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Democratic Ticket.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court: JAMES T. DIXON.

For Register of Wills: JESSE R. COPPER.

For Treasurer: WILLIAM J. TARBUTTON.

For Sheriff: ANDREW MEDDERS.

For County Commissioners: T. BENJAMIN CREW, CHARLES D. WOOD.

For House of Delegates: JAMES S. HARRIS, HARRY C. WILLIS.

For Surveyor: GILBERT B. TAYLOR.

Mr. C. L. DODD, clerk to the Board of County Commissioners, is busy preparing the levy list for publication. He is being assisted by Prof. J. L. Smyth.

There are reported to be 33,000,000 defective teeth in the city of New York, according to a recent census. Good place for some graduate in dentistry to hang out his shingle.

We were told last week by a prominent Republican leader that Wilbur Eliason, Jr., will be the Republican candidate for clerk of the circuit court against Mr. Dixon.

Mr. ROBERT F. DUER, a prominent lawyer of Princess Anne, and a graduate of Washington College, will be appointed postmaster of Princess Anne, to succeed the late postmaster Lanford.

CHESTERTOWN is sadly in need of a garbage dumping ground. We are told by several of the merchants that they now have no place to which to haul rubbish, and it is up to the town commissioners to furnish one for the town.

DR. GEORGE WELLS won an easy victory in the Democratic primaries in Anne Arundel county on Saturday last, winning six of the seven districts. Dr. Wells is the leader of the anti-organization forces in the county, and his success means the nomination of Judge Brashers for the bench.

MR. CHARLES LLOYD, who was defeated by Mr. Frank G. Wrightson, for Clerk of the Court at the recent primaries in Talbot county, has decided to run as an independent candidate for clerk in the election. Mr. Wrightson defeated Mr. Lloyd, according to the returns, by 27 votes, the same majority by which Mr. Dixon defeated Mr. Hadaway in Kent. We believe Mr. Lloyd's determination to run as an independent candidate is a mistake. It makes no difference by what method he was defeated, the returns show that he was defeated, and unless there is the most convincing evidence of fraud in the success of Mr. Wrightson, Mr. Lloyd is not justified in jeopardizing the success of the Democratic ticket in the county in the fall.

NO OCCASION FOR ALARM.

A number of residents of the town are, we fear, unnecessarily alarmed over the presence in our midst of several cases of typhoid fever. It is true that there are several cases of the fever in the town, but from the statement of Dr. Frank B. Hines, who has recently been appointed acting health officer, owing to the enforced absence of Health Officer Dr. H. C. Simpers, these cases are due entirely to natural causes and not from any willful neglect of proper care respecting healthy sanitary conditions. Numerous harmful and incorrect reports have been circulated regarding conditions, none of which have any foundation in fact whatever. One report states that fifteen people using Mr. Walter T. Morris' milk are sick with the fever, while in justice to Mr. Morris it should be stated that such a report is absolutely incorrect. There is no better-kept dairy in the State than that of Mr. Morris, and we are quite sure that Mr. Morris is very willing to co-operate with the health officers in ascertaining the cause of the few cases of typhoid fever in the town, as is also Col. Albert Story, our other careful and reliable dairyman. Don't lose your heads now. Keep cool, and let every individual in the town co-operate with the board of health to prevent the disease. Keep your premises clean, ask

the town commissioners to keep the ditches in front of your homes free of weeds and filth, and you do all you can to prevent the disease.

The water of the town is being analyzed to see if the drinking water is infected, and wherever there is a dumping ground, dirty gutter, or stable that needs cleaning, notify the health officer and it will be attended to promptly. We urge every one to put a stop to false reports. They simply injure the town's business, and if there is any trouble with the drinking water or milk or sanitary arrangements, rest assured that everything will be done to remedy defects, and we urge our health officer and town commissioners to enforce the law with regard to outhouses or any other disease breeder that may lurk within our limits. Let the authorities act quickly and firmly in this matter and there will be no trouble. There is no epidemic of typhoid fever in Chestertown.

OBITUARY.

MR. J. HERSEY HALL, 65 years old, died at his home in Centerville on Sunday night, after a short illness. He was born near Sudlersville, and was a son of James and Annie M. Hall. He went to Centerville when 17 years old. At one time he was engaged in business with Gen. William McKenney. After the big fire in Centerville he retired from the dry goods business. Since that time he had been in the insurance business. Mr. Hall was one of the most widely known men in Queen Annes county. He married Miss Sallie L. Comegys, daughter of Cornelius Comegys, who, with three children, survives him.

MR. OWEN C. HAYES, aged 69 years, died about 11 o'clock Tuesday morning, of dropsy, at his residence, 1008 W. Eighth street, Wilmington, after an illness of several months. Mr. Hayes was a native of Delaware, having been born near Middletown, being a son of the late Thomas K. Hayes, but he spent most of his life in Kent county, at Locust Grove, where he was in business, until about ten years ago, since which time he had resided in Wilmington. He leaves a widow and seven children, Clarence W. Hayes, Mrs. Frank E. Thatcher, Miss Bertha Hayes, William E. Hayes, a member of the rectorial staff of Every Evening; Cleveland O. Hayes, Horton H. Hayes and Mrs. Frank L. Stick.

MR. WALTER A. CREW, son of the late Alexander H. Crew, died suddenly at the home of his mother on Tuesday shortly after noon, supposedly of apoplexy, aged about 52 years. Mr. Crew was stricken Monday night in his stable yard. Mr. Chas. W. Copper, a neighbor heard groans in Mr. Crew's yard, and upon investigating found Mr. Crew lying unconscious in the yard. He was unmarried. Mr. Crew was a retiring disposition but was industrious and a good citizen. Funeral services were held from the residence on Thursday morning, conducted by Rev. Dr. F. T. Little. Interment was made in Still Pond cemetery. Undertaker Chas. L. Dodd had charge of the funeral arrangements. The pall-bearers were W. T. Vansant, Geo. Bacon, Benj. Rash, Geo. Rash, M. A. Toulson, J. T. Dixon.

MILDRED STEWART, Mildred, aged 5 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stewart, died at the home of her parents in Baltimore, on Tuesday morning. The remains were brought to Ralph's Wharf by steamer on Tuesday evening, where funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 from the residence of the grandfather, Mr. Henry Stewart. Interment was made in Sudlersville cemetery. Undertaker Wm. T. Hicks had charge of the funeral arrangements.

ELISIE V. MANLOVE, Mrs. Elsie V. Manlove, wife of Mr. Eugene R. Manlove, and daughter of Mrs. Hannah Gooding and the late Elsie Eugene Gooding of this county, died at her home, Porter, Delaware on July 8th. Funeral services were held at 11 o'clock last Saturday morning, conducted by Rev. Dr. L. E. Barrett, of the Protestant Episcopal Church, of New Castle. Interment was made in Forest Hill cemetery, Middletown, Del.

GEORGE PETERSON, George Peterson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Peterson died on Wednesday, of cholera infantum, aged one month and one day. Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon with interment in Bond Chapel cemetery. Undertaker Charles L. Dodd had charge of the funeral arrangements.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. McWhorter died at the home of his parents on Mill street on Wednesday. Funeral services were held on Thursday conducted by Rev. Dr. L. E. Barrett. Interment was made in Chester cemetery. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson had charge of the funeral arrangements.

On Tuesday, July 13, Thomas H., 8-months-old son of James Alfred and Ida Simpler. Interment in Chester cemetery Wednesday, July 14, Dr. L. E. Barrett officiating. Undertaker Ferguson in charge of funeral.

Mr. Eli Hastings, a well-known and highly respected citizen of Sassafras, died on Tuesday, of the infirmities of age.

The fifteen-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wirts, of Rock Hall, died last Sunday afternoon. Funeral services were held Tuesday.

Coal Contracts Awarded. Mr. A. S. Turner has been awarded the contract by the county commissioners for furnishing 50 tons of coal for the county almshouse. The school board opened the bids for furnishing coal to the county schools on Tuesday, and the following contracts were awarded: Coal for Goltz, Millington, Lamson, Kennedyville, Worton and Chestertown—To J. D. Baehus. Rock Hall—To A. S. Turner. Bettlerton—To Charles E. Davis.

Wedding Bells.

PERKINS—WRIGHTSON. On Sunday afternoon, June 27th, Miss Althea May Wrightson, of Waverly, Baltimore county, became the bride of Mr. Karl Crossley Perkins, well-known in Kent county. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. John Miller, D. D., at the Episcopal House of Prayer, Newark, New Jersey. After an extended trip they will reside in New York.

Executor's Sale

VALUABLE FARM! BY VIRTUE of the power vested in me by the last will and testament of Edwin P. Janvier, deceased, duly executed, admitted to probate and recorded among the Wills Records of Kent county, in Liber C. S. H., No. 1, folio 418, and by virtue of authority from Miss Alice B. Gemmill, I will offer at public auction in front of the Court House Door in Chestertown, Maryland, on

Tuesday, July 27th, 1909, AT 11:30 O'CLOCK A. M., ALL THE FOLLOWING REAL ESTATE:

The Home Farm

OF THE LATE EDWIN P. JANVIER, called "Drayton," situated in the Third Election District of Kent county, on Still Pond Creek, and on the road leading to Kennard's Point, about three miles from Worton Station, adjoining the lands of Florence J. Robinson and others, and now tenanted by Clarence E. Cornelius.

Containing 212 Acres,

2 Roads and 32 Acres of Land, more or less; and also an adjoining tract of land which was devised by Margaret G. Janvier to Alice B. Gemmill, CONTAINING 34 ACRES OF LAND, more or less. This tract is used and cultivated as a part of the Janvier Home Farm, and the entire tract of 246 acres, 2 roads and 32 acres will be sold together, by the acre. The farm is desirable located, is in a good state of cultivation and except for 40 acres of wood land is all tillable. The soil is excellent and produces good crops. THE IMPROVEMENTS consist of a

COMFORTABLE FRAME DWELLING

surrounded by handsome shade trees, Tenant House, large Granary, Two Stables, Two Carriage Houses, Wagon Sheds, etc., all in fair condition. Possession will be given January 1st, 1910.

TERMS OF SALE. One-fourth of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, one-fourth on January 1st, 1910, one-fourth on July 1st, 1910, and the remaining one-fourth on January 1st, 1911. Interest to bear interest from January 1, 1910, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. All crops are reserved for the year 1909, and the executor will pay the taxes for the year 1909. TERMS OF SALE. One-fourth of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, one-fourth on January 1st, 1910, one-fourth on July 1st, 1910, and the remaining one-fourth on January 1st, 1911. Interest to bear interest from January 1, 1910, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. All crops are reserved for the year 1909, and the executor will pay the taxes for the year 1909.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

OF A House and Lot of Land

IN THE SIXTH ELECTION DISTRICT OF KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND. UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of a power contained in a mortgage from John F. Ringgold, colored, to Abraham Cohen, bearing date the 15th day of November, 1908, duly acknowledged, recorded and returned in Liber J. T. D. No. 18, folio 57, etc., one of Land Record Books for Kent county, Maryland, and under the authority of the power contained in the said mortgage will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door in Chestertown, Maryland, on

Tuesday, July 27, 1909, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon.

All That Lot or Parcel of Land

situated, lying and being in what is commonly called "Swan Creek" neighborhood and on the north side of the public road leading from Rees Corner to Swan Creek in the Sixth Election District of Kent county, Maryland, adjoining the lands of James Bramble, William H. Green and others, containing

One-Half Acre of Land, More or Less.

The improvements consist of a small neatly new FRAME DWELLING occupied by Benj. Hyson, colored. The purchaser will be entitled to possession immediately upon ratification of the sale.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of the purchase money cash on day of sale and the residue one-half in six and one-half in nine months from the day of sale. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Attorney named in Mortgage. CHARLES H. HURLLOCK, Auctioneer. jyl7-1a.

NOTICE TO Parents, Guardians & Others.

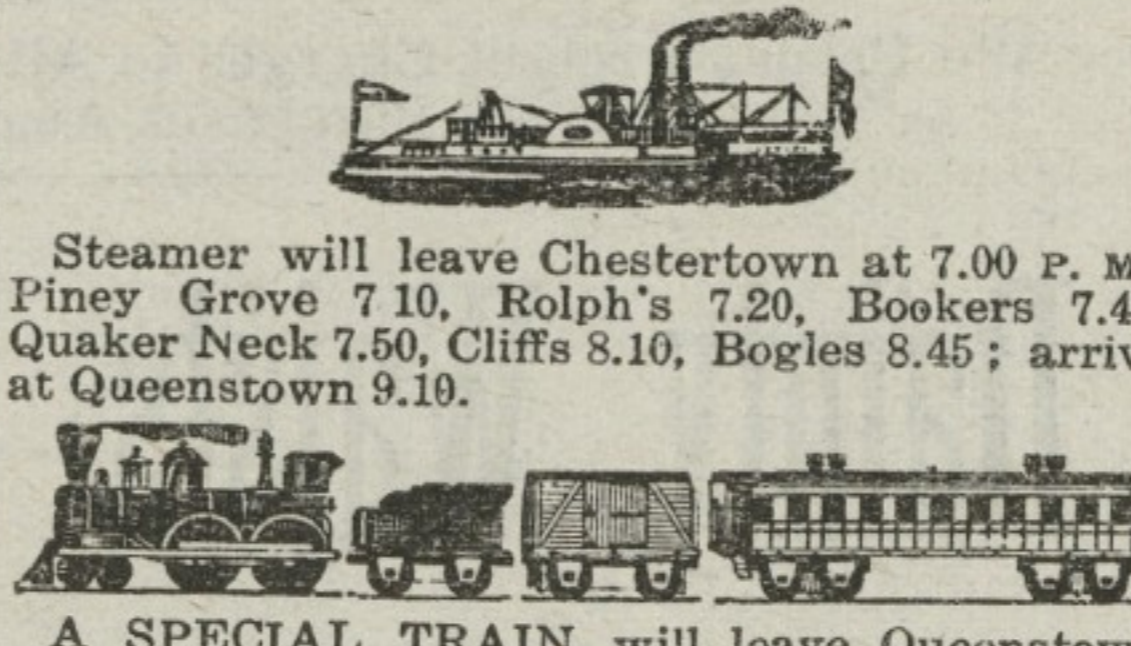
WASHINGTON COLLEGE. NOTICE has been received by the Orphan's Court that Kent county is entitled to a BENEFICIARY in Washington College by virtue of the graduation of Albert Henry Fortner, of Kent county, Maryland. It is required that the applicant be at least 15 years of age, that he shall be able to read, write and spell well, and shall have completed English Grammar, History of Maryland and United States, Geography and Arithmetic, so as to devote himself to the college course. In compliance with the law, the Orphan's Court for Kent county hereby gives notice to parents, guardians and others, who are disposed to avail themselves of this notice, that

On Wednesday, August 11th, 1909, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., applications will be received by this court; the applicants for this position must appear in person for examination by the court. The condition of scholarship requires the successful applicant shall give bond to the Orphan's Court in the penalty of \$20.00 to be for two years in the public schools of the state if required to do so by the School Commissioners for Kent county.

All applications must be filed on or before the day named with the Register of Wills. By order of the court, JAMES E. MORRIS, Register of Wills. jyl7-1a.

Tenth Annual Excursion To Rehoboth.

WASHINGTON CAMP 15, P. O. S. OF A. Church Hill, Md., will run their annual excursion On Wednesday, July 21st, TO REHOBOTH.



Steamer will leave Chestertown at 7:00 P. M., Piney Grove 7:10, Rohr's 7:20, Bookers 7:42, Quaker Neck 7:50, Cliffs 8:10, Bogies 8:45; arrive at Annesboro 9:10.

A SPECIAL TRAIN will leave Queenstown immediately, arriving at Rehoboth at 11:00 A. M. Returning, will leave Rehoboth at 4:40 P. M. Come and go with us; it will do you good. The excursions have grown more popular every year. Last year about 400 enjoyed the trip. We are assured of better service this year.

Fare, \$1.25 Round Trip.

DR. W. G. COPPAGE, Chairman of Committee. THOS. H. BARCUS, Secretary.

Typhoid Fever.

How to Prevent Its Spread, ISSUED BY THE State Board of Health of Maryland.

When TYPHOID FEVER appears in a family the source of the infection must be looked for in drinking water or food taken within the preceding twenty days. The patient may not have been infected, but if a second case occurs this second infection will in all probability be traceable in some way to the first patient. In a majority of instances the drinking water has become infected. Your first business, therefore, is to find out the quality of your drinking water.

You can do this by asking the local health officer for instruction about shipping us samples of your drinking water. In about a week we will be able to report on the drinking water, but in the meantime the members of the family must use the raw water. The daily supply of drinking water must be boiled.

The infectious material of typhoid fever is produced in but one way. It grows always in the bowels and sometimes in the bladder. It, therefore, escapes from the sick person in the stools and urine. If we kill the germs in the stools and urine as soon as they are passed there can be no spread of typhoid fever. These discharges should, therefore, be disinfected as follows:—

RECIPE FOR A GOOD DISINFECTANT. To four gallons of water add enough salt to make a strong brine. Put this in a five-gallon demijohn or jug and add a quart of crude carbolic acid. Shake it up well and you will have a good disinfectant for stools and urine.

The crude carbolic acid known as U. S. P. 93 per cent. is very good, and a quart will cost about 50 cents. There is a cheaper grade known as 49 per cent. acid, which is nearly as effective.

About a pint of this solution should be put in the chamber or bed pan before it is used, so that the excreta will begin to be disinfected as soon as they leave the body. There must always be at least as much of the disinfecting solution as there is of the discharges, so that more of the disinfecting solution may need to be added after the discharges are passed. If the stools are thin and watery their disinfection will be accomplished in half an hour or so, but if the stools are thick or formed very much more time will be required. On that account it is best to have a covered jar or bucket into which the bed pan can be emptied, and to empty this jar only once in 24 hours. If the discharge cannot be finally thrown into a sewer, they should be buried in the soil at a convenient spot where there is no chance of their fouling a water supply. The discharges should never be thrown upon the surface of the ground, for you will hardly be successful in killing all the typhoid bacilli, and you must not place them where those not killed by the acid may be blown about in the dust or carried away by flies to infect other people.

In spite of every precaution those who wait on the sick person will get their hands infected, and it is therefore necessary to wash the hands every time one does any service about the patient's bed or body. Whoever waits on the patient must not prepare food or drink for other persons in the house, or if it is impossible to wash the hands every time one does any service about the patient's bed or body, the hands before performing any household duty outside the sick room. Good scrubbing with soap, water and a brush, when rinsing well in a fresh water will suffice for cleansing the hands.

If one else in the house falls sick within two weeks after the first patient the probability is that the infection was lodged before the precautions were taken in regard to drinking water and the disposal of discharges. But if the second case occurs more than 20 days after the first case, that will signify that we have made a mistake somewhere in our precautions.

DR. F. B. HINES, Acting Sec. of Local Board of Health of Kent Co., jyl7-3a. Chestertown, Md.

Free Scholarships

NOTICE is hereby given of free scholarships which are vacant and which are to be filled by the Board of County Commissioners. Five at the State Normal School, Baltimore, tuition free. One at St. John College, Annapolis, Md., tuition, board, fuel, lights and washing free. One at Charlotte Hall, St. Mary's county, Md., board and tuition free. The above appointments will be made by competitive examination. Also one scholarship at the Maryland Institute for the promotion of the Mechanic Arts, tuition free, without competitive examination. The examination for these scholarships will be held in the public school building, Chestertown.

THURSDAY, JULY 29th, 1909, BEGINNING AT TEN O'CLOCK.

The appointments will be made at the first meeting of the board thereafter. jyl7-2a. MILTON MELVIN, SECRETARY.

Notice to Automobilists.

Automobiles crossing Chester River Bridge must keep to the right side of bridge and not attempt to pass teams going in the same direction as automobile, and not at any time run at a higher rate of speed than four miles an hour, and must stop when signaled by a team approaching them and render said team all necessary assistance. By order of KENT & QUEEN ANNES COMMISSIONERS, July 10-3a.

J. F. THOMPSON

OH, JUST LOOK! WE HAVE started a new system of our sales day. Being unable to accommodate all of our customers on Wednesday, we will be compelled to add another day, which will be Saturday. Come and look at our COUNTER BARGAINS, and you will be surprised.

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, GROCERIES. A Few Values Worth Your Consideration

DRY GOODS. India Linens—6c, 10c, 12 1/2c to 25c. Persian Lawns—10c, 12 1/2c to 25c. Nainsook—the 18c quality for 12 1/2c a yard.

Long Cloth—the Extra Fine—10c, 12 1/2c, 15c and 18c. Plaid Muslin—10c, 12 1/2c and 15c.

Full Line of Stockings for Men,

Women and Children One Lot Ladies' Black Lace Hose—were 25c now 15c. One Lot Ladies' White Lace Hose—were 25c now 15c. One Lot Misses' Black Lace Striped Hose—were 15c now 10c.

Ladies' Ribbed Vests—8c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c and 25c. Men's Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers—25c and 50c. Lot of Men's Suspenders—were 25c now 15c.

Big Boys' Overalls 39c and 40c Everywhere, While they last 25 Cts.

We sell a little of everything. Look through our lines of AGATEWARE, TINWARE, CHINAWARE and GLASSWARE.

Possibly You Need a Farm Wagon, A Full Line of Groceries and Cereals of all Kinds. Always Fresh.

HEADQUARTERS for the Best Bread sold in this town. BIGGEST and BEST LOAF. Flour so much higher but our Loaf BIG as ever and still 5 cents.

Call and Look at Above Lines Save Yourself a Little Money

Respectfully, J. F. Thompson, Chestertown, Md.

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- Yard-Wide Unbleached Muslin 3 1/2c
6c Lawns go at 3 1/2c
1 Dozen Pearl Buttons 3 1/2c
6c and 7c Valentian Lace 3 1/2c
One 5c Towel 3 1/2c
1 Dozen Best Safety Pins 3 1/2c
One 10c Tooth Brush 3 1/2c
One Comb 3 1/2c
One Dozen Hat Pins 3 1/2c
One 5c Thimble 3 1/2c
One Dozen Collar Buttons 3 1/2c
One 6c Package Pins 3 1/2c
One Paper Heel Plates 3 1/2c
One Fair Boys' Cotton Gloves 3 1/2c
One Bottle Garter's Ink 3 1/2c
One Pair Men's 5c Stockings 3 1/2c
Four Bars Toilet Soap 3 1/2c
One Box Sea Gull Yeast Powder 3 1/2c
One Bar Fairbanks Soap 3 1/2c
One Box Gold Dust 3 1/2c
Six Labrador Herring 3 1/2c
American Granulated Sugar, all you want 5c
12c Ground Coffee 8c
Also, you will find on our counters next week some Shoes that sold for \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.00 that will go at 90c

LISTEN AT THIS!

We know that we carry a larger assortment of MATTINGS than any other store on the Eastern Shore, and we will sell 4c or 5c cheaper than they can. So come and see some of these bargains before they are all gone.

We still sell a \$2.00 PORCH ROCKER for only \$1.50. This chair is a big seller.

We can supply you in all your wants for Harvesting, such as Cups and Saucers, and Cups without Saucers, Tin Cups, Tumblers, Knives and Forks, Plates and Soup Plates and Agate-ware of all kinds. All kinds of RICE from 3 1/2c on up.

A. COHEN, Sandy Bottom Department Store.

LOOK OUT!

Harvest Will Soon be Here. Are You Ready for it?

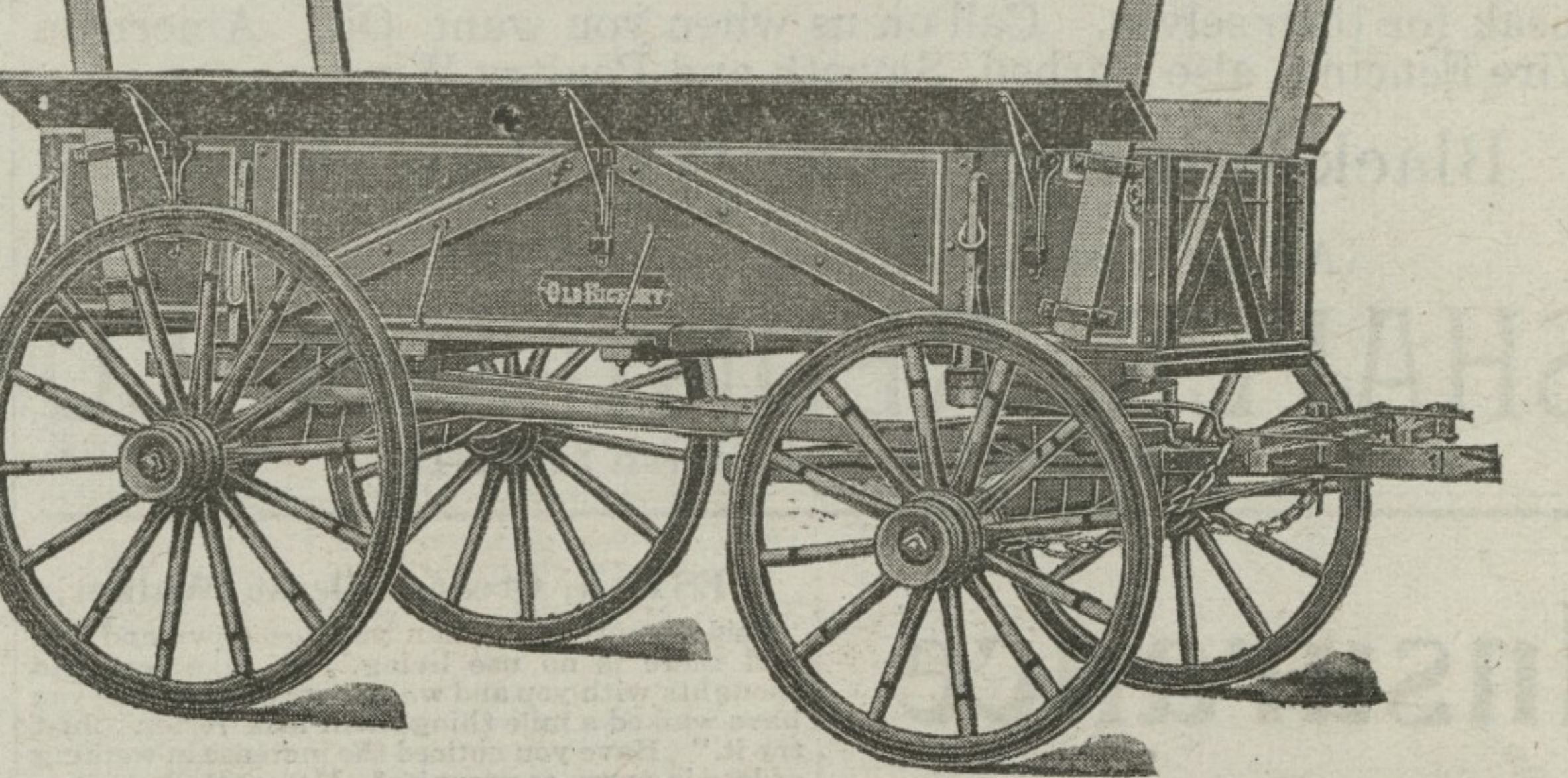
If in Need of a Binder

LET US SELL YOU "THE DEERING,"

the Lightest Draft, Most Accurate and Longest Life Binder made. We also sell the "DEERING and THOMAS" MOWERS and RAKES, BINDER TWINE, MACHINE OIL and everything needed for the harvest at the very lowest prices, quality considered.

Possibly You Need a Farm Wagon,

A Full Line of Groceries and Cereals of all Kinds. Always Fresh.



If so, we recommend the celebrated "OLD HICKORY,"

which is strictly Hand-Made, and nothing but the very best material used in its construction. Be sure to examine it before buying. This Wagon Has Our Guarantee, as well as the guarantee of the largest wagon factory in the country back of it.

H. R. GRAHAM & BROTHER, CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.