THE Circuit Court for Queen Anne's county begins next Monday.

THE Baltimore market quotations yesterday were: wheat 77½c.@80c.; corn, 28c.@29c.

The college team won their fourth straight game Tuesday from the Woodburys, score 17 to 4, and the fifth from Del. College yesterday—score 25 to 5.

Always Awake.—Mr. A. Friedman, the clothier, announces in this issue some rare bargains in men's, boys' and children's clothing. He begun business in the NEWS building sixteen years ago, and by honest dealing and keeping what the people want, he has established a reputation on a solid and substantial basis. Mr. James D. Lucas, his head salesman, has had considerable experience in the business, and is always glad to show goods.

Mr. Ascher's Will. — The will of Moritz Ascher, late of Rock Hall, was admitted to probate in Orphans' Court of Kent county on Tuesday. By its terms Marcus I. Ascher is left the house and lot in Chestertown on Calvert street; a Spanish Jack called "Nimrod"; also $200, ten dollars of which is to be paid annually on the production of a certificate from an officer of a synagogue that he has complied with "Kadish" until twenty payments are made. Dora Wood, nee Dora Ascher gets $10; Pauline Ascher gets the home place in Rock Hall, the "Patric" lot; five acres on bay shore known as the "Gardner lot"; 9 acres on Skinners' Neck road; 4 lots in Edesville; lot and improvements on road leading from Swan Creek to Rock Hall: "Hodges" property in Edesville; horses, furniture, wagons, carriages and all money in bank. Miss Pauline Ascher was made executrix.

A Regular Farmers' Store has been opened in Still Pond by Mr. Isaac Robinson. This store will be conducted by Messrs. E. W. Scarborough and W. M. Ady, two enterprising business men of Harford, both of whom have had experience and are efficient in the lines they will keep on sale. Mr. Ady claims to manufacture one of the best fertilizers to be found in the State, and in Carriages, Agricultural Machinery, Bicycles, &c., &c., they propose to keep the best and sell at very small profits.

Mr. Robinson has leased the Rosedale Cannery and is arranging with farmers to grow tomatoes in large quantities. He may also can peaches and other fruits. He proposes thus to identify himself with the interests of our agriculturists, and Messrs. Scarborough and Ady will see that the farmers are liberally dealt with in first class implements, &c. Read their adv. in another column and give them a call.

FAIRLEE NOTES.

May in all its beauty is here.

May and October are the particularly impressive months of the year—springtime and harvest.

The revival services held in our village church by Bro. Galloway are largely attended and a spiritual tidal wave is prevailing.

Dr. J. B. Merritt, of Easton, visited his parents here in town last week and is looking very well after his severe illness last winter.

A very large congregation greeted Bro. Galloway last Sunday evening. So many teams hitched all around the upper part of the village that when the services closed about ten o'clock a very heavy cloud covered the skies and general confusion prevailed among those driving teams. Mr. S. G. Lee was driving a spirited horse and when near the Hall collided with another team. Mrs. Lee was with him and she was prostrated by the excitement.

Shippers of asparagus have smiling faces now but how about it when 30 cent grass arrives?

The Fairlee Conclave will hold their regular meeting next Monday evening.

The Fairlee W. C. T. U. hold interesting meetings.

One of our young men, Mr. Charlton Kidd, has not been with us for some time, being on a trip down the bay. We miss him.

Mr. A. M. Kendall is painting his dwelling colonial yellow, white trimmings and green shutters.

Our Sabbath school is well attended and very interesting sessions, as well as instructive, are held from 9.30 to 10.30 every Sunday morning. Supt. J. C. Staats is the right man in the right place and works for the advancement of his school with a will.

Mrs. Louise Derr, Misses Lillie and Clara Derr, of Baltimore; Miss Ruth Wood, of Still Pond; Miss Ida McIntire, of Galena, and Miss Mamie Miller, of Oscola Beach have been recreating at Fairlee Grove.

Messrs. J. F. Rice and Clarence Miller have been visiting friends and relatives in Worton, Lynch's, Still Pond and other points, prior to the beginning of their busy season. WEST END.

Raising the Flag.

The Swan Creek School, taught by Miss Elva Friel, held a very interesting exercise a few days ago and raised a bran new flag over the school house. The program was as follows:

Singing "Raise the Flag" .....School
Salute to Flag.....School
Tributes to Flag....Charlie Sewell, Willie Shriley, Spencer Harris, Maud Miller, Clara Jones.
Essay, "Explanation of Flag"....R. S. Jones
Flag Drill.....16 boys and girls
Recitation, "Trying a New Knife"....F. Gale
Spring Song.....School
A lullaby—Lizzie Minna, Annie Elbourn, Elsie Willis, Sallie Elbourn, Rosa Ayres.
Recitation.....'Pleading for herself" Wilbert Kendall.
Chorus "Golden Wedding".....School
Recitation "Charlie's Reasoning"..C. Shriley
Chorus, "Yankee Doodle".....8 boys
Recitation, "The Elf Child"....Rosa B. Ayres
Vocal Solo....'The Fisherman and his Child" Sallie Elbourn.
Recitation.....'Grandma's Sermon" Lillie McIntyre.
Vocal Music, "Anchored".....School
Recitation..... "Theology in the Quarters" Lloyd Gale.
Chorus, "Columbia".....School
Morning Prayer.....School
Chorus.....America

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, April 26, 1897.

A Great Linen Sale RIGHT NOW, because conditions favor it. Tariff new or old, linens will cost more before snow-time comes again—maybe long before. We gathered very great stocks when days were darkest, and find ourselves able to make very interesting prices on housekeeping linens. The selling started last week. It will continue until you have taken the lots at command. Not a cent's worth of goods in this store is ever held for speculation. Details follow.

The town is talking linens and buying linens.

Even our recent low prices are discounted in these new comers—the final price-drop, as we believe, that the linen markets will know for years. The whole range of housekeeping linens is included in this spring movement.

Judge the stock as you would a melon—take a plug from any part. In Towel buying 25c hasn't done such work. The picking is from these lots—

Huck Towels, hemstitched ends.
Damask Towels, fringed or hemstitched.
Huck Towels, hemmed or with knotted fringe.

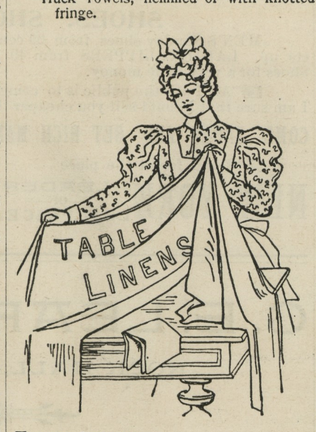

TABLE LINENS—

38c a yard—Good-looking bleached German Damask that we formerly sold at 50c. 60 in. wide.

55c a yard—Excellent quality half bleached German Damask. 64 in. wide. Equal to $1 bleached grade for wear. A few washings and it is snow-white. Our regular price is 70c.

$1.25 a yard—Handsome and good Flemish Damask; made expressly to our liking, having a soft, mellow finish and in exclusive patterns. 72 in. wide. Full bleached.

NAPKINS—

95c a dozen—Grass-bleached German drill Napkins. 18. in. square. The sort that gives years of service. Not equaled at $1.25.

$1.25 a dozen—Fine bleached damask Napkins; made of the best of yarns. 18 in. square.

$2 a dozen—Large German grass-bleached Napkins in several neat and pretty patterns. 22 in. square. Only 250 dozens.

$3.25 a dozen—Fine Flemish bleached damask Napkins. Several new and pretty patterns. These match the $1.25 damask.

TOWELS—

12½c each—Scotch Huck Towels. Splendid quality and over one yard long. Good for many purposes.

20c each—Fine all-white Irish Huck Towels, with pretty damask borders. 22x41 inch. Worth 30c.

Corsets YOUR dressmaker is wonderfully helped if you help by getting the CORSET right. The Lillian Corset is perfection—but you could go wrong even in buying the Lillian. That is why we carry eleven models of it. That is why we ask you to freely use the advantages of our fitting rooms and the services of the expert people we have here to serve you.

Lillian elegance! Corsets of silk and satin, tricked off with laces and ribbons. Boned with real whalebone. These finest Corsets in sizes from 18 to 24. Prices $10 to $20.

Lillian Corset for bicycle riders; sizes 18 to 26, at $1.75.

Lillian Corsets, coutil; medium length; corded bust; heavily boned. $2.

Lillian Corsets of fine black sateen; extra long waist; boned bust; gored at hips and bust: real whalebone. Sizes 18 to to 25. Price $3.25.

Clothing to-measure AWAY back in 1869 we started a clothing house at 818-820 Chestnut street, where men were given the perfection of clothing: The store had a two-fold mission—to make clothes to order and to prove that ready made clothes could be fine and faultless in fit. The organization of cutters and designers and tailors was kept at top-notch. We had but one limit—perfection. And the clothing from 818-820 Chestnut street was distinguished looking—was right.

Well, we have brought the whole business here, since the new store year—cutters, tailors, managers, order books, measures and all. We believe we can serve particular men better than ever. A man who isn't particular does not help a clothing store much.

The spring suit? Is it ready? $20 for a satisfactory business suit and the fewest possible dollars more for the dressier clothes.

John Wanamaker

Miss Ollie Nalle, of Baltimore, has been rusticating at the very pleasant home of Mrs. J. W. Crew, Lankford.

TOWN JOTTINGS.

Wool sold for sixteen cents per pound in Chestertown last week, Mr. W. E. DeFord being the first to sell.

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THE report that Officer Kelley was to be removed is without the slightest foundation. No such idea has been entertained by the town authorities.

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Sheriff Cacy will take three prisoners to Baltimore today, two for House of Correction and one for penitentiary. The jail will then be relieved of all prisoners!

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IMPROVEMENTS are being made to the Elliott house opposite Sacred heart Church parsonage, Mr. Frank Duyer, carpenter. Mr. R. N. Boston is adding a back building to Mr. G. B. McWhorter's home on Washington avenue.

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A telephone line is being erected from Capt. Atkinson's home in Quaker Neck to Chestertown. Mr. W. W. Hubbard's factory and the Chester river steamboat company's wharf will be connected with the new line.

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MR. C. F. STAM was compelled to kill his pet dog recently. This dog was like a guard to the children, no person being allowed to touch them while the dog was in sight. He followed them about town and kept a faithful watch over them.

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THE fine driving horse belonging to Mr. Wm. H. McFeely died Friday of the colic. The animal had been driven during the day. He was a very valuable driver and his owner will find it difficult to secure his equal.

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MRS. LOLLIE BLACKWAY has purchased fifteen feet of land from Dr. J. T. Twilley and will enlarge her store on corner of West Queen and Cannon streets. She purchased the lumber in the house recently removed off Mr. J. K. Aldridge's lot. Mr. Chilcutt is doing the work.

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JOSIAS SMITH, a well-known colored resident of Chestertown, died Wednesday aged about 70. He owned a small tract of land near the college and was an industrious farmer. One of his daughters married Elijah Strickner.

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A. J. Link, of Lynch's, has rented of Mr. T. W. Eliason the corner store-room in Chestertown adjoining Bartley's furniture store. Mr. Link will buy grain and cattle and keep a grocery store. Mr. W. S. Carroll is making some improvements to the interior.

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THE election of town commissioner to serve for three years in place of J. K. Aldridge, whose term expired, took place Monday. There was but one candidate in the field, Mr. Charles L. Dodd, who received 94 votes. Owing to the fact that but one man was voted for the citizens took very little interest in the election.

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The painters are busy and improvements are the result. Mr. F. Howard has finished repainting Mr. Thos. D. France's home; Mr. Wm. Fowler has retouched the front of the Miss Reeds' store, also Mr. W. S. McDonnell's; Mr. Wm. Sappington is painting Capt. Jos. W. Thompson's home; Col. Howard and Mr. A. M. Willis will begin to paint Mr. W. W. Chapman's residence next week.

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PROF. A. S. HALL, of Washington College, is a taxidermist of much skill, an evidence of the same being shown by a beautifully mounted summer or wood duck now on exhibition in Moody and Lusby's window. The duck is perfect in every respect and has been greatly admired. Mr. Warren Hurlock also is quite proficient in the art and has mounted a large owl which may be seen in Mrs S. A. Hurlock's window.

Mayor Hooper and Other Distinguished Guests in Chestertown.

Wm. J. Ogden, Esq., one of the most talented speakers in the State and an able lawyer, of Baltimore, was the guest of Capt. Atkinson at Bell Rio, on Chester river, Sunday. He was a welcome visitor to the NEWS office Saturday.

Mayor Alceaus Hooper, of Baltimore, accompanied by City Solicitor Thomas I. Elliott, were guests on Sunday of Harrison W. Vickers, Esq., at his beautiful home, Lauretum Place. The party attended the Methodist Church in the morning and attracted considerable attention. This was the Mayor's first visit here and he was charmed with the lovely farming lands, etc. He has traveled quite extensively but says Kent is decidedly the prettiest spot in the world. He had visited Rehoboth and other parts down the Peninsula and he judged our section from what he saw there!

Mail Driver Legg found a piece of middling in the road last week near Pomona. No one has yet claimed the meat.

Mrs. Thos. S. Bordley and children are visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Kemp, at Hopewell, Cecil county. Rev. J. D. Kemp will have charge of Woodlawn Camp this year.

Miss Alice Fenhagen and Miss Nellie Diggs, of Baltimore, have been guests of the Misses Stuart, on Queen street, this week. These ladies are expert cyclists, Miss Diggs having ridden 900 miles last season.

Mrs. Reese, of New Jersey, is visiting friends in Worton. She lost a shawl on the road last Sunday and would be obliged if the finder would leave same at this office.

Mrs. Bertha Johnson, nee Ware, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Miss Peregoy on Mill street this week.

Mrs. J. F. Thompson returned Tuesday from a month's visit to friends in Baltimore.

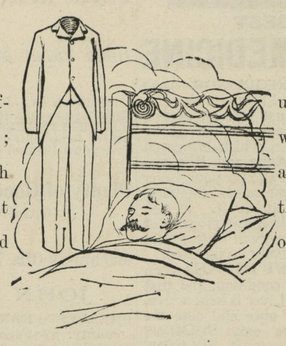
Mrs. Richard Hynson has been in New York this week consulting an eye specialist. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Carrie.

Miss Mary Elliott returned Tuesday from a protracted visit to Queenstown.

Mr. Wm. S. Ramsey and wife have rented the Genese farm at Betterton and contemplate purchasing same. Mr. R., wife and mother were guests of Mr. C. M. Lucas and wife on Sunday. They are all lovers of the wheel and do most of their traveling in this way. Mr. Ramsey and wife have traveled through France, Europe and other countries but have picked out this pretty spot for a home.

AT MIDNIGHT,

IN HIS GUARDED TENT, &c.



But this was a different sort of dream; it was one in which a New Spring Suit was portrayed, and upon awakening it was discovered to be a stern reality, for there hung in front of him one of

MOODY & LUSBY'S

PERFECT FITTING, BRAN NEW SPRING SUITS!

The result was, he got up, put it on, went to church, was in good humor and a walking advertisement for MOODY & LUSBY. Did you see them all around town last Sunday? big and little. Ask the majority of well dressed gentlemen of Chestertown where they buy Clothing, it is not what we say, 'tis what others say of us. Ask them, and see how little the cost. Yes, even our $4.90 Suit is cut right, made right, fits right and is sold right.

ON THE OTHER SIDE

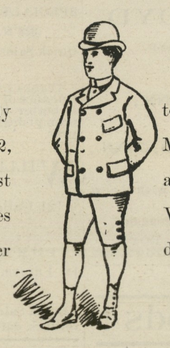
you will see this fellow; look at him. 'Tis his own fault, for if he hadn't $7.50, $8.50 or $10.00 to put in a Suit he could have gotten one of our $4.90 Suits that we speak of, and a Good Suit it is, and it fits too. Yes, we have all kinds of suits. Suits for lawyers and clients.

Suits for doctors and patients. Suits for dentists and shrinking subjects, in short-suits that will satisfy every requirement, at prices that will not squeeze the slimest purse. $4.90 to $15.00, and a charming aggregation at the intermediate prices $6.50, $7.50, $8.50, $10 and $12.50.

Boy's Long Pants Suits and Knee Pants Suits!

TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION,

low as 38 cents, gradually ascending, $1.25, $1.50, $2, &c., up to all the Latest Novelties in Foreign Weaves Bring the Little Toddler



to us and get him a Veste, Middy, Sailor or Junior, age three to seven years. Veritable Beauties the ladies say.

LOOK AT THE TROWSERS.

Yes, the Swell Patterns in Checks, Stripes and Plaids. Then if you want a pair of Every Day, Hard Wearers, call for the 38 cent kind, or 75 cent or $1.25 kind. On KNEE PANTS we are Headquarters.

Neckwear, Shirts, Underwear!

All the Novelties as well as Staples. Good Colored Shirt 15c.; White one 23c.; and the Best White shirt in the State for 45c. Have you seen our Men's Hose at 50c. dozen?

HATS!

Well, we are right at home again. New Soft Hats, New Stiff Hats. We sell Hats, we don't keep them. All the new things in STRAW GOODS will be complete first of week. Take a look at the Novelties.

☞Come, pick your Suit out early, before the desirable styles are sold out, for our patterns can't be picked up anywhere, at any sweat shop. We have no Chinese labor made stuff, our goods are selected in December and January, made to our special order, as we want it, hence we can recommend them and retain our patrons.

Respectfully,

MOODY & LUSBY,

Directly Opposite Court House. Square Dealing Clothiers.

·MAY '97·

We begin the pretty Month of MAY by offering a beautiful line of

Dress Novelties

and choice selections from the New York Markets.

Fine line of Lawns and Dimities, value 12½c alll new paterns, 8½c

Laces, Hamburgs, White Goods, &c., all new designs. Prices about one-half.

New selections in our "all wool" Dress Suitings, 25c

We show the very latest Novelties in Dress Prints regular price 7 5¾c

We again make sale on that fine 4-4 Bleached Muslin at 5¾c

BARGAINS IN

MATTINGS

Fine line Fancy Mattings (good.) 8½c

Choice selections at 10 and 12½c

Fine Cotton Warp Matting 19c

Don't miss the Bargains in Children's Shoes $1.25 & $1.50 shoes 50c

Coffee, Arbuckles and Leverings, 12½c

Rolled Oats best 2lb. package. 4½c

We sell the best Alum Lump Lime, $1.00

All Kinds of

WHITE WASH BRUSHES

And at Low Prices.

☞We solicit your order for a set of our $10 Carriage Harness, value $14.

MEDDERS & CO.

N. B.
To Farmers. Best Rock Salt. ¾c. pound.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Miss Nellie Walters returned yesterday from a month's visit to Pocomoke City very much improved in health.

Mrs. Addie Watkins, of Baltimore, has been visiting her parents on Washington avenue.

Mr. Joseph C. Kendall is seriously ill at his home in Chestertown.

Miss Anna May Downey is the guest of Mrs. C. R. Twilley.

Messrs. J. H. Sides and Wm. B. Usilton, Jr., attended the imposing ceremony in New York this week when the Grant tomb at Riverside Park was dedicated.

Dr. J. L. Wethered, of Reading, Pa., was in town a few days this week, the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. H. Barroll.

Judge Joseph A. Wickes has been elected vice-president for Kent county of the Maryland Bible Society. Rev. R. W. Todd was elected agent.

Mrs. Frank P. Cochran, of near Galena, is the guest of friends at Alexandria, Va.

Rev. Edw. R. Rich, rector of Greensborough P. E. Church, has accepted an invitation to deliver the annual address before the Mt. Vernon Literary Society of Washington College.

A very pleasant day was spent on Monday April 26 at the residence of Mr. Geo. W. Moffett, near Masseys, the occasion being to celebrate Mr. Moffett's 70th birthday. Among those present besides the immediate family were Mr. Jacob Crossley and family, of Masseys, Mr. George T. Satterfield, wife and son, Latimer; James F. Burris and family, of Cecilton; William Burris, wife and son, Linwood; John Culley, of Millington; Mrs. P. F. Pierce, of Galena; Miss Willie Moffett and brother, Frank; Miss Mattie Baker and others.

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