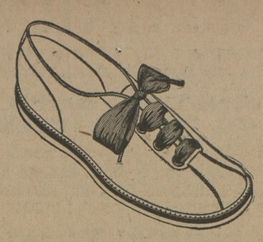

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This is a Play Oxford that will be entirely satisfactory, both as to comfort and wear. Soft Russet Leather Uppers and Hand Sewed Soles. Prices $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, according to size.

Let us fit the children for the summer.

C. C. Jones---The Shoe Man

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A Wedding Ring

Start out right by getting your Wedding Ring from us. We have the Correct Size and Watch. Any inscription engraved free of charge. Our Rings are seamless—no joints to open and the quality is stamped in each.

Wedding and Family Silver—Many attractive and useful inexpensive pieces from $1 to $10 and up.

I am the sole representative of the celebrated Stieff Silverware, a complete assortment of which is always on display in my store.

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Jewelry Store,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

A GREAT

Piano Sale

—AT—

Newnam's Music Store.

For ten days only, starting July 27th, a special discount sale of ten per cent. on Pianos, Organs, Sewing Machines and Bicycles.

The Victor Records for August will be here July 28th, 29th, 30th.

All Popular Sheet Music

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NEWNAM'S MUSIC STORE,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

LOCAL MATTERS

SALE RECORD.

All the sales advertised in the TRANSCRIPT to take place during the past week were largely attended, and prices were good on everything sold. Cows maintained their high prices, while horses, hogs and farm implements sold well. The following are further dates:

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18th—Public sale of fine building lots on Washington avenue belonging to the estate of the late Dr. S. E. Ford by H. H. Klinefelter, the administrator.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18th—Public sale of the Rouse or Jones farm, containing 108 acres, near Lynch, by Hope H. Barroll, trustee.

Mr. Samuel G. Caldwell advertises 40 head of good mules, mares and horses at private sale.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20th—Large and valuable personalty of Mr. T. A. G dwin, on Spring Landing farm, between Crumpton and Millington.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 21st—Public Sale of large and valuable personaly of Messrs. Wm. C. and Harry Johnson, on Shrewsbury farm, between Kennedyville and Locust Grove.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22nd—Public sale of 150 head of fine stock by Mr. Samuel G. Caldwell, at his stables in Galena. Rain or shine.

MONDAY, AUGUST 24th—Valuable personalty of the late John F. Dodson, on the home farm, near Chestertown.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25th—Public sale of the John F. Dodson farm in the Fifth District, two miles from Tolchester and tenanted by Mr. Chas. Jarman, by his executors, Messrs. Willard E. and Owen S. Dodson.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27th—Public sale of 40 head of fine horses, fine dairy cattle and farm implements of Hiram Powell, on the farm where he now resides, near Galena.

Robert S. Dodson, Esq., of St. Michael's, offers a valuable feed mill property in St. Michael's for sale or exchange. We are acquainted with this property. It is a fine investment located in a thriving town with a large and thickly populated territory surrounding. A paying proposition to any mill man.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th.—Executors sale of fine building lots on Washington avenue, belonging to the estate of the late George B. McWhorter. Here is a chance for a beautiful location for a home in one of the most beautiful residence sections of Chestertown.

Fire at Melitota.—At 2 30 P. M. last Sunday fire was discovered in the second story of a two-story frame dwelling at Melitota owned by Mr. N. Lieberman and occupied by Geo. Long and family. The occupants of the house were entertaining company at the time the fire was discovered, and, although Mr. Lieberman and others worked hard, the place was completely destroyed. Sparks from the burning building started the stable burning, but it was extinguished. The house was partially insured in the Kent Mutual.

Pomona Grange.

The Pomona Grange held a very enjoyable meeting on the lawn of Mr. B. F. Rash on Wednesday. The host was the Worton Grange, and its members proved beyond question that they know how to entertain to perfection. A sumptuous dinner was served on the lawn, and good cheer and fellowship reigned supreme. The afternoon meet- was most interesting. Master George R. Rasin called the meeting to order and County Lecturer John Medders conducted the program. The first speaker was State Lecturer Bringham who spoke interestingly on "Keeping the Boy and Girl on the Farm" and other kindred subjects. A rainstorm interfered just at this point and quite a number of the grangers and guests left. Thirty or more faithful ones braved the rain and remained to hear Senator Wm. J. Ogden on the initiative and referendum. We understand that those who did not remain to hear Senator Ogden missed a rare treat, as his talk was most interesting. He was accompanied to the grange by Mr. Howard Turner, of Betterton, who introduced him. The meeting was a most pleasant one, but it was poorly attended, largely because of the threatening weather.

BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST

Mr. John Crouch, Jr., of Piney Neck, has gone to Taneytown, where he will operate a ferris wheel.

Mr. Boulden, of Morgnec, has purchased the Bosee farm in the same section from Mr. Thomas McGinniss.

A fisherman caught a number of fine trout, one measuring 24 inches, the other day near Newnam's Wharf in Chester river.

Mr. Frank B. Wheat has been appointed a constable for the Fifth District by the Board of County Commissioners.

The tomato shipping season will begin next week. Mr. C. W. Kibler, the local buyer, has shipped a few this week.

Capt. J. J. Crouch has purchased the store and dwelling now occupied by S. A. Adley in Piney Neck, and is now improving the same.

The advance agent of the Chautauqua has thoroughly posted the town and county during the week, and everywhere you go it is "Chautauqua."

Don't forget to bring your tickets when you come to the semi-annual distribution of prizes at Graham & Thomas, Chestertown, to-day. They are necessary.

Mr. William Parsons, son of Mr. Thomas Parsons, has rented Col. Wm. J. Vannort's farm in Worton, now tenanted by Mr. Lewis Porter. Mr. Porter will remove elsewhere next year.

Mr. Clarence E. Cornelius has rented the farm near Locust Grove now tenanted by Messrs. William and Harry Johnson. Mr. Edward Crowding had rented this farm but gave it up.

The very attractive and desirable building lots on Washington avenue belonging to the estate of the late Dr. S. E. Ford will be offered at public sale on Tuesday.

Get your Chautauqua tickets. There are only a few season tickets on sale, and you will not be able to buy one when the band begins to play. No season tickets to be sold the week of Chautauqua.

The fertilizer manufacturers are somewhat concerned because of their inability to secure some of the ingredients for their fall fertilizers, and they fear the supply will be somewhat short of orders booked for fall goods.

Contractor W. T. Pippin has contracted with Rev. Mr. Fisher to build a big barn on the Morris farm. He will also remodel the exterior of Fraternal Hall owned by Mr. Harry Thomas, of Philadelphia.

Three hundred and eleven people left Chestertown on Tuesday morning on the Atlantic City excursion. The train reached Chestertown on the return trip in the good time of 11 o'clock. The total number of passengers on the trip was over 600.

Mr. L. Harris Crewe, proprietor of Bayside Inn, one of Betterton's leading hotels, this week sold to a prominent northern poultry fancier, his handsome Toulouse gander, which took first and special prizes at all the big shows last winter for $75. About a month ago Mr. Crewe sold a pair of African greese for $40. There is money in good poultry.

Messrs. Lofland & Culp have a couple of ancient fire arms on exhibition in their window on High street. One is a flint lock pistol and the other a flint lock pistol rebuilt. They are the property of Col. Duncan, of near town.

It sure does remind us of old times to see so many peach wagons, dearborns and peach dearborns hauling potatoes and peaches through town. The peaches are coming from Mr. B. F. Rash's farm, while the potatoes are mostly from Queen Annes sections.

Sugar has advanced in price from 4 cents to 7½ cents a pound within a week. Our merchants say it is likely to reach 10 cents a pound on account of the European war. Or is it the speculators taking advantage of the war scare to fleece the American people?

Mr. Walter H. Hadaway shipped 1000 baskets of fine peaches to market this week, but prices are very low. Mr. A. C. Loud, in Quaker Neck, also has a fine crop, as have Mr. Romie Skirven and Mr. Joseph R. Usilton, in Worton, Benj. Crew and James G. Harris, Still Pond.

The School Board on Tuesday petition the Board of County Commissioners for funds to erect a school building at Lynch to replace the one recently destroyed by fire. The board asked Superintendent Smyth to submit an estimate of the cost, and we understand the petition will be granted.

Notwithstanding the embargo placed upon the shipment of American products to foreign ports on account of the European war, the price of almost everything is on the advance. It seems to us that the reverse should be the case as a large part of the demand is cut off.

The severe drought which had continued in this section since practically the 8th day of May, was broken on Monday evening by a copious shower which will do thousands of dollars worth of good to corn, tomatoes, peaches, potatoes and pasture. It was a blessing from heaven thankfully received.

Mr. Owen S. Dodson has 600 bnshels of last year's corn crop, for which the grain buyers have been making numerous good bids during the week. He has been offered 86½ cents a bushel for it. One of our farmers in the First District sold a part of his prospective corn crop last week for 81 cents a bushel.

An executive meeting of the Kent County W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. H. B. Simmons on Wednesday, Aug. 19th, at 10.30 A. M. It consists of the county officers, presidents of local unions and all supts. of departments, but a cordial invitation is extended to members of the organization to be present.

The Board of Town Commissioners is to be commended for their efforts to keep the ravine in which the town's drinking water is located clean. Saturday the weeds were mowed, and workmen have been building a neat cement and board bridge across the ditch for use of the new road connecting Philosopher's Terrace and Cross streets. The town has been remarkably free of mosquitoes during the summer because the commissioners have kept the ravine in fine shape and have drained several stagnant pools that were breeding places for mosquitoes. Keep up the work of improvement. It means much to the town both financially and from the standpoint of health.

Progress of the European War

Succinctly and correctly stated the status of the European war situation may be briefly stated thus, so far as the United States is concerned:

Sugar advanced in price from 5 to 7½ cents per pound, without the slightest necessity.

All the salesmen of the large wholesale houses receive hurry calls to quit soliciting and come home, and it looks as if there is to be a general "corner" of all goods the consumer has to use and no price for anything the farmer has to sell.

The powder and steel mills are working over time, and the poor old calamity howler has shut up shop and gone fishing.

The government is taking steps to investigate the sudden rise in the price of foodstuffs with a view to putting a bomb under the stuffs controlled by the money grabbing speculators. Meanwhile the European war continues to progress, the nations continue to mobilize troops and pretend to have a battle at Liege, and an engagement of war vessels in the North Sea, with the capture of several merchantmen here and there on the high seas, while American tourists are scurrying to get home, and last but not least the stories you read in the newspapers on Monday morning concerning the events of the war, are the same you will read to-day, with a slight revision in the comparitive figures showing the relative strength of the contending nations on land and sea.

Our Merchants' Interests.

A. S. Turner, of Worton, advertises in this issue the John Deere Van Brunt wheat drill. This is a new drill recently put on the market, and attracted much attention at the fair. Talk with Turner about it before buying.

Abe Cohen, the Sandy Bottom merchant, goes the limit on low prices this week, and the bottom is knocked clear out. See what he has to offer you.

Messrs. John Schauber & Bro. advertise their celebrated corn cutter for sale in this issue. Undoubtedly the best cutter on the market. No farmer can afford to be without one. Examine them and see.

Easton fair dates—September 1, 2, 3 and 4. $4,400 offered in races and attractions innumerable. More later.

Mr. Frank A. Hurlock's change of advertisement arrived too late for insertion this week. He is offering special prices in glass jars, work shirts and overalls. Mason's pint jars 50 cents, quart 55, half gallon 70 cents the dozen. Sure Seal glass jars pint 65, quart 75, ½ gallon $1.10 per dozen. 50 and 75 cent work shirts and overalls 39 cents. Phone 33.

IN THE CHURCHES.

St. James M. P. Sunday school and church enjoyed the day picnicing on the lawn of Mr. Wm. B. Willis, Worton Point on Thursday.

The members and friends of Christ M. P. Sunday school enjoyed an ice cream treat in the church on Wednesday evening.

Chestertown M. E. Church—Rev. Louis E. Barrett, D. D., pastor. Services Sunday, Aug. 16th, as follows: 10.30 A. M., preaching by the pastor, subject: "The Blood-Red Crime of the 20th Century;" 2.15 P. M., Sabbath school and pastor's Bible class; 7 P. M., Epworth League song service, followed by short sermon by the pastor—whole service but one hour. All invited.

Christ Methodist Protestant Church, Dr. W. R. Graham pastor. Services on Sunday, Aug. 16, and preaching by the pastor at 10.30 A. M. and 6. 30 P. M. Short twilight service in the evening. Sabbath School 2.30 P. M. Christian Endeavor service Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Mid-week service Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Damage by Lightning.

The storm on Tuesday night was general throughout the county, and considerable damage was done by lightning. Mr. Marion Coleman's house on the outskirts of Rock Hall was struck. The weatherboarding was considerably damaged and the plaster in three rooms was knocked off. His daughter was slightly stunned but is recovering. The property was insured in companies represented by Mr. Edgar P. Beck, and the damage is being repaired.

The home of Mr. Leedy at Gratitude was also struck and slightly damaged. A strawrick on Mr. Frank Baxter's farm near Kennedyville was struck and burned; Mr. George R. Rasin had a valuable horse killed. Mr. Howard Wallace, on the Burgess farm in Cherry Lane, lost between 1200 and 1400 bushels of wheat in the stack. A number of trees were damaged, but there was no interruption to telephone or telegraph service. The heavy rains did thousands of dollars worth of good.

The electical display at Betterton was remakable. A telephone pole in front of the Bayside Inn, owned by Mr. L. Harris Crewe, was struck. The fire followed the wire to the house tearing out the telephone instrument and filling the place full of sparks, etc. In the excitement a gentleman's automobile got loose and ran down one of the hills. He dashed after it and received minor injuries.

The stables and outbuildings, together with 15 tons of hay, harness, etc., belonging to Mr. James Lusby, were destroyed near Cecilton.

The storm on Monday night destroyed two stacks of wheat on Mrs. Sallie Moffett's farm, near Chesterville, and on Tuesday night the lightning struck the stable and killed a cow but did not damage the stable.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Other personals on page 2.

Miss Blanche Power, of Millington, Dr. Charles Shewell Abbott and Messrs. Keys and Eastburne, of Bristol, Penn., are guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. O. Selby, Rock Hall.

Mrs. Arthur Hurlock, of Cambridge, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Frank Jarrell.

Mr. J. Henry Caldwell and family, of Chicago, has been visiting his father and brother in and near Galena. Mr. Caldwell had not been East since leaving home 14 years ago. His father, Mr. Samuel T. Caldwell, who is 79 years of age, returned to Chicago with his son for a visit to the Windy City.

Mrs. Golt and daughter, of Wilmington, Del., are visiting Mrs. Garrett Foxwell, on the avenue.

Mrs. Kendall and daughters, of Baltimore, are guests of her son, Mr. David B. Kendall.

Mr. Seth Harley and wife, of Youngstown, Ohio, are visiting his mother, Mrs. Harley, on Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Skirven, of Baltimore, are spending two weeks with her brothers in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brice went to Baltimore yesterday to see their daughter, Mrs. G. Hines Thomas, who continues critically ill at a sanitorium.

Miss Emma France has been quite ill during the week, and her physician, Dr. Frank B. Hines, accompanied her to the Church Home in Baltimore yesterday for special treatment. Judge and Mrs. France have the sympathy of the community in their affliction. The entire family has been quite sick, and the Judge was reported not quite so well yesterday. We hope they will all soon be well.

Miss Rasin, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Bradford Copper.

Mrs. Watts, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Charles M. Vickers, in Broad Neck.

Social Event.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Miss Dora Merchant on Thursday evening, August 6, 1914, in honor of her guests, Miss Langrell, of Smyrna, Del., and Miss Stevens, of Millington, Md.

The early part of the evening was spent in games, music and dancing. At 10.30 the guests were invited to the dining room, where refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Florence Dukes, of Centreville; Pearl Langrell, of Smyrna, Del.; Pauline and Anna Stevens, Elsie Dixon, Helen Stevens, Alice Turner, Millington; Grace and Eva Merchant, Martha Caldwell, Anna and Helen Gale, Anna Vansant, Sara Pennington, Leslie Sutton, Marian Everett, of Galena; Helen Walters, of Elkton; Miss Myers, of Chestertown, and Rebecca Moffett, Messrs. Howard Stevens, Burgess Anderson, Isaac Pritchett, Thomas Turner, Henry, Herbert and Samuel Caldwell, Julian and Alfred Everett, Spencer Stevens, Frank Merchant, Hurlock Gale, Cooper and Sidney Dixon, Thomas England, Edgar Moffett, George Clements, George Biddle, Roland Pennington, Milburn and Clifton Sutton.

Big clearance sale on all carpets in the house of John Bartley. 85c tapestry brussels now 65c, velvet carpet, worth $1, now 65c. All wool ingrain carpets reduced to 55 cents the yard, half wool to 40 cents. Big reduction in couch hammocks. A saving of from $1 to $2 on every hammock in the house. Come quick.

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 at home, but if a second case occurs this second infection will in all propability be traceable 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 your local health officer for instructions about shipping us samples of your drinking water. *The daily supply of drinking water should be boiled.*

The infectious material of thphoid 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 soon as possible. You will need a large quantity of a good disinfecting solution.

RECEIPT 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. 90 per cent., is very good, and a quart will cost about 50 cents. There is a cheaper grade, known as a 86 per cent. acid, which is nearly as affective.

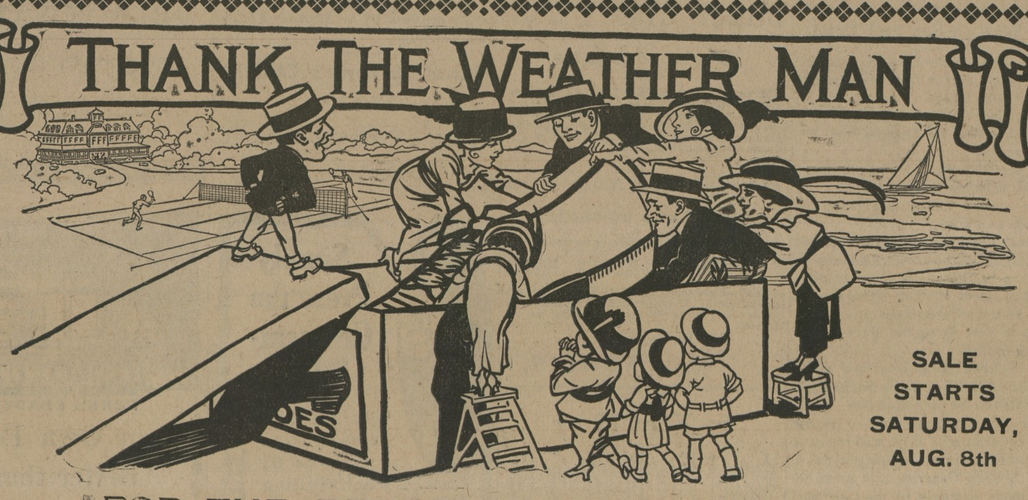
About a pint of this solution should be put in the chamber or bed pan before it is used, so that the discharges will begin to be disinfected as soon as they leave the body. There must always be at least as much of the disinfecting solution as there is of the discharges, so that more of the disinfecting 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 discharges 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 on 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 mind this rule one must most carefully and thoroughly cleanse the hands before performing any household duty outside the sick room. Good scrubbing with soap, water and a brush, and then rinsing well in fresh water will suffice for cleansing the hands.

If anyone 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. GEO. H. JONES,
Secretary Local Board of Health of Kent Co.,
a16-tf. Galena, Maryland.

THANK THE WEATHER MAN



SALE STARTS SATURDAY, AUG. 8th

FOR THE BARGAINS LISTED BELOW

You can thank a backward season for these prices on our stock of new fresh, seasonable, up-to-the-minute shoes. The weather made sales slow for every retailer during the early Spring and, frankly, we find ourselves with more shoes than we should have. We are determined not to carry over these goods, and as a consequence have placed prices upon them which will surely cause them to "move" in quick step time. The real Summer wearing season is still ahead of you. Don't fail to take advantage of this opportunity to secure your vacation shoes at ridiculously low prices. Our loss is your gain. Come early while our range of styles sizes and widths are unbroken.

RALSTON OXFORDS

Gun Metal, Tan, Pat. Colt and Kangaroo,

$3.25.

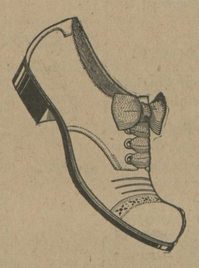
All $4.50 Oxfords now go at

$3.25.

WOMEN'S OXFORDS

Tan Rubber Sole Sneakers

$3.00 Grade, Clear at $2.19
$3.50 Grade, Clear at $2.69
$4.00 Grade, Clear at $3.00
$2 Gun & Tan Clear at $1.50
$2.50 & $3.00 Clear at $2.19
$3.50 Grade, Clear at $2.69



RECREATION OXFORDS

White, with and without Rubber Soles.

$2.00 Grade, $1.50.

$3.50 Grade, $2.50.

ENGLISH MODELS

Gun Metal, Tan and Mahogony.

$4.50 Clear at . . . $3.25
4.00 Clear at . . . 3.00
3.50 Clear at . . . 2.69
3.00 Clear at . . . 2.29
2.50 Clear at . . . 2.10

MEN'S HIGH SHOES

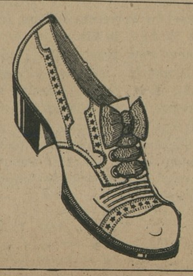
A few pair of broken lots including Gun Metal and Pat. Colt, Button and Lace.

HALF PRICE.

OXFORDS

Full Round Raised Toe, Gun's Tans and Pat. Colt.

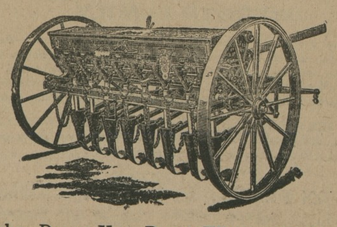
$3.50 Grade, $2.69.
$3.00 Grade, $2.29.
$2.50 Grade, $2.10.
$2.00 Grade, $1.79.



ANY STRAW HAT in the house now goes at 75c, $3.00, $2.50, $2.25, $2.00, $1.75. $1.50 and $1.00 Straws all Clear at 75c.

VANSANT & NEWSOME, CHESTERTOWN, MD.

New Wheat Drill a Winner!



The John Deere Van Brunt Wheat and Fertilizer Drill is now on our sample floor. It was a favorite with farmers from Kent, Queen Annes and Cecil counties at the fair. Ask Messrs. W. S. Collins, W. T. Morris, R. G. Nicholson what they think of it. Look it over before placing your orders.

We have one Farmers' Favorite Drill made by the American Seed Mch. Co. cheap to close out.

Runabouts and Carriages at reduced prices.

A. S. TURNER, Worton, Md.

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