Going Out of Business.....

The Largest and Most Widely Known Clothing Establishment in Kent or Queen Anne's Counties,

A. FRIEDMAN & CO.

have suddenly determined to discontinue business. Due to other business arrangements this very unexpected change is effected, but not until all of our orders were placed for a complete line of Spring and Summer Clothing for

Men, Youth's, Boys and Children.

Our store is already jammed full of them, made especially for our trade, and still there is a few more orders to arrive that were bought for future delivery, thus affording the trade a wide selection and presenting an opportunity to obtain goods at less than wholesale price. This sale is peremptory, and the

Entire Stock

must be sold. We fully appreciate the patronage extended us, and this being our last season in the business we offer you now this opportunity as a return of our sincere thanks. Our long experience in the Clothing Business gives us a great advantage in buying. Our prices have always been the very lowest. Now with an additional saving of about Twenty-five per cent. your dollars will reach far further than you will anticipate.

Our cut-sale commences to-day, but we have not had time to get out prices in time to quote to you, but watch our space in this paper from now on. Again thanking you for past patronage, we are

Very Respectfully,

A. Friedman & Co. Opposite Stam's Hall.

FAIRLEE NOTES.

Mr. Wright Calder drove into the village and when near Mr. Price's store his horse became unmanageable, fell down and created quite an excitement.

The road through our town leading west to Tolchester has been put in thorough repair by Mr. Geo. W. Bramble. During the heavy rains it was washed very badly.

The Fairlee Heptasophs met last Monday evening. A good many were in attendance and an interesting meeting held with one applicant for membership.

Messrs. Lewis and Barnes will start butchering at Betterton in a few days, thus widening their field of labor.

Salem Sunday school is arranging for Children's Day services, and for this purpose Supt. J. C. Staats called a meeting yesterday, Friday, eve.

Lilac blossoms have disappeared and in their place we have the beautiful peony and snow ball.

Our machine men, Messrs. William E. Keyser, T. H. M. Bramble and Walter F. Sparks are about in readiness for threshing the coming wheat crop.

Mrs. Lizzie Clark is spending a while with Mrs. L. J. Keyser.

The Fairlee Heptasophs will hold a strawberry and ice cream banquet in a few days.

Mr. J. C. Staats and son, Wilbert, were guests of relatives and friends in Middletown, Del., the past week.

The Jr. Order of Mechanics is in a flourishing condition and weekly their numbers swell. Wednesday is their meeting night.

The baseball game between the Forest school and Fairlee nines resulted in a victory for the Fairlee boys.

Mr. S. C. Lecompt has been suffering for a week or so with a gathering on the wrist.

Some new studies we suggest to be taught in our public school, viz.: Instrumental music, parliamentary usages, habits of good society and patriotism.

Mr. H. P. Jones received from the North a lot of maple sugar and it is most excellent being nicely flavored.

WEST END.

Melitota Items.

House-cleaning seems to be the order of the day; it being no uncommon sight to see doors open, windows out, the house-wife plying her white wash brush.

Mrs. Fowler and daughter, Sophie, of Baltimore have been the guests of Miss Ida Beck.

Prof. Ramage has been in our midst the past week. He has been stopping with Mr. J. W. Corey.

Miss Maud Hasson spent Saturday and Sunday with the Misses Nickerson at Maple Terrace, Morgnec.

Mrs. Samuel Loller may well be considered a successful poultry raiser, as she now has over 400 chickens and over 70 goslins, besides a great many turkeys and ducks.

Little Miss Blanche Lewis, who has been sick with chills the last few days, is very much improved.

Our monthly L. T. L. program will be rendered at the school next Friday afternoon. All are cordially invited.

EAST END.

STILL POND MATTERS.

Mrs. E. H. Nelson has returned home.

The graphophone entertainment last Monday evening, in the school building, was enjoyable and fairly successful. The instrument was exhibited by Mr. Comegys, of Millington.

Our Sunday school is rehearsing Children's Day exercises.

Tomorrow, Veteran's Anniversary will be celebrated in our M. E. Church, and a special effort will be made in behalf of the conference claimants.

Next Tuesday evening Dr. J. Benson Hamilton, of New York, will lecture in Still Pond church. This is a rare chance and the spacious audience room should be crowded.

Next Thursday evening an entertainment will be held at the home of Mrs. Angie Rasin, for the benefit of Still Pond church. A splendid program is being prepared, and a rare treat is in store for all who are fortunate enough to attend.

Last Saturday the Still Pond 3rd nine went to Kennedyville and vanquished their sturdy rivals of the bat and mask by the creditable score of 20 to 18.

The sick ones of Mr. Ford's family are all improving. Several have returned to their homes. All are able to be up.

CHESTERVILLE ITEMS.

Mr. Willard England has made great improvements about his place by topping the trees in his lawn early in the spring and they are now budding out.

In one of our recent letters we spoke of Mr. Alday Clements laying the hedge along the road where Mr. Davis lives. He has put four strings of wire along the hedge which in time will make a fine hedge. The neighbor across the road should do likewise or he may be left behind, as both of his road neighbors have fine fences along the road.

Mr. J. Wesley Jarman has built an asparagus and dairy house combined.

The new mail route changes hands the first of July. It will be from here to Millington and Mr. Elmer Johnson the contractor.

We are sorry to learn of the trouble at Hibernia school as all the parties connected with it are from the best families in the county. Mr. Pearson has lived among us for more than thirty years and his son grew up as one of our boys, always conducting himself in a gentlemanly manner. Miss Loller comes from Queen Anne's and is the accomplished daughter of Daniel Loller, Crumpton, and has made herself quite popular since she has been with us. We think the trouble was uncalled for and a disgrace to the community and county.

Miss Bessie Cooper has returned after a delightful visit to friends in Wilmington, Del.

Master James Willis, of Chesapeake City, is visiting his cousin, Geo. Jones.

Mr. John Howell and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. Thos. Hurlock.

Mr. Enoch King and Mrs. Rosie King were quietly married Sunday night in Millington by Rev. Mr. Smoot, and were serenaded on Wednesday night by the small boys.

SOUTH SIDE.

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With Brains Back of it!

—OUR BARGAINS IN—

Men's Clothing

will surprise you, we are displaying a NEW LINE of MEN'S SUITS, every one this SEASON'S LATEST PRODUCTION, in the most FASHIONABLE Weaves and made by the Best Tailors. Suits from the Lowest to the Highest, for LESS THAN HALF PRICE.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!
GOOD! BETTER! BEST!

FOR LESS THAN HALF PRICE.

☞Come and Examine Our Goods and hear the Prices, not necessary to send out a bill-ringer to get enough sensible men in this community to take away the Latest Styles in MEN'S SUITS, SHOES and HATS for less than Half Price. This is an age of reason. Give us a trial.

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The Business Centre of Chestertown.

Wheat Outlook. — The Wall Street Reporter of Saturday says: Winter wheat is just about holding its own, with the prospect of harvest about 14 days later than usual. Even in the districts where the wheat was not killed the crop has made only fairly good growth. There is a good deal of talk about bugs in wheat, but I have not run across them yet. Winter wheat millers everywhere complain of very dull trade, and the majority of the large mills have shut down for want of wheat.

Spring wheat is being used as flour and to grind very largely now in the winter wheat districts. As soon as the new winter crop comes on the market there will be a great demand for it, and it will be picked up by the millers almost as soon as it comes from the threshing machine.

LEVY COURT, May 18 — Full board present. The following accounts were examined and passed: For road work J. A. Stauffer, $49.75; Wm. Biggers, $34.77; W. S. Walker, $33.70; L. A. Pennington, $44.66; Wm. P. Garey, $20.76; Thos. Willis, 25.40; John M. Kinsey, $4.50; Marion Coleman, $52.82; Jas. W. Walls, $58.55; F. M. Miller, for plumbing at the jail and court-house, $6.96; Beck, Walker and Brown, phosphate for almshouse, $3.72; Chapman & Lambert, blacksmith work, $26.52; Capt. John E. Vickers, freight, $4.50; Henry Parr, for sewer pipe, $119.07: Adam Startt, expenses to Pennsylvania to identify Schofield, $9; Wm. P. Garey, court fees, $3.80. Pensions, Lorenza Turner, $15; Frank Barnes, $15; W. F. Davis, $25; Amanda Kirkley, $15.

Bread and Butter.

Yes Bread and Butter With Sugar Sprinkled On It, Almost FREE This Week!

GRANULATED SUGAR . . 4½c.
(for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Remember, for these five days only.)

ENTERPRISE COFFEE, any time next week 11c. Watch out for it to go up.

CREAMERY BUTTER . 18c. lb., 2 for 35c.
VIENNA BREAD and ROLLS . . 5c.
LARD . 5c. lb. RICE . 5c. lb.

How Does This Strike You?

Milk Shakes, Ginger Ale, Sarsaparilla, Lemonade, or any other soft drink, 5c., and with each and every drink we give a good LUNCH FREE.

ICE-CREAM SYRUP . . 25c. gal.
VIENNA MIXED CAKES . . 5c. lb.
6 CUPS and 6 SAUCERS . 29c. for 12 pieces.
1 Dozen LEMONS . . . 10c.
7 BOTTLES YEAST POWDER . 25c.
Ladies, the Largest Size Agate DISH PAN 49c.

THINK OF THIS: A Fine Tin Bucket, filled with CREAM SYRUP 10c.

Ask yourself how we do this. A good, 2-string Broom and a Cake of TOILET SOAP, all for 10c.

Bargains Never Cease!

Baseballs and Bats 5c. each; Ball Gloves 10c.; Barlow Penknives 5c.; Fine Scissors, worth 50c., for 25c. These are Rare Bargains. Westemholm Razors 68c., and 4 Blade Penknives 25c. A True Foot Rule 8c. True Blue Yeast Powder 7 Bottles for 25c., 4c. Bottle. 11 Bars Olene Soap for 25c., Soap that we believe better than any Soap out, 7 Bars for 25c. One Quarter Ream Writing Paper, "Blue Label," worth 35c., at Smith's for 15c. This paper is about equal to linen paper. Four Dozen more just arrived. What? Those 2-hoop Pails at 10c. An endless amount of such Bargains at our 205 foot store.

Three Pound Can Apple Butter - 10c.

GOODS MARKED DOWN:

Cod Fish, 5 cents cake; Cod Fish, 5 cents box; California Prunes, finest, 5 cents pound; Hot Peanuts, 5 cents quart; Tumblers, 2 for 5 cents; Table Goblets, 4 cents each, 1 dozen for 39 cents; 2 Coffee or Tea Strainers for 5 cents; Not the Kent County Savings Bank for 10 cents, but the Smith's Savings Bank for 10 cents. Give one to each of your children and let them start a bank of their own. Still selling Toilet Soap at 2 cakes for 5 cents. Purchasers of our 10 cent Writing Paper say they can't understand how we do it. 8 Ball Croquet Set for $1.00, and 6 Ball Set for 75 cents. Lima and White Beans 5 cents quart. Can Corn and Tomatoes yet only 5 cents a can. Enterprise Coffee 11 cents pound. 3 Boxes Carpet Tacks for 5 cents. 1 Paper Pins 1 cent, 1 Spool Cotton 1c.

CHIPPED BEEF, Any Style You Want It 20 cts. lb.

Battle Axe Tobacco at SMITH'S, per lb. 20c.
Principe Cigars still go, per box . 50c.
Hygenic Pipes, were 50c. marked down to 25c.
3 Cakes Cosmo Pure Buttermilk Soap for 23c.

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