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Clothing & Furnishings

WE are going out of BUSINESS, and are giving our customers the benefit of the LOW PRICES which prevail with us. Our Closing Out Sales have had very gratifying results, and now we will be with you but about SIXTY MORE DAYS, during which time we will make a still greater effort to dispose of our remaining Stock of

MEN'S, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S

CLOTHING and GENTS FURNISHINGS. We propose to offer our stock at such LOW FIGURES as to induce one to buy whether in need or not. It must and will be sold and you may never have such an opportunity again. "OUR LOSS, YOUR GAIN."

Look! Look!

Men's Suits that were sold from $6.75 and $8.59 have been bunched together and will be sold at one distinct line at

$5.00

Men's Suits that were sold all the way up to $9.50 will now be sold at

$6.87

Men's Suits that were sold all the way up to $11.50 will be put in one line and sold for

$8.00

Come early while you may have the choice of the better values in these Lines.

REMEMBER

Boys' Suits, Men's Single Pants, Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves,

and everything is to be sold in a similar way. Thanking you for your liberal dealings and trusting we may see you many times within the next sixty days, We are, Yours for Bargains,

Directly Opposite Stam's Hall.

A. Friedman & Co.

The Reliable Clothiers.

NOTICE—All persons indebted to us will kindly settle their accounts by August 15th. We have at private sale one SQUARE PIANO in excellent condition. One LATROBE DOUBLE HEATER, also one large GILT FRAME MIRROR, size 52x72 inches,

KENT WAS THERE!

The Junior Order from Still Pond, Galena and Elsewhere Meet at Tolchester on Tuesday.

Tolchester was the scene Tuesday of the fifth annual excursion of the South-west Baltimore Improvement Association, the first annual excursion of Company F, American Guards, Junior Order United American Mechanics, and virtue Council, No. 24, Daughters of America, and the first annual outing of four councils of the Junior Order from Cecil and Kent counties. The first three orders went down from Baltimore on the steamer Louise, and those from the counties on the Eastern Shore, comprising about two hundred persons, came from Betterton, Georgetown and Fredericktown on the steamer Sassafras.

The latter party, which was under the charge of State Consul James Smith, was composed of the Galena Council, Galena, Kent county; Millington Council, Millington, Kent county; Harmony Council, Cecilton, Cecil county, and Still Pond Council, Still Pond, Kent county. The party was led by the Millington Brass Band. The American Guards, were led by the Monumental Fife and Drum Corps, composed entirely of boys, under the leadership of Prof. W. H. Ganzhorn.

During the earlier part of the day the weather was threatening, but about 3 o'clock the clouds broke, and the day was an ideal one for picnic purposes.

The members and friends of the South-west Baltimore Improvement Association took their baskets along, and spent the day in true old picnic style. Dancing, boating, fishing and bathing were enjoyed. Supper was served in the evening at the hotel on the grounds, and on the return trip the man in the moon looked down on many a group of gay and happy singers enjoying the cool and refreshing breezes of Maryland's pride—the Chesapeake Bay.

While the progressive sons of South-west Baltimore were thus passing the fleeting hours, the American Guards were having a no less enjoyable time. A military drill was given by the company before a large and appreciative audience, which was followed by a baseball game between members of the guards and the Monumental Drum Corps, none of whose members is over thirteen years of age, in which the lads took their over-confident opponents into camp to the tune of 21 to 0. The game lasted five innings, as by that time the men had become so disgusted that they said they would stop, "so as not to beat the kids too badly." The victory in a large measure was due to the pitching of Master Emil Batzer, although all of the boys played in championship form. No record of the positions in the teams could be secured, as the guards changed men so often that the men really forgot where they were playing. At times, in their efforts to retrieve their lost honors, the guards played from eleven to twelve men.

The day was somewhat marred by a serious accident that came very near proving fatal. John R. Benson, one of the guards, just after the baseball game, was thrown from one of the horses on the race-track, and remained unconscious for over a half hour, in spite of unceasing efforts to revive him. When the boat landed in Baltimore he had nearly recovered from all serious effects of his accident, although still suffering from the shock. He says that while he was going at a swift gallop the saddle slipped under the horse, precipitating him from his seat. He struck on his head and was unable to rise. As he fell his feet slipped from the stirrups.

The people from the Eastern Shore fully enjoyed "the sights." They left about five o'clock on the Sassafras, and the pleasure ground seemed quite deserted for a time after the life which they had infused therein.

Traction Engines Should be Attended.—At this season of the year one of the most familiar objects met with on the public road is a moving traction engine. These monster iron horses are continually traveling from farm to farm, hauling behind them a train of machinery and wagons. The presence of traction engines on the road requires the observance of the most careful precautions in order to prevent mishaps by reason of affrighted horses. In order to insure the safety of the traveling public the law has enacted some special provisions which our legal officials should see are strictly enforced. More than once have we noticed traction engines both in town and in the country which were never attended according to the requirements of the law. This is neglect on the part of the operators of the engine, and it is negligence on the part of the officers to prevent it. Better be too strict in the enforcement of a law and thereby preserve the public safety, than be lax and thereby jeopardize life and limb. One man was killed and two severely wounded by the explosion of the boiler of a steam threshing machine in Somerset county.

WAGNER GREEN HOUSE.
WEST PRATT ST., BALTIMORE, MD.
J. & B. L. WAGNER, PROPRIETORS.

This Restaurant is the oldest and most extensive in its accommodations of any in the city. The crowds which lunch and dine daily at his restaurant attest the public approbation of its management. a25-tf.

STILL POND NEWS.

Miss Mary Taylor, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Wm. D. Pennington.

Miss Loto Smith, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Minnie Taylor, of Still Pond Neck.

Miss Mary Harper, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting Miss Emma Davis.

Miss Nellie Krusen has returned home after a delightful visit in Delaware and elsewhere.

Mr. L. Harris Crewe has resigned as organist at Still Pond M. E. Church.

Miss Anna Franklin, of Baltimore, has returned home after a visit of ten days to her cousin, Miss Pauline Nelson.

Mr. Arthur L. Harris made a flying trip to Philadelphia and Baltimore last week.

Mr. John Schofield has been visiting friends in Cecil county.

Miss Grace Severson, of Betterton, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Severson, of this place,

We understand that a number of our young folks are to take a trip to Bay Ridge sometime during the present week.

Miss Mary Baynard, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. W. Harper, has returned to her home in Balto.

Melitota Items.

Our citizens welcomed the refreshing rain of Monday last, it being the first of any amount for about three weeks.

Mr. Frank Plummer, living on the Bell farm, had his horse and carriage taken by unknown parties Saturday night. The horse was taken from the stable, carriage from the carriage-house and harness from a shed adjoining the kitchen. One of the hired men was asleep on the porch at the time, but says he heard nothing of the kind going on. The horse was caught Sunday morning coming from the direction of Hanesville. There was a pipe, some tobacco and several bottles of "ambrosia" in the carriage when found.

Mrs. Hurlock and two grand-sons, Julian and Howard Bird, of New York, are summering with Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Lee.

Mr. Will Copper, of Baltimore, and Miss Ida Beck, of this place, are visiting their uncle, Mr. Chas. Copper, near town.

A fine field of corn is that of Mr. Harry Rash's. The result of spreading lime early in the spring, together with careful attention, we imagine.

Large Land Sale. — Probably the largest sale of real estate that ever occurred in Queen Anne's county was held Tuesday, when Mr. W. W. Busteed, as trustee, sold the county property of Mr. John B. Brown. There were seventeen lots, and the sales aggregated over $46,000 for about 2,100 acres, including some of the finest farming lands and most desirable homes in Queen Anne's county. A few years ago the property would have sold for at least double the amount. It was anticipated that the superior quality of this property and the present depreciated value of farm lands would attract buyers from other sections, but with the exception of Mr. Dixon the purchasers were residents of Queen Anne's county. Frank Seward and Sidney Jump were the auctioneers. The following were the principal sales:

The Bryan farm of 404 acres to Robert B. Dixon, at $28.50 per acre.
The Burns farm of 240 acres to W. H. Newman, at $25 per acre.
The Dorsey Wright farm of 219 acres to Wm. J. Price, at $27 per acre.
The Meredith farm of 210 acres to Chas. M. West, at $20.25 per acre
The Ellersley farm of 218 acres to Josiah Rhodes, at $26.50 per acre.
One-half interest in the Murray farm of 160 acres, withdrawn at a nominal bid.
The Atwell farm of 228 acres to Spencer Merrick, at $21 per acre
The Hall farm of 215 acres to Daniel Tilghman, at $16.80 per acre.

Naval Militia Cruise.—Commander Emerson, of the Maryland Naval Battalion, anounced Tuesday that Friday, July 23, would be "Governer's Day" of the battalion cruise at Tolchester. It is expected that Mr. Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, will be present. The party, in which will be Adjutant General Wilmer and other officers of the brigade will come to Baltimore on Thursday evening and be taken to Tolchester on Commander Emerson's yacht, the Nydia. One of the features of Friday will be a sham battle, in which seamen from the warship Cincinnati will probably take part. The day will end with a battalion drill and parade on the beach and the presentation of some medals by Governor Lowndes.

Commander Emerson is hard at work on the details of the cruise. It will be a volunteer cruise this year, the members serving without pay. It is expected that about two hundred will make the trip, including nearly all the old officers and some new ones. Capt. E. M. Sheppard will be in command of the Cincinnati, which will arrive at Tolchester next Saturday.

The seamen-soldiers hope to have a boat race at the beach during the outing.

MILLINGTON COUNCIL JR. O. U. A. M., has installed officers for the ensuing term, as follows: Jr. P. C., B. F. Vansant; C., Dr. J. C. Hackett; V. C. Wm. E. Stevens; Rec. Sec'y, F. S. Bottomly; Ass't Rec. Sec'y, A. E. Tonkin; F. Sec'y, B. F. Nickerson; Treas., J. L. Smith; Warden, Wm. Hickey; Con., T. E. Harris; Chap. M. O. Whittington; I. S., George Dixon; O. S., E. A. Wilson; Trustees, C. M. Hurtt, Dr. J. C. Hackett, J. T. Nickerson. This council has a membership of 26.

SPECIAL BARGAINS!

20 Lbs. Granulated Sugar 1 Bar Olene Soap, 1 Box Lye, all for **$1.00**

Slaughter Sale, No Limit, All Next Week.

Enterprise Coffee	10 cents pound
Nutmegs this week	5 cents ounce
$2.25 Accordeons, a snap never before offered	$1.25
Olene Soap Monday and Thursday next, 7 Bars for	25 cents

ANY DAY THIS WEEK:

20 lbs. Granulated Sugar, Box Rolled Oats, 1 Tea or Coffee Strainer	$1.00
Enterprise Coffee, all you want	10 cents pound
How is this? Wade & Butcher's RAZORS mark down from	$1.25 to 69c
Cups and Saucers	5 cents each
Half Gallon Agate Coffee Pot	29 cents
Half Gallon Agate Water Pitcher	49 cents
Tea and Coffee Strainers, 2 for	5 cents
Agate Dish Pans or Bath Tubs	49 cents

These are Jumbo Bargains.

ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER — 20 cents pound

Half Price List:

Apple Butter was 5, now	3c	Currant Jelly, was 5, now	3c
Croquet Sets, was 75, now	50c	Evaporated Apples, was 8, now	5c
Baseball Bats, was 45, now	22c	Sun Dried Apples, was 5, now	3c
Baseball Bats, was 5, now	4c	Mackerel, was 5, now 3 for	5c
Mackerel, was 10, now	5c	Lard, was 10, now	7c
Lard, was 8, now	5c	Smoked Herring, was 2, now	1c
Tacks, all sizes, 2c paper, now	1c	Lamp Burner half price.	

GOING ON THE PICNIC.

Smith's got for lunch Potted Ham or Tongue, Chipped Beef, Souse Macherel, Sardines, Buns and Bread, Can Corn Beef, Baked Beans, Bologna Sausage and for dessert Fine Pound and Fruit Cake 15 cents pound. Don't Cook. It's too hot.

In One Pound Lots Only:

Chocolate Danties, this week	11 cents pound
Ginger Snaps	5 cents pound
Mason's Fine Mixed Cakes,	10c. Pound, 3 Pounds for 25 cents
Chocolate Cream Drops	10 cents pound
Mint Lozengers	10 cents pound

Only one pound to any one, no less or no more.

We Will Continue Our Broom Sale!

Two Brooms Worth Fifty Cents, You Get Them for 25 Cents.
Two String Broom, you get them 2 for 15 cents.

1 Foot Rule 1c at Smith's, and 9c buys you a 14 inch Bread Knife. 5c entitles you to 1 Cake Pure Castile Soap at Smith's. Vaseline 5c bottle. Here is a clincher, 5c for 1 Bottle Root Beer Extract at Smith's.

True Blue Yeast Powder.

Is a full value article, sold 25 per cent. less than any other Yeast Powder on the market for 5c, and is just as good as any other 5c Yeast Powder. Our price 4c bottle, 7 for 25c.

Ice-Cream Table Syrup.

Wm. Price, of Fairlee got another bbl. This is how it sells. It sells itself. Price, of Fairlee; Downey of Rock Hall; Shuster, up town, and Smith all sell it. 25 cents per gallon everywhere.

Not Sour, But Sweet.

Wienna Bread, Buns and Rolls. These are THE goods. They are naturally sweet from bake and will aid digestion. Eat sweet bread and live longer. Fresh daily for dinner.

We bought these crackers from Mason and we have the right to sell at what price we say, and we defy the makers to stop us. We proclaim it abroad, Mason's Soda Crackers in one pound Boxes, 5 cents.

Our 5 and 10 cent Boxes Writing Paper is beyond question the finest you ever saw. Come and see it.

Hot? Yes, 'tis hot, but Smith will keep you cool for 5c. Drink our old style Shaker Lemonade, or a bottle Iron Phosphate, or a Crushed Ice Ginger Ale.

SMITH, the Cash Buyer and Cash Seller invites you to call and see him. Yours, respectfully yours.

CHARLES S. SMITH,

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