



## August Sale!

The summers hottest days have come, and all prices on summer footwear have suffered. These are not bargain shoes, but every one a safe shoe to buy and good values at the original prices.

- \$4.50 VALUES.....\$3.25
- 4.00 VALUES..... 3.00
- 3.50 VALUES..... 2.75
- 3.00 VALUES..... 2.25
- 2.50 VALUES..... 2.00

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CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

**GREAT SHOE SALE**  
Don't Miss This Opportunity.  
Intending to sell out my entire stock of Shoes, I will sacrifice at HALF PRICE, regardless of cost, next week.  
BRING YOUR EGGS IN TRADE, as I will pay one cent above the market price during this Shoe Sale.  
J. THOMAS DeCORSE  
Subscription to the Transcript \$1.00 per annum.

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Personally-Conducted  
Excursions  
August 7, 21, September 4, 18,  
October 2, 1913

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ROUND \$10.25 TRIP  
From CHESTERTOWN

SPECIAL TRAIN of Pullman Parlor Cars, Dining Car, and Day Coaches, running via the

Picturesque Susquehanna Valley Route  
Tickets good going on regular trains to Philadelphia, and thence on Special Train, and good returning on regular trains within SIXTEEN DAYS. Stop-off at Buffalo within limit and at Harrisburg for ten days, not exceeding final limit, allowed returning.

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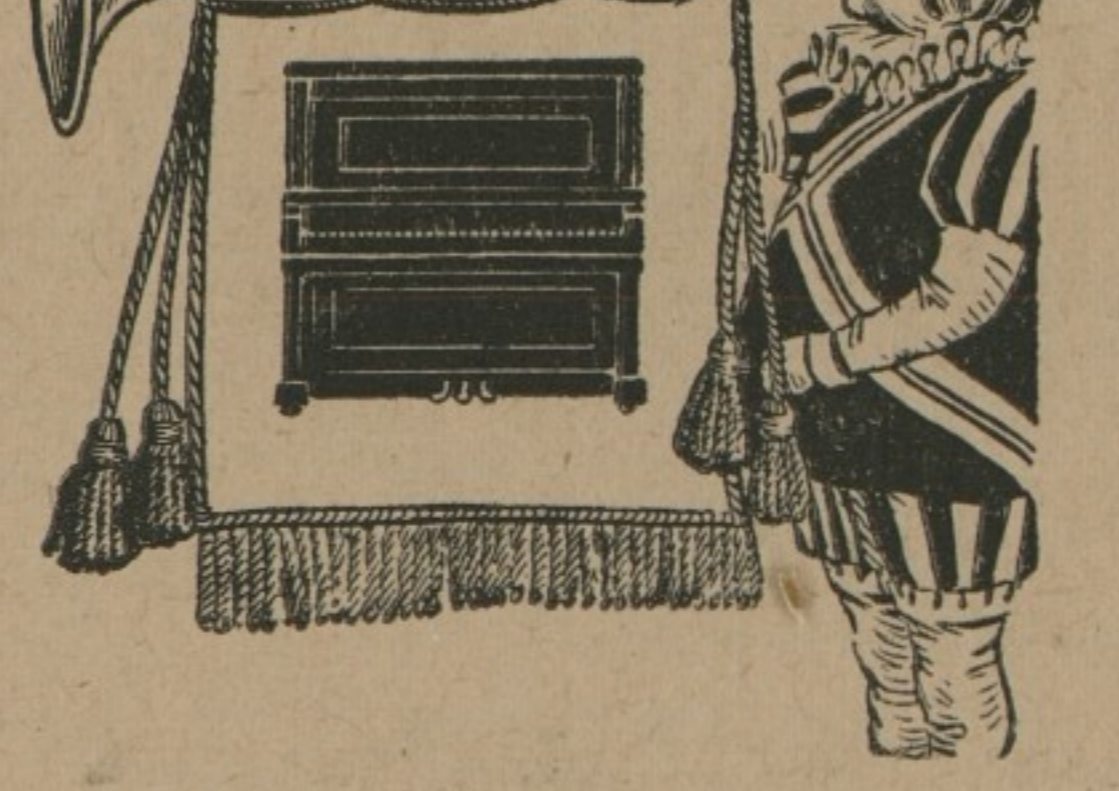


## A Watch for the Summer Girl

This is the season of freedom—the outdoor season of sports and pastimes. Any restraint, whether of clothes or adornment is a burden now.

What a relief to the Summer girl to have a sturdy, inexpensive watch to replace the delicate one that she constantly fears she may break or lose during the outdoor months.

We have attractive silver or enameled watches at moderate prices and then there's the little gun-metal Ingersoll midget at \$2.00 and guaranteed. Look over our assortment.



## Rote's Jewelry Store

Chestertown, Maryland

## LOCAL MATTERS

**Drowned at Betterton.**—Robert Rollins, a negro deck hand on the steamer Annapolis, fell from the pier at Betterton on Tuesday afternoon and was drowned. Rollins was trying to grasp the line from the steamer to make the vessel fast when he lost his footing. The accident was witnessed by hundreds of passengers on the steamer.

**Horse Drowned.**—Dr. J. E. Graham's valuable driving horse was drowned in Chester river on Tuesday morning. The horse was grazing in the doctor's lot adjoining the home of Mr. J. W. Crouch, tied to a rope. It became entangled in the rope, and in trying to extricate itself it fell overboard and was drowned. The accident occurred before any one was astir.

**To Begin Work on Monday.**—The Board of County Commissioners received a letter this week from Mr. Walter B. Miller, of the State Roads Commission, to the effect that work on the Still Pond-Betterton road will begin on Monday. The necessary tools, scoops, etc., have been purchased and the work of grading will begin at once. Mr. Jones, a competent engineer from Wicomico county, will have charge of the work.

**A Sudden Death.**—Mr. Samuel B. Smith, son of Rev. Alfred Smith, D. D., one of the most prominent ministers of the Wilmington Conference, died very suddenly as the result of a fall sustained near the Penns. Railroad Station in Dover Sunday night week. It is supposed he lost his footing and fell through the trestle supporting the rails and in falling his body was hurled against a beam. The young man's father was at Camden, Del., camp at the time of the accident, and the news of the young man's death cast a gloom over the entire camp ground.

**Shot at Chicken Thief.**—Mrs. Walter R. Pippin fired three shots at a chicken thief whom she heard after her chickens on the Still Pond-Betterton road on Wednesday night. Mrs. Pippin saw the man moving about in the corn in the garden from her bath room window. She notified the night officer and he and several gentlemen responded but the thief had escaped. Thieving is becoming an altogether too frequent practice on the avenue and the town authorities should place a special police there to protect the residents. They have even become so desperate as to go into the stable of one resident and milk her cow. Such business should be stopped.

**Foul Play Suspected.**—Mr. Lawrence Stevens, accompanied by State's Attorney H. W. Vickers, was before the County Commissioners Tuesday and asked for the employment of a detective to inquire into the death of his brother, Mr. George Stevens, whose body was found floating in Swan Creek two weeks ago last Sunday. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that the deceased came to his death by accidentally falling overboard from his boat, but Mr. Lawrence Stevens is of the opinion that his brother was the victim of foul play, and it is claimed that there is evidence in the possession of the authorities to show that there are at least some mysterious circumstances surrounding the death of Mr. Stevens.

**Mr. John P. Dugan, General Passenger agent of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, a former Chestertown boy who is making his mark in the railroad world, will please accept our thanks for an interesting number of the Baltimore & Ohio employee magazine which contains valuable information and illustrations of the method employed to make the B. & O. one of the greatest railroad systems in the world.**

## SALE RECORD.

Friday, August 22—Big sale of horses and cattle by Sam'l G. Caldwell at his big stables in Galena. Tuesday, September 2—Public sale of valuable personalty on the Kent County Land Company's Everett farm in Queen Annes, near Chester bridge. Thursday, September 4—Public sale of valuable personalty of John W. Foxwell, on his Greig farm, near Coleman's Corner. Thursday, September 11—Large sale of fine and valuable personalty of Gove Everett, on the Greig's Neck farm, 1 1/2 miles from Galena. Some of the best stock raised at any sale this year will be sold here.

## THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Local buyers were paying 86 cents per bushel for wheat yesterday. The town drinking water has recently been analyzed as O. K. The third floor of Stam's Hall is being "modernized" by Contractor Culp and force. Sunday was the hottest day of the year the mercury registered 93° in the shade at noon and 98° at three o'clock. The new home of Mr. George Rouse near Chester cemetery, is rapidly nearing completion under the supervision of Contractor A. M. Kendal and force. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Hicks have decided to discontinue hotel keeping and have given up the Kent House. They will rent a small house here.

Mr. Benjamin F. Rash has been shipping great quantities of fine peaches from Chestertown and Worton during the week, for which he has been receiving good prices. Fishing down the river is reported good now. Mr. Thomas D. France and a party of friends caught seven dozen fine cull perch and a number of nice trout one day last week.

Abe Cohen, the big Sandy Bottom department store man, will pay 26 cents per dozen for eggs all next week. Mr. Cohen reports excellent results from his big clearance sale advertised in a half column space in the TRANSCRIPT. The canneries in the county are about ready to begin work, and many of them will start up next week. The recent rains have greatly benefited the tomato crop, and there will be an average yield in Kent this season.

Mr. W. Irving Walker has rented his river farm, which he advertised for rent for 1914 only once in the TRANSCRIPT, to Mr. Joshua Hendrix, of Queen Annes. Daniel Potts will go where Mr. Hendrix now is. The Buckholz, Walls and Jarvis sales, all advertised in the TRANSCRIPT for this week drew good crowds and prices generally were good for everything. The sale of antique furniture at the Buckholz sale yesterday attracted a large crowd, and some rare old pieces were sold at fine prices.

Pony Boy, owned and driven by Mr. Joseph Rising, of this town, captured his race at Wheeling, W. Va., last week. He did not have to step better than 2.12, and after laying up the second and third heats, he went out and got the last two heats easily, having won the first heat in 2.19.

666 people went on the special excursion to Atlantic City on Tuesday. There were 376 from Chestertown, 72 from Worton, 44 from Lynch, 18 from Still Pond, 31 from Kennedyville, 30 from Backs and 45 from Lambson. It required ten coaches to take the passengers to Massey, where a big crowd joined them.

## THE RELIGIOUS WORLD.

Christ Methodist Protestant Church, Dr. W. R. Graham, pastor. Regular services on Sunday at 10.30 A. M. and 6.30 P. M. Short twilight sermon at the evening service. Sabbath school 2.30 P. M. Mid-week service Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Christian Endeavor service Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Chestertown M. E. Church—Rev. L. E. Barrett, D. D., Pastor—Services next Sunday August 17th, as follows: 10.30 A. M. preaching by pastor, subject: "Profit, Present and Eternal," 2.15 P. M. Sabbath School and Pastor's Bible Class; 7 P. M. Epworth League Song Services, followed by brief sermon by the pastor. Whole service but one hour. All invited to come.

Rev. James W. Talley, a member of the Wilmington M. E. Conference and well-known in this county, died at his home in Brandywine Hundred, Del., on Saturday. The deceased had been in poor health for some time. He was stationed at Rock Hall in 1903, and editor of the Peninsula Methodist in 1904 and '05. He was 42 years old, and leaves a wife and three children.

An important meeting of the ministers and lay representatives of the Methodist Protestant Church will be held in North Baltimore M. P. Church on Tuesday, September 2nd, for the purpose of discussing the provisions of the proposed union of the Methodist Protestant and United Brethren Churches.

## P. O. S. of A. State Camp.

The Maryland State Camp, Patriotic Order Sons of America, was held in Frostburg, Md., on Tuesday and Wednesday. 250 delegates from all parts of the State and Baltimore city were present. The order has made remarkable growth during the past year, and every department of the work is in fine condition. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

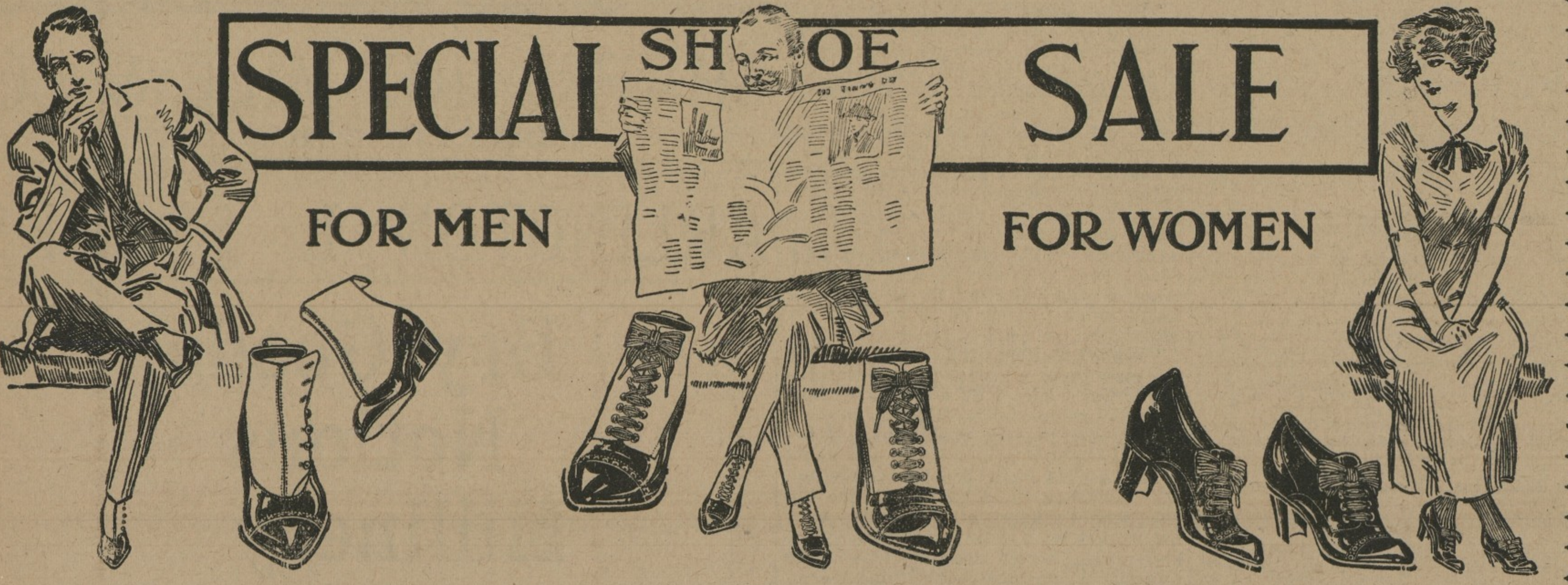
State president, H. L. Griffith, of Centerville, a member of Camp No. 4, of Templeville; W. L. Seabrook, Westminster, State vice-president; Master of Forms—Joseph H. Robinson, of Baltimore. Conductors—John S. Crow, of Frostburg; Guard—William H. Connor, of Brooklyn. Trustees—G. Thomas Bloom, of Mount Washington; Eugene Worthington, of Hampstead; M. L. Crabtree, of Cumberland; George A. Ramser, Albert Danneberg and B. Frank Cresswell, of Baltimore. National Representatives—C. M. Newkirk, of Westport; H. W. Froome, of Baltimore; Jefferson L. Smyth, of Chestertown; F. M. Cochran, of Perryville; Charles F. Yeager, of Baltimore; P. B. Engler, of Taneytown; Walter C. Legore, of Legore, and Dr. W. S. Sudler, of Baltimore.

The delegates from the local camps were as follows: Prof. J. L. Smyth, Messrs. J. C. Davis, S. E. Cooper and G. T. Dewberry, of Camp 34, and W. E. Ringgold, of Camp 87.

Our Merchants' Interests. Vansant & Newsome have a special sale this week on "Arrow" and "Monarch" shirts. "Monarch" shirts sell the world over at \$1.00, now on sale at 75c. "Arrow" shirts, the \$1.50 and \$2.00 grades, now on sale at \$1.15. This is an opportunity to save money, and at the same time get shirts that you know the value of as well as you do crumpled sugar. These shirts are guaranteed to wash without fading.

There are more bargains on sale at the United Bargain Store than you can get in the same class in the city. Go and look for yourself. The majority of city people who buy in Kent deal with A. W. Kirby, proprietor of the Chestertown Marble Works, because they save money by doing so. Why should home folks go elsewhere?

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**J. E. HENDRICKSON & CO.,**  
LIVE STOCK COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
5th & RACE STS., PHILADELPHIA.  
We handle Live Stock and have all facilities for this line of trade. We solicit the patronage of shippers, and guarantee to make prompt returns. Give us a trial and be convinced!  
Jan. 2, 1899.



# SPECIAL SHOE SALE

FOR MEN FOR WOMEN

# OUT THEY GO!

All Low Shoes, Men's, Women's and Children's, to make room for autumn arrivals. They're marked low, and every article the freshest fashion. TO BUY RIGHT, BUY NOW!

<p>LOT NO. 1 <b>\$1.19</b> Men's Low Shoes in black and tan, \$2 and \$2.25 grades reduced to \$1.19.</p>	<p>LOT NO. 2 <b>\$1.59</b> Women's Low Shoes, black and tan, \$2.00 and \$2.25 grades reduced to \$1.59.</p>	<p>LOT NO. 3 <b>\$2.10</b> Men's Low Shoes, black and tan, \$2.50 and \$2.75 grades reduced to \$2.10.</p>
<p>LOT NO. 4 <b>\$2.00</b> Women's Low Shoes, black and russet, \$2.50 and \$3.00 grades reduced to \$2.00.</p>	<p>LOT NO. 5 <b>\$2.65</b> Men's Low Shoes, Fellowcrafts, \$3.50 reduced to \$2.65.</p>	<p>LOT NO. 6 <b>\$3.25</b> Men's Low Shoes, Ralstons, \$4.00 and \$4.50 grades reduced to \$3.25.</p>

Lot No 7—\$1.98—\$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 Low Shoes reduced to \$1.98.  
Better get in on this, only about 40 pairs left at \$1.98, sizes broken, of course, but still a fair assortment. Nothing charged.

**VANSANT & NEWSOME,**  
Progressive Head-to-Foot Outfitters, Chestertown, Md.

# THE NEW Kent and Queen Annes Fair

Radcliffe Driving Park,  
Chestertown, Maryland,  
AUGUST 26, 27, 28 and 29.

## Trotting and Pacing Events.

HAVING built at great expense one of the fastest half-mile tracks in the East, we feel confident that our Trotting and Pacing Events will be found equal, if not superior, to any that can be seen anywhere this side of the "Grand Circuit." Good horses and large entries are assured, and some fine racing may be expected. Below will be found our official racing programme:

FIRST DAY		THIRD DAY	
Tuesday, Aug. 26		Thursday, Aug. 28	
Race.	Purse.	Race.	Purse.
No. 1—2.35, Trot.....	\$300	No. 7—2.29, Trot.....	\$300
No. 2—2.30, Pace.....	\$300	No. 8—2.14, Pace.....	\$300
No. 3—2.40, Trot or Pace (Spec.)	\$150	No. 9—2.17, Pace.....	\$300
SECOND DAY		FOURTH DAY	
Wednesday Aug. 27		Friday, August 29	
No. 4—2.22, Trot.....	\$300	No. 10—2.20, Trot.....	\$300
No. 5—2.19, Pace.....	\$300	No. 11—2.25, Pace.....	\$300
No. 6—Free for all.....	\$300	No. 12—Free for all (Special)	\$150

SPECIAL RACES open only to horses owned in Kent and Queen Annes counties, and members of the Kent and Queen Annes Driving Association living outside of Kent and Queen Annes counties. All horses entering these special races must be owned by the party entering them 90 days prior to day of race. National Trotting Association Rules to govern. Entries close at midnight on Tuesday, August 19th. Records made that day no bar.

## ATTRACTIONS

We have booked a large number of shows—Merry-go-Round, Ferris Wheel, Goat Track and numerous other attractions that will entertain the children as well as older folks.

TUESDAY, AUG. 26,

## Will Be Children's Day!

All children under 12 years will be admitted free. Mothers, bring your babies and enter them in the Baby Show or Health Contest, which will be held at 10 o'clock A. M. Tuesday, Aug. 26th. These babies will be judged by competent physicians, and at 3 o'clock nine (9) prizes will be awarded the babies scoring the highest number of points. A speaker from the American Medical Association will be present and address the mothers on how to raise healthy babies. Entry blanks can be had by addressing Mrs. Arthur Harris, Worton R. F. D. No. 2. The Woman's Home Companion has advised that Dr. Thomas, of the Better Baby's Bureau, will be present.

## Balloon Ascension

The greatest sensation of the year will occur on WEDNESDAY, and THURSDAY when W. G. Flepton, the world's greatest aeronaut, will positively make a flight with his gigantic balloon several thousand feet in the air, and will leap 500 feet and descend in a parachute. He will make one flight on Wednesday and one on Thursday, and should the weather prevent Wednesday's flight, two flights will be made on Thursday.

## Admission

25 cents Tuesday and Friday, 50 cents Wednesday and Thursday. Season Tickets \$1.00, good for each day of Fair. Grand Stand and Quarter Stretch Tickets will be sold for 25 cents each day of Fair. No charge will be made for teams or autos. Children under 12 years free on Tuesday, half price other days.