A Remarkable Cow.—Mr. Edwin Waller, of near Salisbury, owns what is probably the most remarkable cow in that vicinity. She was raised from a calf by Mr. Waller's father ahd purchased by him at his fathet's vendue seven years ago, with a calf by her side, for $17. At that time she was 20 years old. Since then she has produced four other calves, two heifers and two bulls. The heifers Mr. Waller has raised for milch cows and the bulls he shipped, realizing from the sa'e of the two $12.84 and $15 27 respec'ively. The old cow is still and healthy.

Solving The Race Problem.

A colored doctor of Columbus, Ga., writes as follows to the Valdosta Times:

"A great deal has been said about solving the race problem. I think the easiest and quickest way to solve it is for the colored man to know his place and stay in it and direct himself to moral and industrial education in order to make loyal and useful citizens. The Southern white man is the negro's friend and is willing to help him when he deserves it. For instance, Mr. F. D. Peabody, born and reared in Columbus, Ga., has offered the colored men of this city a Y. M. C. A. building to cost $20,000, for the moral and religious elevation of the race. This alone shows that the while man south of the Mason and Dixon line sympathizes with the black man as well as the white man north of it.

"I have been asked my ideas about lynching. My reply was, if the crimes leading to lynching were stopped, there would be no cause for the evil. While I do not indorse lynching, I do say it is high time for the elements who commit the crimes that lead to it would resort to something that would be elevating and an honor to the race."

BLACK DIAMOND TUNNEL CO.

Many Delawareans Interested in a Company Just Organized.

Numerous Delawareans are interested in the Black Diamond Tunnel Company, which was recently chartered in Delaware. Among them are George Massey Jones, the well-Known Dover attorney, the Rev. Charles S Baker of Dover, the Rev. Wilbur E. Corkran, of Smyrna, the Rev. Louis P. Corkran of Milton and George E Megee of Harbeson. Maxwell Stevenson is president; George Massey Jones, vice-president and Henry M. Stevenson, secretary and treasurer.

The company has already sold 172,000 shares of the 200,000 shares of stock allotted for sale at 50 cents per share. when this is disposed of 50,000 shares will be sold at 75 cents per share and the last 50,000 shares at $1.00 per share after which the stock will be withdrawn from the market.

The company owns five claims adjoining the Highlander mine which has $1,200,000 of ore in sight. The tunnel to be built is now only 400 feet from the first vein of the Black Diamond Tunnel Company and the ore will be reached, it is expected ,in three months. There are 8700 feet of veins on the property of the company and in addition it can open 60,000 for other parties and receive a half interest for the work. The company has ample lumber and water power on its own property. The land is in the West Kootenay Mining Company district of British Columbia.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD REPORT.

The annual report of the Pennsylvania Railroad company to its stockholders, made public on Tuesday, is a document of large public interest. Its gross earnings for the year 1901 were $198 626,878, about one-eighth of the total gross earning of all the railroads in the United States; its operating expenses aggregated $133,713.386; its net earning were $893,923,411, an increase of] 10,175,414 over 1901. This is to say, the net earnings of this great railroad exceed by over $4,000,000 the total revenues of the United States Government in 1860—a fact that strikingly marks the prodigious progress of the nation in general and of its railroad interest in particular.

During the year 1901 the Pennsylvania expended no less than $17,361,351 for construction, equipment and improvement on its 8,000 miles of road, including its main line and branches operated in connection therewith—more than one-half the total payment for interest on our big national debt for the same year.

The pension roll of its employees now carries 1,105 and an increase of the annual appropriation of the fund for this purpose to $300,000 is asked for. In this as usual, the Pennsylvania is the pioneer railroad of the country, leading the way as it did in the introduction of the interlocking-switch and block signal system, the rock-blasted roadway, and and so many other reforms that increase the efficiency and safety of railroad travel.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

TRY A BOX OF "CORN KING." Sold at all drug stores. ☞Sure cure for Corns and Bunions.

HORSE Powders, Cattle Powders, Poultry Powder. Sal-Veget alone and so pronounced by the best horsemen to be superior to all others. For sale by WESTCOTT & DODD.

Chesterville Items.

Local and Personal. — The heavy rains and wind of last week did a great deal of damage in this neighborhood blowing down trees, washing out several bridges etc. The large bridge across the stream known as the Betsy Thomas branch was washed out causing a great inconvenience to travel in that vicinity, the stream being washed so bad it is almost impassable. Mr. J. J. Lockwood's road gate is also washed out.

The farmers have hired their hands and are at their Spring work whenever the weather will permit.

Mr. J. J Lockwood Jr., has cut down the hedge along his road, which makes a great improvement to his place.

Mr. Clarence Cochran returned Tuesday from a weeks visit with his brother in Washington D. C.

Miss Eyelyn Comegys, of Millington, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. John Comegys.

Mr. J. J. Lockwood Sr., is on a business trip to Somerset Co.

Mrs. John Wallis, the lady we mensioned of being so ill several weeks ago, has improved wonderfully, still she is quite sick yet. She has had the best of attention the doctors and neighbors could give her.

Mr. Wm. Lusby, and Mr. Dobson, are improving but not able to be out of doors.

Little Miss Helen Baxter has been quite sick since Sunday. Glad to say she is better, as is also Miss Lizzie Pennington.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

James T. Mullin & Sons.

Buy for Next Winter

The Suits we are selling at one-half price, $5, $6 and $7.50, will cost you double next winter, and you have over two months yet in which to wear them. If they had been regular lots and all sizes we never could have bought them to sell at such prices. All sizes among them, 32 to 44 Regulars, 36 to 46 in Stouts. About 40 Overcoats in same lot, all sizes, $4 to $10, worth $8 to $20. Men's sizes 25 per cent. off. One quarter off all regular Heavy Weight Suits and Overcoats. Fine Black Cheviots and Thibets among them that you can wear the year round. Spring goods crowding us for room.

Closed evenings at 6 except Saturdays

JAS. T. MULLIN & SONS.,
6th and Market, Wilmington,

BY THE DEPARTMENT

STATEMENT

Showing the condition of the

Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

of Kent County, Md., Dec. 31st, 1901.

INCOME:		
Total income during the year		$ 12,703 38
DISBURSEMENTS:		
Total expenditures during year		$ 11,729 60
ASSETS:		
Real estate owned by the company	$ 9,978 25	
Mortgage loans on real estate	19,600 00	
Loans secured by pledge of bonds, stocks or other collateral upon which more than one year's interest is due	2,400 00	
Bonds and stocks owned by company	33,585 00	
Cash in Office and in B'k	6,468 17	
Interest due and not paid	180 00	
Interest secured but not yet due	576 15	
Rents due	123 38	
Premium Notes held by company $195,844.31		
Assets admitted		$ 72.910 95
LIABILITIES:		
Net amount of unpaid losses in process of adjustm't or on which no action has been taken.	720 00	
Total amount of all Liabilities		$ 720 00
Surplus as regards policy Holders.		72,190 95
Surplus as regards Stockholders	$ 72,090 95	
Amount of Policies in force U.S.on Dec.31,01	2,157,750 00	
Amount of Polices written in Md. during the year 1901	218,122 00	
Premiums received on Md. business in 1901	8,910 15	
Losses paid in Md. during 1901	1,676 49	

STATE OF MARYLAND,
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BALTIMORE, MD., Jan. 27, 1902.

In compliance with the Code of Public General Laws, I hereby certify that the above is a true abstract from the statement of the MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Kent county, Md,, to December 31st, 1901, now on file in this department.

LLOYD WILKINSON,
March8-3t. Insurance Commissioner.

WALL PAPER BARGAINS

We have placed in the store of Wm. H. Waddell, Up Town, a NEW LINE OF WALL PAPER which we are selling from 3 cents the Roll up. Remember it is not old paper that has faded from being in stock five or six years. We want to do your papering this spring and it will pay you to see our paper and get prices before placing your order. A postal will bring us to your home with our samples.

WALTER W. NEEDLES.
With Wm. H. Waddell, Up-Town.

THE KENT
Building AND Loan Company

MEETS EVERY MONDAY NIGHT AT THE COURT HOUSE.

Money to Loan! Money to Loan!

Borrowers share in the profits and are not required to pay attorney's fees.
Installment Shares, par value $100.
Dues 25 cents a week.

For further information apply to
WILLIAM F. RUSSELL, PRESIDENT.
JEFFERSON L. SMYTH, SECRETARY AND TREASURER

Chestertown Hardware House!

LARGEST STOCK!
LOWEST PRICES!

Hardware and Tools
Cook Stoves and Ranges
Heaters, Oil and
Gasoline Stoves
Tinware, Agateware
Woodenware and
Housefurnishing Goods
Galvanized Roofing,
Barb Wire and
Cucumber Wood Pumps

J.K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

A Clean Sweep!

We mean by this that our entire WINTER STOCK now remaining, we are offering at a sacrifice.

Our stock of UNDERWEAR will be sold at prices to suit you, regardless of what former prices were.

RUGS and BLANKETS we have very much lower.

CHAMBER SETS, DINNER SETS, TEA SETS, LAMPS of every style, all lower than ever.

Our remaining stock of JARDINEERS will be sold at low prices and at no other place can such an assortment be found.

Ladies, we think this is your time to be looking around at our immense stock of spring goods all new and now in stock consisting of CHAMBRAYS, finest PERCALES, SILKS, fine PRINT CLOTHS all of which we bought at the lowest prices in advance, on account now of the advancing prices which we claim will be a great saving to every customer.

☞REMEMBER we are paying more for Eggs and Poultry than others pay you.

WESTCOTT & DODD,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

SAMPLES OF NELATON'S REMEDY FOR RHEUMATISM

WILL BE SENT TO YOU ON RECEIPT OF YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS. THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE TESTIFY TO BEING CURED OF RHEUMATISM AND OTHER ILLS DUE TO RHEUMATIM. IT WILL CURE YOU.

For sale by
M. A. TOULSON, Druggist.

New Year's Greeting

Our business for the old year having exceeded all previous years, and our holiday trade having far surpassed our fondest expectations, we desire to express our deepest gratification to our many customers We close the Old Year with satisfaction, and enter upon the duties of the

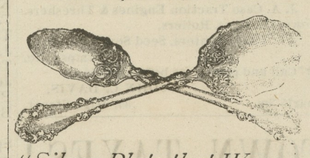
GLAD NEW YEAR!

with a determination to faithfully serve our patrons, and to lend an attentive ear to their slightest wishes.

Having replenished our depleted holiday stock with a large variety of GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FRUITS, CANDIES, MEATS, TOBACCO ETC., We are now ready to serve our patrons, old and new, trusting you will call and examine our display, we are

Respectfully yours for business,
McINTYRE & HODGKINS,
Opposite Park.

A. LEVINE
(Next Door to Savings Bank.)
Watches, Diamonds, Jewelery, Clocks, Silverware, and Optical Goods.



"Silver Plate that Wears

Made in artistic and original patterns only. Your silverware will be correct in every way if it is

"1847 Rogers Bros."

We have a special line of Men's and Ladi s extra quality DIAMOND RINGS. All goods mentioned above can be gotten in solid gold, Gold Filled, Rolled Plated and Sterling Silver at honest prices for your honest money.
Engraving to purchasers free.
Professional Watchmaker and Scientific Optician.
A full line of solid gold-filled handle silk umbrellas for men and ladies at reasonable prices.

A. LEVINE,
Next Door to Savings Bank.

N.C.CROW

20 Years in Business on the Corner of High and Kent streets, Chestertown, Md., Dealer in

Domestic Dry Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Confectionery, Cigars and Tobacco.

We are not advertising a circus nor would have you believe we are selling you 50-cent articles for 25 cents, or as shirts, the 50-cent kind for 39 cents, but we will sell you goods at a small margin and give you the worth of your money.

We are also selling Oak and Hemlock Tanned Sole Leather and Half Soles.

WANTED—Lard, Meat, Butter, Eggs an. Corn. You know Crow likes corn. We woul. be pleased to see you; Corner Kent and High Streets, Up-Town.

A FULL LINE —OF— Winter Goods

Come and examine our Goods and you will be convinced that we have bargains will surprise the People in the Fifth District.

Suits for Men & Boys!

We have a full store and can sell you most anything you need it the right price. Look at our Fall line of Underwear. It never was better for the money. Then again we have added to our stock, Stoves of different kinds and would be pleased to fix you up for the winter with one of them at a low price. Always have a good line of Boots and Shoes. Don't fail to come and see us and make your self at home.

MARION T. MILLER.
ROCK HALL, MD.

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The Kent County Savings Bank is a Safe and Profitable Depository.

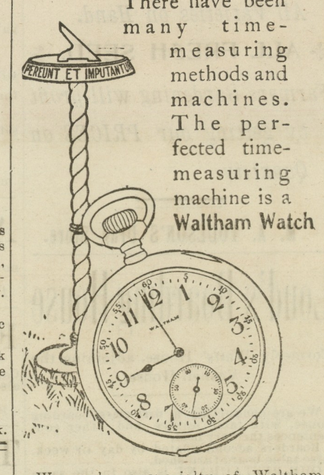
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NO charge for pass-book.
NO disagreeable regulations.
NO deposit too small or too large.

THIS BANK

WILL provide a capital to start you in business.
WILL prove a remunerative depository for your surplus.
WILL help you to save money, otherwise squandered.
WILL provide a fund to educate your children.
WILL enable you to help yourself in old age.
WILL keep your dollars and dimes for rainy days or hard times

INTEREST PAID ON DEPOSITS!

This Bank was the first bank in Kent county to pay interest on Deposits. Our interest paying plan is simply a liberal system of distributing profits among our Depositors.
We solicit your business.
Very Respectfully,
J. K. ALDRIDGE, President,
WM. F. RUSSELL, Cashier.



There have been many time-measuring methods and machines. The perfected time-measuring machine is a Waltham Watch

We make a specialty of Waltham Watches. We sell only the best makes of Watches and each one is carefully timed and regulated before it goes out, consequently our watches give satisfactory service.
Come in and let us show you these watches in variety of cases. Our prices are very low, lower perhaps than any where else.

J. H. SIDES, Jeweler,
OPP. STAM'S HALL,
CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the estate in Kent county, Md., of

MARY E. LEARY,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 4th of September, 1902, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 4th day of March, 1902.

MARY H. BLACKISTON,
March 8—4t. Administrator.

R. F. PARKS.

MARCH THE 18TH.

Tuesday Next

We Will Have Another

Cash Reduction Sale

Between Hours 11 to 12.

Will offer 4 doz Child's Knit Pants & Vests, (plain not ribbed) sizes 16 to 20

.06 1/4

Same Day Between Hours 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.

400 yards 8, 9 and 10c Hamburg Edging at

.05 1/2

Same Day Between Hours 1 and 2 p. m.

200 yds. Bist Windsor Percales at

.09 3/4

(Little stained, regular 12½c goods.)

Same Day Between Hours 2 and 3 p. m.

300 yds. 7, 8 and 10c bleached 4-4 muslin in Reminents 1 to 5 yds at

.06 3/4

Same Day Between Hours 1 to 3 p. m.

100 prs. Men's and Woman's Handwelt $3.00 and $3 25 Shoes on account of Toe for only

1.50

Same Time.

50 prs. Child Shoes were 1 00 to 1.25 now for

.50

Same Day Between Hours 1 to 2 p. m,

300 yards Lancaster and Amoskeag 7c Gingham for

.04

(not over 4 yards to any one customer)

4 doz. Men's Work Shirts were 50c, some little soiled, now for

.29

Clover, Timothy and Orchard Grass at closest spot cash Prices.

Yours for Business,

R. F. PARKS.

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