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☞We believe it to be to the interest of every one to give the above offerings due consideration as it will be money saving to you, as we are determined to rid shelves of all Summer Goods. Come, come.

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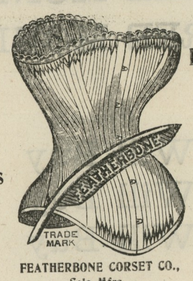
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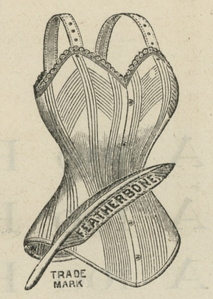


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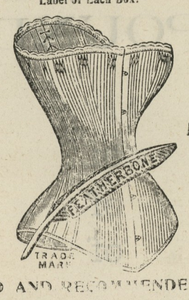
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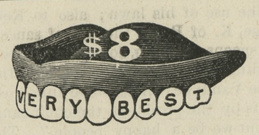
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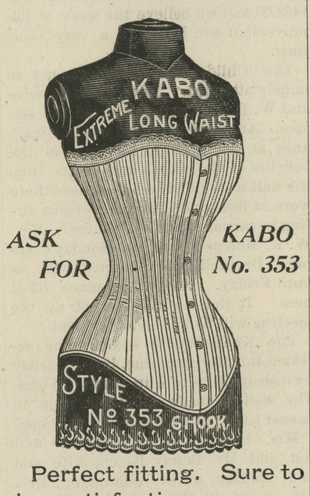
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Pays to Be Gentlemanly.

Colonel F. W. Saxton, of Oakland, Cal., was in Washington, recently. "A little incident that came to my notice just before I left home," he said to a reporter, "impressed me that there is never any use for a man to act otherwise than a gentleman, and that often it is a financial gain to do so.

"One of San Francisco's capitalists is Joseph Boardman. It is said he is a millionaire, but to look at them you would not think it. You could hardly say that he dresses shabbily, but he comes very close to it and appears to a stranger to be some kindly old gentleman whom fortune has never cared to smile upon. Mr. Boardman's house is over in Oakland, but his office is in San Francisco, and each morning he makes the trip over on the ferry.

"The other morning he started for the boat, and in his haste he forgot to transfer his pocket-book to his clothes. Of course he did not discover this until he had reached the wharf. There was no one in the crowd that he knew or that knew him. He searched every pocket in vain. A young man standing near by witnessed the confusion of the old gentleman, and walking up to him hrust a coin into his hand and moved back into the crowd.

"The young man, doubtless, supposed he had done an act of kindness to a needy one, and he hastened away in order to make it less embarrassing for his beneficiary. He had no opportunity to get far, however, before Mr. Boardman caught him and made him divulge his name and address. The next day the young man was the recipient of a snug check, drawn by the millionaire and making him richer by $100 than he was the day before."—*Washington Times.*

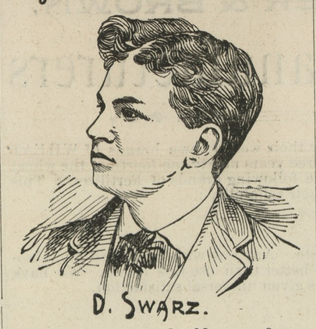
WAGES THEN AND NOW.

Corroll D. Wright's figures, showing that the average wages in 1890 were $449 a year, or, approximate $1.45 a day, suggests a comparison with the wages formerly paid. A study of Prof. McMaster's "History of the United States" shows that the workingmen of today fare much better than their fathers and grandfathers did. Ten representative trades paid in 1780 an average of $1.31 per day, and in 1800 the same 10—excepting plumbers, who are not reported—paid only 80.5 cents a day. In 1784 unskilled labor commanded 25 cents a day, and that was twice as much as was paid for it 10 years earlier. On the other hand, the necessaries of life have not increased in price proportionately to tho advance in wages. While wages in 1890 were nearly double what they were in 1800, the price of beef had only increased from 8 to 14 cents a pound, pork was at exactly the same price, 11 cents a pound, and other leading articles advanced a fraction, while wheat flour declined from $9 a barrel in 1800 to $7 in 1840 and $5 in 1860. In the same time sugar dropped from 16 cents a ponnds to 6, and tea from 95 cents a pound to 50, though coffee advanced from 27 cents a pound to 30. These figures seem to disprove the popular fallacy that the rich are growing richer and the poor poorer—unless, indeed, the American artisan is ranked with the former, a position which his brethren in other lands are very much inclined to accord him.

Jim Webster: Has ye heard dat my son 'Rastus tuck a premium at de school 'zamination? Sam Johnsing: Jess quit braggin' about your son 'Rastus takin' premiums. Didn't my pig get de blue ribbon at de county fair?

"If you grasp a rattle snake firmly about the neck, he cannot hurt you," says a western paper. Keeping about a block a head of the snake is also a good scheme.

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Dear Sir:—As you can well imagine, the worry and arduous duties of a hotel manager during busy season of the World's Fair were sufficient to break down a man of more natural strength than myself.

Towards the close of the Fair season I found myself languid, dull, bilious and nervous, not taking the interest of a healthy man in my business.

Our house physician recommended your Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic as the best remedy his life-long experience in practice had discovered, for my restoration and it accomplished the work completely. To-day I am a well man—thanks to your great remedy."

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NOTICE TO FRUIT GROWERS!

Commencing MONDAY, July 13th, PEACH TRAIN will leave Chestertown daily at 12.20 P. M., till further notice. E. P. STACEY, Supt.

NOTICE!

PEACH SEASON SCHEDULE.

For the accommodation of Peach Growers, on and after August 3d, 1896, Steamer TRUMPETER will leave Baltimore daily at 8 o'clock A. M. Returning will leave Buck Neck 6 P. M.; Gale's Wharf 7 P. M.

WILLIAM CUNDIFF,
a1-tf. Superintendent.

PEACH-GROWERS' ACCOMMODATION LINE!

Reduced Rates of One Cent Per Package—5c. per Basket, 7c. per Box. Our boats will start on Monday, August 3, 1896. The following is the schedule:

One boat leaves Deep Landing at 4 o'clock P. M., Chestertown 6, Emory's Wharf (Queen Anne's) 7, for Baltimore. One boat leaves Beck's Wharf (Lankford's Bay) at 4 p. m., stopping to take peaches from lighters along the northeast prong, and leave Centreville at 7 p. m. for Baltimore.

Fruit will be landed at piers 12, 13, 14, Baltimore. For further information apply at M A. Toulson s Drug Store, Chestertown.

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SUMMER SCHEDULE.

STEAMER LOUISE.

TOLCHESTER BEACH AND BALTIMORE.

Leaving Tolchester Beach daily, at 10.30 A M. and 7.00 P. M. Leave Baltimore daily, at 8.30 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.

Fare each way 25 cents.

Russell's stage makes connection from Chestertown with the Tolchester boat.

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NOTICE!

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE, ROUND TRIPS.

SASSAFRAS RIVER STEAMBOAT CO

On and after Monday, April 27th, 1896, the STEAMER SASSAFRAS will leave Georgetown, daily, at 6.30 a. m., Monday, Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday, (not making round trip on Friday), leaving Baltimore at 2.30 p. m. Saturday. Shallcross' 6.45, Cassidy's 7.00, Turner's Creek 7.15, Betterton 8, Buck Neck 9.15, Gale's Wharf 9.30.

Returning, leave Baltimore daily, at 3 p. m. (except Friday), lay over until 2.30 p. m. Saturday, stopping at Buck Neck and Gale's, and all the landings on Sassafras river, except Turner's Creek, trip up.

April 25, 1896. WM. CUNDIFF, Sup't.

CHESTER RIVER STEAMBOAT CO.

DAILY ROUND TRIPS, EXCEPT SUNDAY

Beginning Monday, June 1, 1896,

STEAMER EMMA A. FORD will leave Chestertown at 7 o'clock A. M., stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Bogle's, Queenstown and Kent Island. Returning, will leave Baltimore at 2.45 P. M., making the same landings.

On and after APRIL 1st,

STEAMER B. S. FORD, will leave Centreville at 7 A. M., daily, except Sunday, for Baltimore, stopping at landings on Corsica River, Jackson Creek and Rock Hall. Leave Jackson Creek 8.15, Rock Hall 9.15 A. M. Returning, leave Baltimore daily, except Sunday, 2.30 P. M. for the above landings.

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PHILA. PEACH LINE

Balto. & Phila. Steamboat Co.

On or about Monday, July 27th, the following schedule will take effect. Steamers will leave daily for Philadelphia direct:

11c.	*Buckingham	10.00 o'clock,	A. M.
	Snitchers	10.30	" "
	Chestertown	12.00	" "
11c.	*Chambers	12.15	" "
11c.	*Rolphs	12.25	" "
11c.	*Wilmers	12.40	" "
	Riverside	1.00	" "
11c.	Bookers*	1.20	" "
11c.	*Quaker Neck	1.40	" "
	Ashland	2.00	" "
	Indiantown	2.15	" "
11c.	*Cliffs City	2.30	" "
11c.	*Spaniards Point	2.45	" "
11c.	*Bogles	3.15	" "
11c.	*Kent Island	4.00	" "
11c.	*Tolchester	5.00	" "
	LANKFORD'S BAY:		
	Ship Yard	10.30 o'clock,	A. M.
	Groves Wharf	10.45	" "
	Vickers	11.00	" "
	Becks Wharf	12.00	" "
	Browns	12.15	" "
	Learys	12.30	" "
	Long Cove	1.00	" "

Freight will be eleven cents a basket from all landings marked *; all other landings and lighters the usual ten-cent rate will apply.

On Satbrday steamer will leave all landings two hours later than above time.

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BALTO. & DELAWARE BAY RAILROAD.

TIME-TABLE,

TO TAKE EFFECT NOVEMBER 27th, 1895

Going East. Pass. No. 1 Daily ex. Sunday.	STATIONS.	Going West Pass. No. 2 Daily ex. Sunday
Leave. A. M.		Arrive. P. M.
6.50	CHESTERTOWN	12.05
		A. M.
7.05	WORTON	11.50
7.10	LYNCH'S	11.45
7.15	HEPBRON	11.40
7.28	KENNEDYVILLE	11.27
7.41	BLACK'S	11.14
7.54	LAMBSON'S	11.01
8.08	MASSEYS	10.47
8.22	DELANEY'S	10.32
8.30	BINGHAM'S	10.25
Arrive. 8.40	CLAYTON	Leave. 10.15

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SPECIAL NOTICE!

We have added a full line of HARDWARE to our shop in Locust Grove, and now besides accommodating the public in Wheelwrighting and Blacksmithing we are prepared to sell nearly every kind of Hardware.

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1 inch Yellow Pine Boards, Edge, $12.50 per M.
1 inch Worked Yellow Pine Flooring, 15.00 per M.
6x20 Sawed Cypress Shingles, - 6.00 per M.

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