The City Store --- The Hub

STUPENDOUS FEBRUARY CLEAN-UP SALE

WHICH BEGINS TO-DAY will go down in trade history as a remarkable value-giving opportunity. It is a sweeping round-up of the most desirable merchandise procurable for personal wear at prices so low that the saving will reach one-half of what you'd ordinarily have to pay. As many of the lots are limited in quantity, we can not promise to fill all mail orders. It's best for you to come right now.

LITTLE PRICES THAT TALK LOUD!

Ladies' Fine Hose, black and tan, pair	5c
Ladies' Fine Muslin Gowns	25c
Ladies' Fine Handkerchiefs	1c
Ladies' Fine Skirts	$1.00
Ladies' Fine Underwear	19c
Ladies' Fine Hats	$1.29
Ladies' Fine Gun Metal Button Shoes	$1.49
Ladies' Fine Outing Skirts	39c
Ladies' Fine House Dresses	89c
Girls' Fine Dresses	39c
Girls' Fine Dresses	79c
Girls' Pat. and Gun Metal Shoes	$1.49
Girls' School Hats	49c
Girls' Rubbers	29c

Dry Goods Department

Extra Fine Dark and Light Percales	8½c
Extra Fine Dress Gingham	5½c
Extra Stout Unbleached Muslin	6c
Thick Outings	6¾c
Double Bedsize Blankets	$1.09
Double Bedsize Comforts	1.25

Our Overcoats at These Prices Will Make Warm Friends

Ladies' Fine Black Overcoats	$2.90
Ladies' Fine Astrackhan Overcoats	4.50
Ladies' Fine Caracul Overcoats	4.50
Ladies' Fine Chinchilla Overcoats	5.90
Ladies' Fine Ponyskin Overcoats	5.25
Girls' Long Overcoats	2.00
Girls' Long Ponyskin Overcoats	3.50
Men's Warm Overcoats	3.50
Men's Tailored Overcoats	5.00
Men's Sample Overcoats	7.50
Boys' Good Overcoats	2.00
Boys' Kersey Overcoats	3.98

Suit Prices to Suit All

Ladies' Fine Serge Suits	$5.00
Ladies' Fine Worsted Suits	6.50
Ladies' Fine Worsted Suits	7.98
Men's Warm Suits	4.98
Men's Tailored Suits	5.98
Men's Sample Suits	7.98
Boys' Fine Suits	2.00
Boys' Worsted Suits	3.50

Men's Stout Working Shirts	29c
Men's Overalls and Coats	38c
Men's Canvas Gloves	6c
Men's Fleece Underwear	35c
Men's Corduroy Pants	$1.69
Men's Kersey Pants	1.49
Men's Kersey Coats	2.98
Men's Odd Slip-on Coats	1.69
Men's Garters	5c
Men's Handkerchiefs	3c
Men's Warm Sweaters	89c
Men's Grey Sweaters	39c
Children's White and Blue Sweaters	89c

Each article priced in this advertisement represents a saving of almost HALF, just double any of the figures, and you can see what a great saving awaits you here.

Bring this advertisement with you, it's worth 25c on every $5.00 spent during February.

THE HUB, ::: MILLINGTON, MD.

AUCTIONEER

THIS IS TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC THAT I HAVE REMOVED TO CHESTERTOWN AND AM PREPARED TO CRY SALES IN KENT AND QUEEN ANNES COUNTIES ON REASONABE TERMS.

JOHN T. JESTER, Auctioneer,
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Jan. 8. 1896.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Bradley, of Baltimore, visited relatives and friends here during the early part of the week.

Mrs. W. Robert Huey, entertained a number of friends on Monday afternoon at her home on Front street.

The Misses Jackson, of Wilmington, Del., were guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. Benge Simmons the past week.

Mr. Foster Cannon has been in Philadelphia during the week for special treatment to his eye, which has been giving him some trouble of late.

Miss Minnie Sachs has been visiting relatives and friends in Baltimore during the week.

Mr. Albert R. Reinhart, of Rock Hill, South Carolina, visited his brother, Mr. Carey Reinhart, near Fairlee, last week. It is Mr. Reinhart's first visit to Kent in five years.

Mrs. Dale Adkins, of Salisbury, spent a part of last week with her parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Graham.

Mrs. Marion Twilley, of Dover, Del., has been visiting Mrs. Charles R. Twilley during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Watson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Morris and Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennard Aldridge on Monday evening.

Mrs. S. F. Robinson was confined to her bed several days last week with a severe cold.

Mr. Jerry Solomos, who we reported last week as being taken to a Baltimore hospital for appendicitis and was operated on, is improving rapidly. Mr. Chris Alevizatos, who accompanied him, has returned to his business at the Candy Kitchen.

Mrs. Walter T. Bramble, who was housed with a severe cold all of last week, is improving.

Mrs. Harry Rust and child, of Philadelphia, are spending a few weeks with her husband, Mr. Harry Rust.

Prof. Jefferson L. Smyth, superintendent of Kent county schools, attended the National Educational Association at Cincinnati, Ohio.

Dr. Harry Hurlock has been visiting his brother on High street.

Mr. W. E. Lane and family have rented the Hick-Moffett house on the Ave. Mr. Lane is the successor to Mr. Hopkins, baggage master on the Kent road.

Mrs. Sallie Hodgkin has been quite a suffer from a gathered toe.

Mrs. Ralph Barnett entertained her sister and mother last week.

Mr. Howard Strong, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his mother, on Queen Street.

Mr. Massey Hines, of Baltimore, has been a guest of his mother in town, as has also Mr. Charles Hines, of Baltimore.

Mr. Alan Harris, of Baltimore, has been visiting his parents, on Water treet.

Mrs. William Malin was in Ridgely last week visiting her sister.

A marriage license were issued last Wednesday for William H. Miller and Mary E. Toulson, of Kent county.

Mrs. Thomas S. Bordley, Miss Maud Kemp and T. Kemp Bordley have been in Philadelphia this week. Mr. T. Kemp Bordley heard a world's famous violinist, while the former heard Billy Sunday.

Mrs. Ira T. Leager and little son, of Ridgely, spent part of last week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Allen.

LEE WILL WAIT TO START HIS CAMPAIGN.

Expects to Get Busy About Month After Congress Adjourns.

Senator Blair Lee will not begin his campaign for the Gubernatorial nomination in Maryland for about a month after the adjournment of the present session of Congress. He declared last week that as soon as his duties are over at the Capital in March he will devote his attention for several weeks to private affairs, which necessarily he has not been able to attend to during the long hours of the session.

Considerable interest is shown by his colleagues in the Senate in his candidacy. Coming to Washington as the first member of the Senate elected under the Constitutional amendment providing for the direct voté for members of the upper branch, he attracted attention from the first. The one thing that his fellow-Senators seem unable to understand, however, is his willingness to resign from the Senate to run for Governor, especially since the salary for the latter position is little more than half what he receives as Senator.

"I tell them," said the Senator laughing, "that if they would only live in Maryland about a year they would appreciate the fact that the Governorship of that State in something worth fighting for.

While it is not expected that President Wilson will depart from his policy of not interfering in State primary fights to the extent of indorsing Senator Lee's candidacy, it can be said that the President keenly appreciates the assistance which the junior Senator from Maryland has given him in matters of legislation. During the ship purchase bill fight the President on several occasions conferred with him on the suject, and valued his advice highly.

Queen Anne's Oldest Citizens Die.

Three of Queen Anne's county's residents, whose combined ages totaled 221 years, passed away last week. Mrs. R. K. Davis, 75 years old, mother of 10, grandmother of 37 and great-grandmother of 27 descendants, died in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bessie Toulson, on Kent Island. Mrs. J. B. Seward, also 75 years old, died suddenly in the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. J. Melvin, in Winchester, of heart failure. She is survived by one son, J. B. Steward, and two daughters, Mrs. Melvin and Mrs. Ida Sumner, of Easton. George Crouch, a well-known resident of Kent Island, was found dead in bed of heart trouble at his home, near Stevensville, last Wednesday morning. He is survived by one son, Daniel Crouch, of Kent Island.

The 310-acre farm belonging to the estate of the late Alexander Maxwell was sold on Saturday afternoon at the Middletown Hotel by James Messick, executor, to Willard B. Biggs for $25,-150. This is conceeded to be one of the finest farms in New Castle county and is considered a good investment at the price.

Free Delivery of Mail.

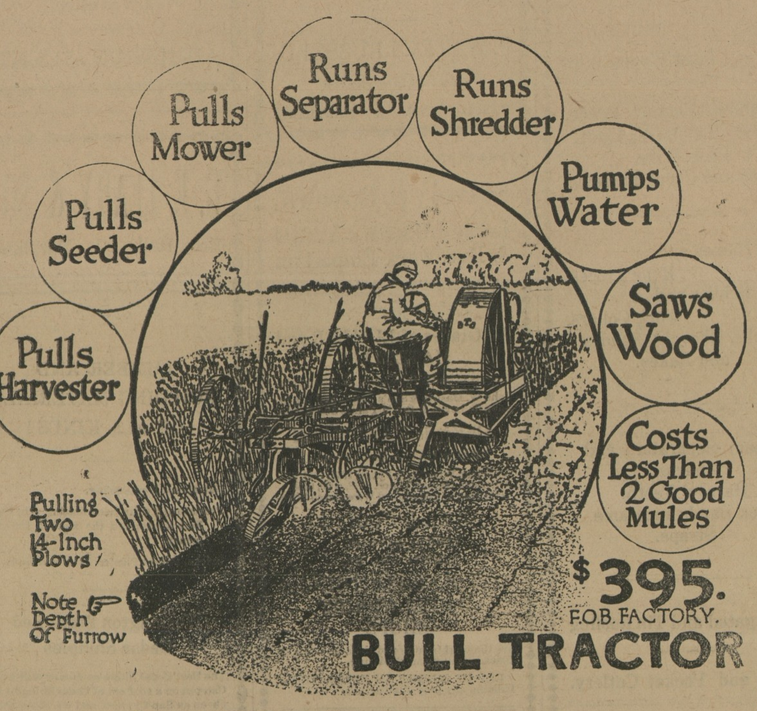
The town of Havre de Grace has met every requirement of the postoffice Department, in regard to establishing a free mail delivery in the town, and the system will very shortly be inaugurated. This reminds us of the number of inquires we have had in reference to the establishment of free delivery for Chestertown. The town has been entitled to the system for several years, but there has been more or less opposition to the system because we do not believe it has been properly understood. In order that our people may know jus what is necessary to be done in order to secure free delivery of mail, we do not think it would be at all improper for the TRANSCRIPT to state the conditions, and note what has appeared as an objection.

The only requirement on the part of the town is that the houses shall be numbered and the front doors provided with letter slots, and the sidewalks be in good condition. Our sidewalks are in elegant condition, and quite a number of the houses are numbered. This could be done at very little expense.

A second requirement is that everybody in the town would be required to pay 2 cents for locally addressed letters instead of 1 cent as at present. This latter objection we understand, has been the great stumbling block in the way of the establishment of free delivery of mail. But it seems to be a selfish consideration when the great convenience to be derived from the free delivery system is considered. The free delivery system would interfere with no one who wants to maintain a box at the postoffice, and call for the mail when he pleases, but it would be a very great convenience to our people living a considerable distance from the office, and who are now compelled to pay a boy to get their mail, or else wait until they can find a convenient time to go for it themselves.

The free delivery of mails is one of the signs of a progressive town. It is in operation in Dover, Easton, Cambridge, Salisbury, and other towns on the shore, and certainly if Chestertown can pay $40,000 for new streets and sewers, and $40,000 more for a water system, it could afford to pay 2 cents for a locally adressed letter, which seems to be the great objection to the establishment of the free delivery of mail in the town. The receipts of the postoffice fully justify the payment of the carriers, who would be required to take a competitive examination for appointment. The postoffice officials cannot take the initiave in this matter. It must be done by the people of Chestertown through a petition to the Postoffice Department. Now then if the people want free delivery of mail, let them get busy and fulfill the requirements and they will soon have it.

The Tri-County Rural Letter Carriers Association, comprising the carriers of Queen Annes, Kent and Cecil Counties, met in convention in Centreville Monday morning. Washington's Birthday being a legal holiday, the date was selected for the annual convention of the rural post-men. The meeting was held in the parlors of the Hotel Straughn, Commerce street, followed by a dinner in the dinnig parlors of the hotel. Carriers David B. Kendall and Thomas Willis attended from town.



AT LAST

Here is a powerful little machine which does the work of five horses—never gets tired—costs less for fuel than horse feed AND STOPS EATING WHEN IT STOPS WORKING.

Because it travels continuously and faster than horses, ONE MAN with the BULL TRACTOR can plow more than TWO MEN with two three-horse teams. Pulls your Plows, Seeders, Harvesters, Mowers, Drills, Disks and then does any belt work requiring up to twelve-horse power. Guaranteed as long as you own it. Saves you money every day you use it.

Write at once for Descriptive Illustrated Booklet and special offer to farmers.

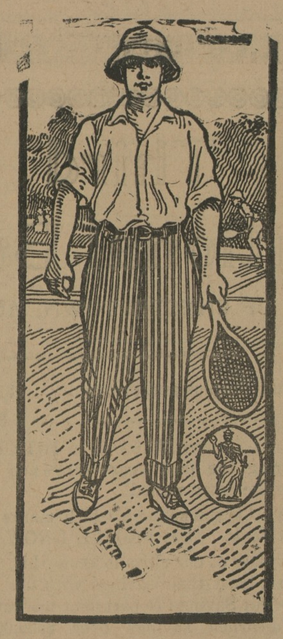
A Public Demonstration will be given upon the arrival of a carload lot now in transit. Full particulars as to time and place announced later.

SPECIAL PRICE ON BOILER TUBES.

H. D. OREM,

Agent for Kent and Queen Annes Counties, CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

PANTS SALE!



OUR GREAT TROUSERS SALE always attracts Pants wearers to our store, for no man ever had too many Pants. At the close of each season's business, just between seasons, when you most need an extra pair of Trousers we hold these sales.

You'll need an extra pair to tide over from now until it's time for Spring weights, so---

Buy Trousers Now

$1.25 Trousers	$ .90
1.50 Trousers	1.19
1.75 Trousers	1.35
2.00 Trousers	1.69
2.25 Trousers	1.75
2.50 Trousers	1.98
3.00 and $3.50 Trousers	2.65
4.00 Trousers	3.10
4.50 and $5.00 Trousers	3.65
15 pair Extra Heavy Pants for Work, regular $2.50, will go at	1.65

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CLEAN UP SALE

ALL WINTER GOODS.

Robes and Horse Blankets

$5.00 Plush Robe	$2.95	$6.50 Wool Blankets	$5.00
$5.00 Wool Blankets	3.75	$3.00 Wool Blankets	$2.40

Men's Suits and Overcoats

$12.50 Suit, Men's	$8.50
$9.00 Suit, Men's	6.50
8.00 Suit, Men's	5.00
12 00 Overcoats	8.50
10.00 Overcoats	6.75
Boys' Suits up to $5.00, now	2.50
$15.00 Ladies' Suits	7 50
8.00 Ladies' Suits	5.00
10.00 Coats now	6.75
5.00 Coats	2.75
Lot Misses', Ladies' and Men's Coats sold up to $6.50, now	2.00
$2.50 Corduroy Pants (Sweet Orr)	1.75
2.00 Kersey Pants	1.45
2.00 Men's Pants (large size), now	1.00
50c Men's Underwear	55c
50c Ladies' Underwear	35c
50c Hoods	35c
$3.50 Bed Blankets	2.50
3.00 Bed Blankets	2.25
1.50 Bed Blankets	1.20
1.25 Bed Blankets	1.00

Ladies' House Dresses

$1.00 Gingham House Dresses	65c

Ladies' Hats

$2.00 to $5.00—your choice	$1.00
$1.00 Dress Hats, Men's	50c
25c Caps, Men's	15c

Rubber Boots

We have a large of Stock Rubber Boots on hand selling at cost.!

Dry Goods

10c Outing Flannel	7c yd	50c Bleached Sheets	35c
25c Dress Goods, now	18c yd	12½c Pillow Cases	9c
50c Dress Goods, now	35c yd	Good Crash for Towels	3¾c yd
10c and 12½c Dress Gingham	8¼c	15c India Linen	10c yd
Hill and Androscoggin Muslin	7½c	50c Corsets	25c pair
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Many bargains we cannot mention for want of space. Bring in your produce. Yours for business,

T. B. KILBOURN, FAIRLEE, MD.

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