

EDUCATOR SHOE

Have you ever noticed a child hopping along on the side of its foot, with a very earnest look of suffering wrinkling the chubby face? Remember what that meant when you were a child? Blisters! "Educator" shoes do not blister the feet. The toes spread out as comfortably in the new shoes as in the old. There is no struggle as to whether the foot shall stretch the shoe, or the shoe compress the foot. Both are the same shape, and are friends from the start.

C. C. JONES--The Shoe Man,
Chestertown, Md.

Chestertown Does Not Need Outside Financial Assistance.

Notwithstanding the staggering blow to our community whereby one-tenth of the entire assessable valuation of our town was wiped out by the fire of Monday night last, no call has been made for any outside financial assistance.

There is a good reason for this. THE THIRD NATIONAL BANK is able and ready to help all the sufferers by the terrible visitation and you are cordially invited to use our bank for all purposes in repairing what may not, upon second thought, seem to be an irreparable loss.

Very respectfully,

THE THIRD NATIONAL BANK,
OF CHESTERTOWN, Md.

We Are Open for Business
ON THE SQUARE,
Directly Opposite Lofland & Culp's.

FIRE SALE.

Arrow Brand Collars 5c
These collars are soiled, and all they need is laundering. They are all 2 for 25c values.

FIRE SALE.

MEN'S SOX.

Black, Blue, Tan, Brown, Lavender, Green and Heliotrope 9c per pair! Three pair for 25c. These sox are real 15c values.

FIRE SALE.

Men's Heavy Fleece-Lined Underwear, Shirts and Drawers 39c. This underwear is absolutely perfect and a real 50c garment.

FIRE SALE.

ALL HATS

saved from the fire at 69c on the dollar.

VANSANT & NEWSOME,
Tailors, Furnishers and Shoers,
Chestertown, Maryland.

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LOCAL MATTERS

Elected Counsel.—At the regular meeting of the Board of directors of the People's Bank, of Chestertown, Md., held last Wednesday, Hon. Wm. M. Slay was unanimously elected counselor to the board.

Change of Sale.—Joseph Guest's sales advertised in this paper to take place in front of the court house Oct. 22, 23 and Nov. 5, have been changed to take place at the home of Joseph Guest on east Cross street, this day at 2 p. m., and as Mr. Guest has disposed of very much of his personal property by gift and sale, this may be the only sale, so the public is herewith notified. There is yet a lot of goods to suit everybody. Sale at 2 p. m. to-day at Mr. Guest's home.

Memorial Window.—On last Sunday, Oct. 16th, the "Daughters of the King" erected in the "Church of our Saviour" a beautiful memorial window to the memory of Mrs. Anna Hill Sadtler, who for many years was president of the branch in that church, of which her husband was rector. There was an impressive service and a large attendance. Rev. R. Humphrey, rector of St. Peter's P. E. Church, of which Mrs. Sadtler was a member until her marriage, delivered a most appropriate and interesting address. The choir sang several anthems and the hymn, "Lord speak to me that I may speak," which she always used at her meetings.

Gone to Jersey.—Messrs. S. E. Whitman & Son, who owned and edited the Easton Star-Democrat for 14 years, making it one of the best weekly papers in the State, have purchased the Weekly Press, published in Pleasantville, N. J., and assumed control of the paper on October 17th. The Messrs. Whitman are newspaper men from the ground up, and possess all the qualifications which enter into the make-up of the modern journalist, and as they labored faithfully and well in Easton, enjoying the confidence and friendship of a host of business and social acquaintances in Talbot county, so we bespeak for them a successful career in Jersey.

Nearly Bled to Death.—Mr. E. Elwood Morris, youngest son of Judge E. S. Morris, of Del. Sassafras, went to Middletown, Md., recently and had four teeth extracted. He then drove to the farm of the late George Biddle in Cecil county, where he is to reside next year, and shortly after his arrival there he was taken with a hemorrhage of the gums, from which he nearly bled to death. His brother happened to go to this farm during the day and found the young man unconscious on the floor of the feed room in the barn. He hurried him to Cecilton, where Dr. Black stopped the blood, administered treatment and Mr. Morris has almost completely recovered.

TOLD IN BRIEF.

—Wild ducks and geese have made their appearance in the waters of the Chesapeake Bay.

—Mr. Percy V. Hendrickson has one of the finest fields of wheat in this section. It is up and growing beautifully.

—One of the owners of a lot in the burnt district is considering an offer of \$145 a front foot for his finely located lot on High street.

—Do not forget the sale of horses at Whiteley's stables this afternoon at 2 o'clock. This is a lot of well-broken horses and will make excellent farm horses or good drivers.

—A Baltimore paper said last week that rabbits and partridges are more plentiful in Kent county this year than for many years. Has any one here seen any such signs?

—Somebody stole 30 fine Rhode Island Red chickens from Mr. William Ford, Superintendent of the County Almshouse, recently. Mr. Ford offers \$25 reward for the discovery and conviction of the thief.

—Mr. Jacob F. Thompson, who runs the automobile route to Tolchester will dispose of his Ford car at the close of the season and will purchase a new car with a capacity of 16 passengers. The new car will be ready for service in the early spring.

—Capt. Apsley, one of the most experienced fishermen in the bay, shipped several boxes of beautiful rock from Tolchester on Monday morning. The catch of rock and perch was large on Monday and the fishermen are receiving from 10 to 25 cents per lb. for rock, according to size and are getting good prices for perch.

—The splendid rain on Wednesday night was a blessing to our farmers. Kent county is a favored spot. While the hurricanes and floods were raging in the South, destroying 100 lives and millions of dollars worth of property, the gentle rain was descending here, refreshing the earth and helping the wheat to grow. Are we as thankful as we should be for the blessings we receive?

—Contractors W. S. & A. M. Culp have begun the erection of two fine stores and concrete stable and paint shops for Mr. Wm. L. Fowler in the burnt district. The same contractors will begin next week the erection of a fine store room for Mr. J. H. Sides, one of our jewelers, on the lot in the district which he recently purchased from Mr. Wm. A. Burk, and Mr. M. A. Toulson is having the debris cleared from his lots preparatory to having erected three modern store rooms, one of which will be a store and dwelling. Contractors Dwyer Bros. will do the work.

OBITUARY.

MR. EMORY SUDLER WROTH.

Mr. Emory Sudler Wroth, died at his home on Front street last Friday evening at 10 o'clock, aged 45 years. Mr. Wroth had been in failing health for some months and had sought various means of recuperating his health, but his efforts failed. The deceased entered the drug store of the late Colin F. Stam when a boy, and with that faithfulness to duty which characterized all his efforts he became a most valuable prescription clerk. After the death of Mr. Stam, Mr. Wroth succeeded to the management of the store, and he gave his noblest efforts to the success of the business, sacrificing his time, his talents and his energies to the work entrusted to him. Being of a quiet reserved manner, he never sought the social whirls of life, but preferred to give himself to the business of making a success of his life work. He made many friendships, and to those whom he made his companions he was ever the warm-hearted, genial, considerate friend, who sticketh closer than a brother, and who refrained from all manner of gossip and idle conversation about his fellow-men. He loved his home, and while his health permitted he and his esteemed helpmate lived happily and beautifully in their pretty home on Front street, making its surroundings as neat and as bright as the sunshine in their lives. He was in every respect an honored citizen, and so when he laid him down to rest, it is no wonder that many friends attended his funeral as a mark of their respect and esteem for a man who had lived among us and had done what he could in a quiet and unostentatious way to make the world better for his having lived in it. He was a charter member of the Modern Woodmen in town, and more than forty of the members attended the funeral in a body and followed the remains of their friend and neighbor to their last resting place in Chester Cemetery. He leaves a widow, who during all his long illness was his devoted companion and constant attendant, administering to his wants with all the love and tenderness of a faithful wife. Funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon at four o'clock conducted by Rev. Dr. F. T. Little and Rev. S. S. Hepburn. The floral tributes of friends and relatives were profuse and beautiful.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Wm. H. Lambert, Wilbur Thomas, J. F. Thompson, Wm. R. Aldridge, Jefferson D. Bacchus and Donald Stam. Undertaker Charles L. Dodd had charge of the funeral arrangements.

DR. W. FRANK HINES.

Dr. W. Frank Hines, one of the most widely-known physicians in this county, died at his home in Baltimore on Monday night, of cirrhosis of the liver, aged 55 years. The deceased had been in failing health for some years, but only since last Saturday had his illness become alarming. The deceased was the son of the late Jesse K. Hines, and was born in Chestertown. He received his education at Washington College, after which he took a course in medicine and surgery at the College of Physicians and Surgeons in Baltimore. After his graduation he located in Chestertown where he enjoyed for a long number of years a large and lucrative practice. He soon became active in Democratic politics and was regarded as one of the local leaders of the Democratic party, giving his time and his energy to the success of his party. As a recognition of his services he was made Superintendent of the Bureau of Immigration by Governor Crothers, which position he resigned several months ago to accept the secretaryship of the Bureau of Vital Statistics. Shortly after his appointment as Supt. of the Bureau of Immigration he retired from the practice of his profession here, in favor of his son, Dr. Frank B. Hines, and removed with his family to Baltimore, where he resided on Calvert street. Dr. Hines' retirement from the practice of medicine here caused much sorrow among his many patrons who regarded him as a fine physician and a skillful surgeon. He endeared himself to many a household by the careful attention he exhibited when called to the sick room, and there are scores and scores of us who will never forget him for the care he manifested in his attention to us in illness and affliction. Aside from his professional and political activities, he was a most interested citizen in education. He was a member of the Board of Visitors and Governors of Washington College, and for years was active in its development to a high plane of usefulness, and in matters pertaining to the welfare of the public schools he always showed an active interest. He was a member of the vestry of Emmanuel P. E. Church, and had frequently represented his church to diocesan conventions and his county as a delegate to State and county conventions. He was also a director in the Chestertown Bank of Maryland, and a member of Chester Lodge A. F. & A. M. He is survived by a widow, who was before marriage, Miss Mollie Emory; three sons, Dr. Frank B. Hines, of Chestertown; Chas. G. Hines, of St. Louis, and Massey Hines, of Baltimore, and two daughters, Misses Jennie and Mary Hines, of Baltimore. He also leaves two brothers, Messrs. Thomas and Isaac M. Hines, and three sisters, Mrs. Wm. S. Walker, of Aztec, New Mexico; Mrs. Horace M. Beck, of St. Louis, and Mrs. Richard M. Gundry, of Catonsville. The remains were brought to Chestertown via Tolchester on Wednesday evening and rested at the home of his son, Dr. Hines. Funeral services in Baltimore were held from his late residence, 1836 N. Calvert street, on Wednesday, conducted

by Rev. Chas. Fiske, of St. Michaels and All Angels' P. E. Church. The honorary pall-bearers were: Drs. John W. Chambers, Nathan R. Gorter, Wm. H. Welch, W. S. Thyer, Geo. W. Dobbin, Frank D. Sanger, Harvey G. Beck, Thos. S. Cullen, Marshall L. Price, W. W. Reardon, C. Hampson Jones.

Out of respect for the death of Dr. Hines, Dr. Marshall L. Price, secretary of the State Department of Health, closed the offices of that department Tuesday.

Services were conducted at the home of his son at 11 o'clock, conducted by Rev. S. S. Hepburn. Interment was made in Chester cemetery. The pall-bearers were his brother, Mr. Thomas L. Hines, his brother-in-law, Dr. Richard Gundry, of Catonsville, J. Herman Ireland, of Baltimore, Wm. W. Beck, James G. Beck and Lewin W. Wickes. The faculty of Washington College and the presidents of the classes and societies attended the funeral. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. Undertaker Charles L. Dodd had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MR. HENRY S. BARNETT.

Mr. Henry S. Barnett, one of our most highly esteemed citizens, died at his home on Kent Circle on Sunday morning, of Bright's disease, aged 68 years. The deceased moved to Chestertown from Magnolia, Del., in 1882, and engaged in the manufacture of brick, which business he developed to a marked degree of success. Mr. Barnett was a man of the most correct business habits. Of the highest integrity, he practiced the Golden Rule in all his business dealings, and by close application and faithful toil, he amassed a comfortable competence. Mr. Barnett was not actively identified with the church, but yet he was a straight-forward, honest and upright man, clean in all his dealings with his fellow-men, and abhorring any form of dishonesty either in his business or social relations with them. He was in all respects a good citizen, and though reserved in his manner, his disposition was so pleasant and his smile so cheerful, that he won those friendships that will love to remember him with affection. He leaves besides his widow, four children, Messrs. Vernon, who was connected in business with his father, Ralph W., one of our prominent young business men, Miss Ada and Mr. Harry Barnett, of Philadelphia. He also leaves a brother, Mr. John G. Barnett, and a sister, Mrs. Sarah Lodge, of Magnolia, Del. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Dr. F. T. Little. Interment was made at Chester Cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs. M. A. Toulson, Chas. D. McCleary, William A. Wheatley, William Vansant, J. William Kirby and Frank D. Leary. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MRS. GRACE DECORSE.

Mrs. Grace DeCorse, wife of Mr. James T. DeCorse, died at her home near Chestertown last Friday night, aged 41 years. The death of this most estimable lady caused a severe shock to her numerous friends by whom she was held in the highest esteem. She was a woman of sweet disposition, tender devotion to the interests of her home and loved ones, and possessed all the grace and charm of manner which by the beauty of its simplicity won friends and formed lasting bonds of fellowship. The community at large sympathizes with the bereaved family in its great loss, for she was a devoted wife, a loving and tender mother, and a true and sincere friend. She is survived by a husband and four children—Miss Emma at Mt. St. Mary's Seminary; Leonard, Grace and Helen, at home. The deceased was before marriage Miss Grace Camp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Camp, formerly of Broad Neck, this county. Mrs. Carroll Perkins, of Baltimore, is a sister. Funeral services were held on Tuesday morning, conducted by Rev. Mr. Litsinger. Interment at St. Paul's. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Walter B. Strong, George Beck, Rev. A. H. Covey, Tylden Birce, Dr. H. L. Dodd and J. Walter Skirven. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson had charge of the funeral arrangements.

JOHN HARRY MEEKINS.

Truly it is said "In the midst of life we are in death." On Oct. 2nd, surrounded by loved ones and his faithful physician, Dr. H. B. Simmons, the spirit of John Harry Meekins took its flight to the world beyond. Though sick for six weeks with the dread disease, typhoid fever, hope for his recovery was entertained when other complications set in. Our subject was born in Cecil Co., Jan. 4th, 1850. In 1888 he removed to Kent Co., where he resided ever since holding the office of Deputy Sheriff at the time of his death. He leaves an aged mother and father, one brother George T. Meekins, of Cecil Co., one sister, Mrs. Alice B. Gillespie, and niece, Miss Nellie Virginia Gillespie. Funeral services were held from his late home near Lynch on Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. G. A. Morris. Selections, "Abide With Me" and "Will There Be Any Stars in My Crown" were sung by Mrs. E. C. Bowers and Miss Lizzie Hepburn. Interment in Still Pond Cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. J. Biddle Hoisinger, Elsworth C. Bowers, Andrew Medders, James Bolton, Covie and Harry Caey. W. H. Krusen undertaker.

MR. RICHARD S. USULTON.

Mr. Richard S. Usilton, a former well-known and highly esteemed resident of this town, died at his home in Baltimore on Thursday, aged 73 years. For many years the deceased was engaged in business here, but retired some years ago and removed with his family to Baltimore. He leaves two children, Mrs. Preston Usilton and Mrs. J. J. Minnick, of Baltimore. The remains will be brought to Chestertown today and interred in Chester Cemetery. The deceased was a relative of the family of the late James A. Russell by marriage.

5 PER CENT. DISCOUNT

Will be given to any one who buys any of the below properties between NOW and November 1st, 1910. In order to effect a certain number of sales we make this special inducement. All these places are priced at their lowest prices, and this discount is an additional reduction. Look into these propositions TO-DAY.

240—196 Acres, Kent County. Price \$7,300.

30 acres in chestnut timber, balance tillable; 200 pear trees, 500 peach trees, medium loam, situated on prong of Chester River, near church, stores and school, 7 miles from Chestertown; frame dwelling, 8 rooms in good repair, usual outbuildings, new stable for horses; shade, splendid neighborhood. Cash or on time.

516—248 Acres, Kent County. Price \$7,500.

About one-half tillable, balance woodland and lowland, the tillable land is fine soil and productive; 7 room-house in good repair, outbuildings are poor; the location is very desirable, being near railroad station and in a delightful and prosperous section.

574—35 Acres, Kent County. Price \$3,800.

Located near Betterton. The land is level and high, giving a good view of the surrounding country, all in cultivation; 500 pear trees of all kinds, also apple and peach orchard; mostly wire fencing, near school, church and stores; 11-room frame house, two porches in good condition, 5-stall stable, new shed and carriage house, good well of water; 1 acre in asparagus, 2 acres dewberries and blackberries, also some strawberries. Located in a good neighborhood with congenial neighbors. Easy terms.

568—121 Acres, Kent County. Price \$3,350.

91 acres clear and tillable, 30 acres gum and oak timber, apple and peach orchard, meadow, fair fencing, tiled in three fields, near school and 3 miles from Pennsylvania Station; new 6-room dwelling, porch, fair barn and 4-stall stable, good water; has also tenant house of three rooms. Owner in poor health and wants to buy a smaller place. Terms one-half cash, balance on time. To a live man, one-third cash and balance on time would suffice.

565—80 Acres, Kent County. Price \$3,600.

65 acres under the plow, 15 in oak timber, 500 peach, apple, pear and plum trees, meadow well fenced, very close to school, church and stores, and 1 1/2 miles from Rock Hall which has steamer connections with Baltimore; 11-room frame dwelling with two halls, fine outbuildings; there is a running stream of water through farm and the drinking water is of the best. One-half cash, balance on time.

558—122 Acres, New Castle Co., Del. Price \$3,700.

75 acres under the plow, 47 acres in oak and chestnut timber; peaches, pears and apples, wire fenced; 1 mile from school and church and 3 miles from railroad station. This farm is adapted to wheat, corn and grass; frame house of 7 rooms, 2 halls, painted and in good repair, plenty of shade, good outbuildings; produced 5 tons tomatoes per acre, good producer of wheat corn and hay. One-third cash.

550—248 Acres, Kent County. Price \$11,000.

175 acres under the plow, balance pine, oak and chestnut. The land is high and medium loam, easy to till and very productive, divided into 5 fields and a lot, fairly well fenced, 2 1/2 miles from railroad station and near wharf, there is a school close and Baltimore and Philadelphia transportation; 8-room frame dwelling, first-class repair, lawn, shade; No. 2 dwelling with shade suitable for tenant house. The farm is close to two creeks which lead in to the Chesapeake bay, one creek bounding this place on the east and being navigable and very pretty. There is barn, 12-stall stable, wagon sheds, etc.; grapes, pears, apples and about 1 1/2 acre in asparagus. The neighborhood is desirable, the farm is a bargain at \$11,000, sold to close estate, \$6,500 may remain on mortgage.

555—132 Acres, Cecil County. Price \$6,000.

90 acres tillable, 8 acres in apples, pears and plums, 10 acres in meadow. The soil is level and adapted to any crop of this section, well fenced, one-fourth mile to school, church and stores, 4 miles to railroad station, where 20 to 30 trains stop daily; 7-room dwelling, frame and nicely arranged, stable, wagon shed, cribs, etc., well of fine water, grew 7 tons of tomatoes per acre in 1909. Being located on State road the farm is accessible in every sense, and is in a progressive section.

536—14 Acres, Kent County. Price \$1,750.

All tillable, 4 miles from Chestertown, one-fourth mile from State road, 2 miles from Lynch railroad station, same distance from stores and handy to school, located on creek with pretty water view, fish. The land is a loam and will grow any crop; I have seen the largest white potatoes I ever saw here, and for alfalfa, corn, oats, clovers, tomatoes and asparagus the place beats the world. New 4-room bungalow, nicely arranged, painted and papered, fire place and old-fashioned mantle, cellar, two porches, brick foundations, new stable and carriage house, poultry house; some pear, apple and peach trees, strawberries. The land is worth \$100 per acre without improvements, and at \$1,750 the place is a present.

486—217 ACRES, KENT COUNTY. PRICE \$6,100.

90 acres in good timber, balance under the plow; near school, church and stores; 7-room frame dwelling in fair repair, outbuildings in fair condition. Worth fully \$6,500 but will sell for \$6,100. This is your chance—one-third cash, balance on time.

489—100 ACRES, KENT COUNTY. PRICE \$3,500.

80 acres in cultivation, balance in timber, apple orchard; fencing good; near school, church and stores; 7-room frame dwelling, porch, good barn, new stable, carriage house and other outbuildings. Land is a good quality, plenty of shade with a large lawn. Five miles from Tolchester. Terms easy.

1515—60 OR 100 ACRES, QUEEN ANNES CO.

Two tracts of land, one of 60 acres at \$1,100, or can add 40 acres more at \$1,500, on Chester River, close to school, church and stores; 3-room frame dwelling, small stable, good well of water, shade. A home on the water with good land cheap.

1537—13 ACRES, QUEEN ANNES CO. PRICE \$1,300.

All in cultivation, in a town of 1500 population; excellent soil, 25 yards to school, church, stores and railroad station; new frame 5-room dwelling, small outbuildings, spring of cold water. There is about 2 acres in meadow. This place would make an excellent truck farm, as the land is especially adapted to truck, and the railroad facilities are of the best. Easy terms.

1538—114 ACRES, QUEEN ANNES CO. PRICE \$3,250.

100 acres in cultivation, balance in timber, 300 pear trees, some apple, peach and plum trees; 2 miles from church and stores, 1/2 miles to school, good soil, capable of producing any crop; 4-room frame dwelling in fair repair, outbuildings in fair repair. This place is located in a good part of the county with congenial neighbors, and near railroad station, cannery, etc. Terms easy.

J. Waters Russell,
Real Estate Broker,
Chestertown, : : : Maryland.