

Santa Claus has already visited Betterton and left a full line of his stock at Owens & Co.

Miss Estella Crew is visiting friends in Baltimore this week. The TRANSCRIPT paid Miss Crew on Saturday last the compliment of being an unequalled marksman and a talented musician. Allow us to add that Miss Crew is also the organist of the M. E. church and an enthusiastic church worker.

Mr. John Brice is at his old place again on the Ericson pier.

Mr. Buck Crew, one of Kent's leading farmers, met with an accident on Saturday last, mashing his hand quite seriously.

Miss Violet Moore spent part of the week in Baltimore.

Mr. Severson's venue comes off today. The parties concerned in the burglary wish to annul the report of last week and confirm the former report. It was not a bat but a real burglar.

Bilious Colic Prevented

Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be warded off. Hundreds of people who are subject to attacks of bilious colic use the remedy in this way with perfect success. For sale by M. A. Toulson.

PUBLIC SALE

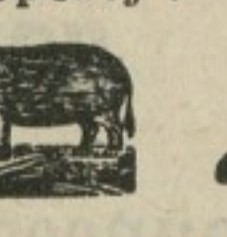
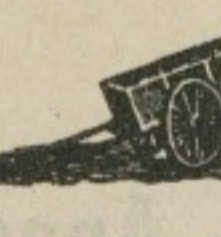
— OF —

PERSONAL PROPERTY

THE undersigned will offer at public sale at Hanesville, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 29th, 1902,

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

SIX HEAD HORSES,

1 Station, Stonewall, Bay State Morgan; 1 Mare, Rose, colt by her side; 1 Horse, Klondike; 1 Mare, colt by her side; 1 Horse, Klondike;

ONE COW,

coming in profit;

Two Shoats,

1 Deering Mower, good repair; 1 Barlow Corn

Planter, 1 Twin Harrow, one 2-horse Oliver

Chilled Plow, two 1-horse Cultivators, one

Dearborn, 1 Dayton, lot Single Trees and

Double Trees.

TERMS OF SALE.—On all sums under \$10 the cash will be required. All sums over that amount, a credit of ten months will be given on notes with security approved by the undersigned; interest added from day of sale, and no property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

W. E. SUTTON,

d20-ts. owner.

Subscription to the TRANSCRIPT \$1.00

per annum.

DROP A POSTAL

To the Nelaton Remedy Co., Baltimore, Md., giving your name and address, and a Sample Bottle of the famous



NELATON'S REMEDY FOR RHEUMATISM

will be sent you (in wooden mailing tube), free of charge. We take this method of bringing this certain cure for Rheumatism to your attention. \$1 is the price for a bottle. The sample is FREE.

GET IT TO-DAY FROM

M. A. TOULSON,

Chestertown, Md.

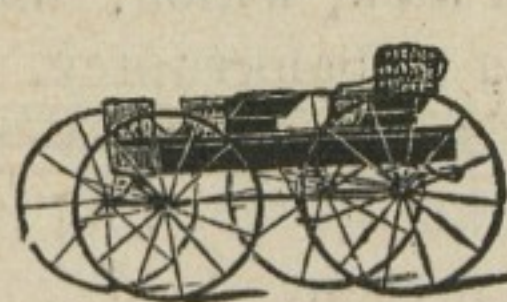
Horse Shoeing.

Remember,

when shopping in Still Pond to call at our place and have your horse shod. We give this part of our business our personal attention. Having had nineteen years experience in this line, we think we are in a position to attend to your horse's wants. We have shoes, both side and toe weights, for your horse that needs special attention, and we have shoes for horses that throw dirt in your face when driving. Special attention to cutters and forgers. We will be glad to have you call and see our work.

WAGONS

AND DEARBORNS



on hand and built to order. REPAIRING promptly attended to.

HACKETT'S

Blacksmith and Horse Shoeing Parlors, Still Pond.

Mortgagee's Sale

— OF A —

House and Lot of Land

at Edesville, Maryland,

THE undersigned, as mortgagee, under the power and authority contained in a mortgage from William H. Scott, dated the sixth day of August, in the year 1892 and recorded among the Land Records of Kent county, Maryland, in Liber S. B. No. 15, folio 547, etc., will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House Door in Chestertown, Maryland, on

Tuesday, December 23d, 1902,

at 12 o'clock A. M.,

All That LOT of LAND,

situated in the Fifth Election District of Kent county, in or near the village of Edesville, lying on the west side of the public road leading from Edesville into Piney Neck, containing between

ONE-QUARTER TO A HALF ACRE OF GROUND,

more or less, it being the same lot of land which was conveyed to said William H. Scott by Richard Hynson and James A. Pearce, trustees, by deed duly recorded among the aforesaid Land Records in Liber S. B. No. 10, folios 342, etc.

The improvements consist of a

TWO STORY

Frame Dwelling

house in fair repair, and would make a desirable home, being convenient to Churches, Schools, Stores, etc.

TERMS OF SALE.—The terms of sale are: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the residue to be paid in two equal installments in six and twelve months from day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser to bear interest from day of sale, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the mortgagee.

RICHARD D. HYNSON,

Mortgagee.

YORK STATE CALVES FOR SALE.

The undersigned will sell at

private sale

56 Head York State Calves.

These calves have been carefully selected and are fine stock.

JOHN H. OLENDANIEL,

Kennedyville, Md.

R. F. PARKS & SON.

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Christmas is Coming.

We're getting ready for the occasion.

Daily purchases arriving, and more to follow,

We're studying your want's in

Towels

Start them 5c, 10c, 12½c 15c, 25c, 37c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00

Bureau Scafs

Start them, 50c, 62½c 75c and \$1.00.

Handkerchiefs

Start them, 3c, 5c, 6½c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 37½c. Initial Handkerchiefs, plain and fancy.

Napkins

Plain and Fringed, start them, Linen 25c, Job, 37½c, 50c, 62½c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 per dozen.

Table Cloths

ready-made to match.

Bed Spreads

Marseilles, white \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50.

Chamber Sets

Others get \$2.50 for our Christmas price \$1.99.

Tea Sets

Tea Sets 56-piece \$4.75.

Dinner Sets

Very pretty Dinner Set exquisite design, 106 pieces \$16.50.

BRIC-A-BRAC AND PICTURES, CARPETS, OIL CLOTH,

MATTINGS

Carpets, Oil Cloths and Mattings an especial good assortment for the occasion start Jutes 22½c, Rag 25c, Ingrains 25c Our stock not excelled. Call on us.

NICE DISPLAY OF

Glassware,

Lamps and

Queensware

embracing tea sets, dinner sets and Chamber Sets.

Blankets.

Blankets and Comforts. White and Colored Blankets which start at 49c a pr. Then we have Horse Blankets, Carriage Robes and other Robes direct from the manufacturers, bought for the spot cost.

Harness.

Our \$10.00 Carriage Harness cannot be beaten.

Furs, Furs,

and Collarettes a large and varied assortment.

Dress Goods.

All Wool Serges all colors, 24 inches wide 50c. All Wool Cashmere and Flannel Waistings all colors, many pretty patterns, something new and up-to-date.

Announcement.



You are cordially invited to inspect our new and beautiful line of

Holiday Goods.

For weeks past we have labored industriously to prepare for the holiday trade, and our store is now fairly shining with

A Beautiful Array of

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

We are going to be the people's Santa Claus this season, just as far as the inexorable laws of business will permit, by selling you Xmas gifts at the lowest scale of prices known to honest trade. We are going to make your money far-reaching and profitable in the exchange for Christmas gifts. We want you to come in and see how little it takes to secure suitable gifts for those you wish to remember.

Our assortment is replete with all the staples and novelties that go to make a first-class stock of

WATCHES, CHAINS, CHARMS AND LOCKETS.

GOLD RINGS in an endless variety of patterns.

Brooch Pins and Stick Pins, Cuff Buttons, Collar Buttons and Studs. Gold Pens and Pencils.

A Big Assortment of Sterling Silver Novelties.

CLOCKS of ALL KINDS.

SILVERWARE in Sterling and finest plate. Cut-Glass, Bric-a-Brac, etc.

These are a few of the things that comprise our stock, but the variety of each line is so varied that we cannot give you an idea of it beauty, but ask you to come and see for yourself.

J. H. Sides,

Jeweler and Optician.

Opposite Stam's Hall,

Chestertown, Md.