

SUMMER SCHEDULE

(Weather Permitting) IN EFFECT MAY 30, 1908.

TOLCHESTER SCHEDULE

MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS, Steamer Louise leaves Tolchester at 10:30 A. M. and 7 P. M. Leaves Baltimore at 8:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.

SASSAFRAS RIVER LINE

Leaves Fredericktown week days except Saturday at 7 A. M. Returns at 10:30 A. M. Leaves Baltimore at 10:30 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.

Port Deposit and Havre De Grace Line

Leaves Port Deposit week days, except Wednesday at 7:00 A. M. Returns at 10:30 A. M. Leaves Baltimore at 10:30 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.

OBESTER RIVER LINE.

IN EFFECT JUNE 27, 1908, from Baltimore. Steamer will leave Pier 7 Light St. Wharf daily, except Sunday, at 2:30 P. M.

ROCK HALL

Returning Steamer will leave (weather permitting) daily, except Sunday, Jackson's Creek, 7 A. M. Rock Hall, 9:30 A. M., arriving in Baltimore, 11 A. M.

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New Policies transferable upon approval of the Secretary.

The saving to insureds in this company for the past six years has been from 30 to 40 per cent.

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A Large Line of Wall Paper.

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I have newly stock'd our yard and guarantee to deliver the public both in quality and price and every day. Also, THREE GOOD COWS. I am selling because I am overstocked.

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BEST COMPANIES—LOWEST CURRENT RATES.

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European, \$1.00 per day and up. American, \$2.50 per day and up.

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If your blood is impure, thin, diseased, hot or full of humors, if you have blood poisoning, cancer, carbuncles, eczema, scabies, eruptions, itching, rashes and bumps, scabby, pimply skin, bone pains, catarrhs, rheumatism, or any blood or skin disease, take BLOOD BATH (B. B.). It cures all such humors, purifies and builds up the blood, and the blood is made pure and rich. Druggists or by express \$1.00 per large bottle. Sample free by writing Blood Bath Co., Atlanta, Ga. B. B. is especially adapted for chronic, deep seated cases, as it cures what all else fails to.

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Entire new line of Light and Dark Percalines, Gingham, Calicoes, Galetta, etc. India Linens from 9c to 25c yd. Persian Lawns 15c to 25c yd.

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A high-grade TALKING MACHINE FREE with every purchase amounting to \$50. Ask for coupons.

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I have made heavy preparations for harvest, as it is over, I will sacrifice all I have left including a

Large Lot of Furniture

I need room worse than these goods as the threshing season is fast approaching, and I must be ready for it. Come soon I'll save you money.

Unbleached Muslin yard wide 7c now at 8c. Cotton Towels 5c now at 6c. Mosquito Netting 2 yds wide, 5c now at 6c.

On Furniture I Can Beat the Man that Made Them

Bed Room Suits \$15.00, now go at \$10.99. Four Bookers \$1.75, now go at 1.25. Cane Seat Chairs a set for \$6.00, now 4.49.

A Tremendous Drop on Dishes

One Set Cups and Saucers with handles 40c, now 29c. Plates to match, 40c, now 29c. Pink Cups, 10c, now 7c.

I am still leader in low Prices on Groceries

Loose Coffee 12 1/2, now 7 1/2c. Fine Soap 5c, now 3 1/2c. Yeast Powder 3c, now 2 1/2c.

Now is the time for Preserving

Kettles, 4-quart preserving, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16 quarts. Wm. M. Powell's Porto Rico Molasses, gal., now 35c. 1 Gallon Coal Oil, 10c.

ABE COHEN, Sandy Bottom

You can see I have SPECIAL DAYS every day. My prices talk. Nuff said. Every person bringing this advertisement will receive a beautiful souvenir.

IF YOU WANT A First-Class Vehicle

Go to Sam Hicks, the Vehicle Man CHESTERTOWN, MD.

JOHN JOHNSON OF MINNESOTA

Little sisters died, and John Johnson was in debt to the undertaker. The studied hard while working in the drug store. The little public library was in the same block. He read many books from the library, being chiefly interested in history. Meanwhile he studied pharmacy, too, and eventually he became a registered pharmacist.

Real Journalist With a Real Job.

After nine years in the drug store John Johnson became a journalist. In the cities a journalist is sometimes described as a newspaper man out of a job. In St. Peter John Johnson was a real journalist with a real job, paying for a half interest in the Herald, for which friends who believed in him had put up the money. Johnson had paid off the undertaker. He had bought in the two room family homestead, which was about to be sold for taxes, and he had added other rooms and improvements.

So this was the story discovered by the St. Paul reporter. It was so magnificently true that American Minnesota arose gloriously to the occasion. President Roosevelt carried the always Republican state of Minnesota by a majority of 161,462—a hundred thousand above the normal majority. But, how! John Albert Johnson, Democrat, was elected governor by a majority of 7,800—not a very large majority that, and yet he turned 84,400 votes to get it.

The governor's secretary had his desk at St. Peter, probably saying to Henry Essler: "I'll be back in two years. Try to keep the subscribers in line, and don't let the ads get away from you. Keep the job going."

Then he went to work at his new job in St. Paul, his office being in Minnesota's fine new state capital building. But, how! John Albert Johnson, Democrat, was elected governor by a majority of 7,800—not a very large majority that, and yet he turned 84,400 votes to get it.

He made good. Johnson's life and mental backbone to make him Johnny-on-the-spot with his new job. He had had no experience as an editor when he took hold of the St. Peter Herald, but he made good. He is good also as governor of Minnesota. Do you want proof? Then read the election returns of 1906. Normally the Republican candidate should have won about 70,000 majority. As a matter of fact, Johnson won by 72,000 majority. Somebody asked him how he did it.

"I only tried to make good," replied Johnson. No boomerang was thrown in the second campaign. If Johnson had not made good in his two years' term as governor he would have been sent back to the St. Peter Herald office. As it is, he now stands in the glare of the presidential limelight. The washerman's circular promulgated by the unidentified asylum inmate made him governor, but as governor he made good himself. Those years of struggle, of self-sacrifice, of mother love and Wrenthly devotion to St. Peter gave him the stamina to make good. When some one asked him what he considered the most important result of his administration as governor he replied: "Law enforcement. We have brought about conditions by which the state officers obey the law themselves and enforce it."

But Governor Johnson did not stop at enforcement of the laws on the statute books. By his influence he brought about the enactment of new laws to meet conditions. One thing he did was to have the legislature give him a board of tax equalizers. Johnson appointed three of the best men in the state. Under the law this board had only advisory powers. The governor used his discretion. The state trust has immense mines in northern Minnesota. These mines were taxed on a valuation of \$38,000,000 when Johnson took office. Now they are taxed on a valuation of \$19,000,000, and the poor taxpayer feels better. The electric railways uniting St. Paul and Minneapolis are paying twice as much taxes as they paid before the advent of Johnson. Tax dodgers have been winning since Johnson became governor.

Strike Settled Without Riots.

The Way Governor Johnson settled a strike last summer shows his power as a conservative official. The miners in the Mesabi range went out, and there was imminent peril of violence. Instead of sending his state militia to the scene Governor Johnson himself went alone. He talked with the strike leaders and with the employers. He visited the strikers and heard their grievances. He gave them good advice. If they remained orderly, he said, no troops would be sent, but if they became violent he would be forced to quell their violence with soldiers. The strike was settled without riots.

Some persons take pleasure in comparing John Johnson with Abraham Lincoln. This is due to the fact that both men had immediate ancestors of the kind that, as a rule, do not produce society swells. Johnson seems to have much of the homely honesty of Lincoln and more dignity than "Honest Abe." Whatever he may turn out to be in the future, we must go back to the original thesis and assert that if Johnson had been a candidate for head clerk of Fifth avenue's Fourth Street or for chief chimpanzee of the Newport set that lunatic's circular would have defeated him. But he was running merely for the governorship of the plain, common, sensible, intelligent people of an American commonwealth.

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WHEN BATHS WERE RARE.

The Time When a Dandy Washed His Face Nearly Every Day. It will come as a shock to some readers to learn that one of the most serious occupations of a fifteenth century wife was to protect her husband from fleas!

Taking into consideration, however, the horror with which the people of those days regarded cold water and clean clothes, it is not surprising to learn that the question of exterminating these insects made life a burden. Cleanliness was not only looked upon as a dangerous custom, but a positive sin. The soul alone was regarded as of any importance, so that the neglect of the body became so much a virtue that a bath was only allowed in cases of illness. At any rate, water had no place in the toilet of the grand monarch. His valet after pouring a flask of perfume over his master's face, took the hands of his majesty passed a comb through his hair, thus completing his toilet for the day.

In the seventeenth century, however, cleanliness was carried to such an excess that an English dandy was expected to wash his face "nearly every day." So rapidly did the custom spread that it was necessary to issue a solemn warning that the practice of using water for this purpose "injures the eyesight, engenders toothache and catarrh, renders the complexion colorless and makes the skin susceptible to cold in the winter and heat in the summer."

Washing seems to have been more popular in the eighteenth century in France than in England, this in spite of the fact that water was forbidden in the former country.

A lost art, according to M. Franklin in "La Civilté du XIII. au XIX. Siècle," is that of blowing one's nose. Today it is a more or less perfidious necessity, but in the seventeenth century it was an accomplishment. One person limited the blast of a trumpet, another the swearing of a cat. Possibly snuff taking, which was the fashionable habit of that day, had something to do with its accomplishment, perfection in which consisted in making "neither too much nor too little noise."

Another noteworthy fact on the etiquette of those days is that nobody ever knocked at the door. The correct thing was to scratch softly with the nail of the finger, which the dandies of the day kept extremely long. Etiquette was so right, in fact, that it is said that the Duchesse de Montpensier spent a quarter of her life in mental torture as to whether different individuals admitted to her presence were entitled to sit on chairs with backs or only on stools.

A Tart Answer. A young and newly married couple were entertaining their friends, and among the guests was one whose conduct was extremely objectionable to the rest of the company. His conduct, although most unbearable, was put up with for some time until at last he held up on his fork a piece of meat which had been served to him, and in a vein of intended humor he looked round and remarked: "Is this pig?"

This immediately drew forth the remark from a quiet looking individual sitting at the other end of the table: "Which end of the fork do you refer to?"—London Graphic.

The Deacon and the Prayer. "I didn't like your prayer very much this morning," said a faint finding deacon to his minister.

"What was wrong with it?" "Well, in the first place it was too long, and then I thought it contained two or three expressions that were unwarranted."

"I am very sorry it meets with your disapproval, deacon," the good man responded, "but you must bear in mind that the prayer was not addressed to you."

Fairies. The masses of Greeks and Romans and the rank and file of people throughout the middle ages thoroughly believed in fairies, gnomes, etc. The child has no doubt about the existence of Santa Claus, Jack Frost and a lot of other strange personages, and when the mind of the race was in its childhood state men were prepared to be as foolish in their beliefs as the little children are in all ages.—New York American.

Didn't Bother Him. Railway Director—We have divided up the work so that each of the directors has a fair share to do. Higgins is secretary, I am treasurer, and Spriggs is—Griggs—Why, Spriggs is so deaf that he can't hear thunder. What does he do? Railway director—Oh, he listens to all the complaints.—London Mail.

A Triumph of Science. "I have been taking some moving pictures of life on your farm."

"Did you catch the hired man in motion?" "I think so."

"Ah, science kin do anything these days!"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Popular Act. Mr. Grampus—Here, dear, is \$10, and it has bothered me a little to get it for you. I think I deserve a little applause. Mrs. G.—Applause? You deserve an encore, my dear.—Pathfinder.

"Pa, what's a cult?" "A craze in its infancy."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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