LOCAL NEWS.

LOCAL BUYERS were paying 72 and 72¾ for wheat yesterday,

THE Unicorn Mill Band has disbanded and have brass pieces, drums, wagon, harness, etc., for sale.

THE brick-layers finished their work on the Hubbard Building this week. It is to be quite an addition to the architectural beauty of Chestertown.

It is rumored that Will Kendall will have charge of the almshouse farm next year. Mr. Moffett's only offence, as far as we can learn, is in being a democrat!

THE Chestertown Commissioners have determined to postpone award of sprinkling contract until next Wednesday. The tanks are ready and the sprinkler will be started as soon as one can be found to contract for same.

THE fishing off Chester bridge improves and boys, girls, ladies and gentlemen enjoy the sport daily.

A DEAD CAT and an opossum was found under the store room now being renovated by Mr. Walter Pippin for Rev. S. W. Thomas. It was surely time for a change!

THE Edesville base ball team defeated Rock Hall on Saturday, in a game played upon the grounds of the former by a score of 29 to 13, hard hitting by the Edesville boys won the game.

W. H. KIRBY, florist, had watermelons and cantalopes in market Thursday. The NEWS is indebted to Mr. Kirby for a fine sample of each.

A MOTOR CYCLE was the centre of attraction in Chestertown Sunday. Robert Carr, Jr., a lawyer, of Baltimore, rode from Tolchester in 26 minutes and made the return trip in 34 minutes!

WALTER T. PIPPIN has been awarded contract by W. S. Dunn to build a $1200 residence on the Pennell farm, tenanted by Ellwood Morris, near Worton Station.

SEVERAL LADIES in town had night-blooming Cereus in full bloom this week which were greatly admired by everyone who saw them. Mrs. James Brice's plant bore ten blooms and Mrs. J. H. Simpers' had several on it.

THE Chestertown marble yard Mr. A. J. Hynson proprietor, has the largest stock of stones and marble in this county and Mr. Hynson can do as good, if not better, work than any marble cutter on the Shore. There is no need to go to the city for this work when such excellent opportunities are open in Chestertown. Let Mr. Hynson figure on your work.

THE threshing rig of Mr. John Clendaniel is making a good record this season. On Wednesday it threshed out seven different crops and moved four times.

JOSEPH GUEST of Chestertown calls attention to parties needing roofing, that he has received a large lot of galvanized corrugated steel roofing, also of the celebrated ruberoid roofing which he offers at reasonable prices. See his advertisement next week.

INTERESTING TO FARMERS—From the Maryland Agricultural College comes the news that Currell's Prolific wheat outyielded all other varieties. Samples of this wheat as also of Fulcaster, Turkey Island, Spade, Eclipse and Fultz will be on exhibition in Chestertown (at the NEWS Office) next week.

Strike On.—The teamsters at the strawboard mill with the exception of two, struck last Saturday and have not been to work this week. The men have been getting from $3.50 to $5 per week and now demand $1 per day for long or short hauls. There are seven white and ten colored who are asking for the new schedule of wages.

LATER.—The men all returned to work yesterday and the whole affair was the result of a misunderstanding.

Sales of Property.—Geo. W. Ingram, Esq., of Middletown, has sold for John Archer, of Maryland, a farm near Massey, to J. E. Hurlock, consisting of 200 acres, for $7,800.

Dr. E. N. Crawford has sold his farm of 275 acres, near Cecilton, to George W. Padley for $12,000.

Mr. Harry Bamburger. of Millington, has purchased the B. F. Moore farm in Queen Anne's County, near Church Hill for $1600. The farm contains 60 acres.

Bel Rio farm, near Chestertown, has been purchased of Capt. Cecil R. Atkinson by Mrs. H. K. Shaw. The price paid is said to be $4,500.

What 40 Acres Can Do.—Mr. C. C. Ball, son-in-law of Dr. J. T. Twilley, has a farm of 40 acres near Princess Anne. He raised 400 bushels of wheat on 10 acres, cleared $5.60 to the tree on his abundant plums, has a fine crop of potatoes, and it is said all comes as a result of turning under cow peas for the past seven or eight years. He has about 1000 baskets of Keifer pears on his young trees and besides has a good crop of corn. This 40 acre farm will likely pay Mr. Ball more than a much larger place.

An Interesting Suit.—Miss Willie Wickes has retained Chas. J. Bonaparte, Esq., of Baltimore, to lay claim to the Wickes farm, on East Neck Island, recently sold by Hope H. Barroll, Esq., trustee. The whole of this Island was settled by grant to Messrs. Wickes and Hynson, and was all entailed property until 1786, when the Hynson half was exempted. Miss Wickes claims that she is the only heir and that the entailed property descends to her in course of law. Hope H. Barroll, Esq., appears for the other heirs. This farm was sold to Mr. James W. Stevens for $14,250 on May 27th.

Fertilizers.—Beck, Walker & Brown advertise in this issue their reliable goods, Try Me, Propagator, and Trustworthy. The yields of wheat from this fertilizer have been highly gratifying among them being that of Mr. Herbert Strong who got 3300 bushels off a hundred acres.

Summer Sale.—Abe Cohen, the Sandy Bottom merchant, has reduced all summer goods 25 and 30 per cent and will tell the NEWS readers about it next week. This live business man sold over four tons of binder twine this year and keeps an up-to-date store. He even sold one hundred large sacks of salt! He keeps almost everything.

Announcement.—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wallis announce the marriage of their daughter Elizabeth Thomas, to Charles Henry Jarman Wednesday, August 6th at one o'clock at the Cardinal's residence, Baltimore.

Peach Notes.—About 1,000 packages of Mountain Rose peaches, the best of the early fruit, according to commission merchants, were carried to Baltimore from Chester river points Wednesday morning by the steamer Emma A. Ford. It was the first shipment of that variety this season. The steamer Gratitude carried 500 packages, most of them of the same variety. She also carried 150 packages of crabs.

Wedded.—Mr. Joseph P. Coverdale, formerly brakeman on the Kent road, and Miss Alice Pratt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pratt, of Clayton, were married in Clayton Wednesday evening by Rev. H. L. Schlinke. Miss Ollie Pratt and Miss Jennie Rees, of Chestertown, were the attendants. The bride was attired in white organdie with silk and lace trimmings and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The attendants were both dressed in white. They will make their future home at Mrs. Susan Coverdale's.

Contracts Awarded.—Gault & Co., of Baltimore, have been awarded the contract for a suitable stone to mark the grave of Gen. Philip Reed, the hero of Caulk's Field, and Lechnmeyer & Co., of Baltimore, have the contract for a suitable marker for the scene of the battle. Granite will be used. Kent County's marble yard, Mr. A. J. Hynson, proprietor, did not have an opportunity to bid on this work. Why not?

Camping.—Quite a number of young men from Port Deposit are camping at Betterton and are having a fine time. They are Messrs. Harry Oldham, Hugh Falls, Walter and Thomas St. Clair, Ward Abrahams, Wm. Campbell, Chas. Butchenhart and Raymond Westerfield.

Twenty-one choir boys of St. Stephens' Lutheran Church, Wilmington. Del., arrived at Betterton on Monday, where they will camp for a week. They were accompanied by Rev. Frederick Doerr, pastor of the church.

Good Luck.—Miss Josephine Wickes, while playing tennis on the lot at the foot of Cannon street Wednesday afternoon, lost the set from a very valuable ring. The young lady was greatly distressed at the loss and hosts of friends assisted in the search for it, but without success. A reward of $5 was offered for the missing gem, and Mr. Charles Johnson was lucky enough to pick it up and receive the reward. This is an illustration of the old saying "that it is better to be born lucky than rich."

Appointed to Havre de Grace.—The school board of Harford county on Tuesday appointed Prof. Thomas D. Bowers principal of the Havre de Grace High School at a salary of $1200. Prof. Chas. T. Wright, formerly teacher there, has been made examiner. There were 25 applicants for the vacancy and the selection of our fellow townsman is a compliment to him and an evidence of good sense on the part of the school board. This school was built several years ago at a cost of $30,000, has a faculty of eleven teachers and over 400 students. Prof. Bowers regrets to leave Easton, where he has made many friends, but Havre de Grace offers better inducements and a wider field of usefulness.

School Notes.—The School Board on Tuesday awarded the following scholarships: Miss Louise E. Carroll, Normal Hall, Washington College; Miss Ida Pell, Worton, Miss Grace Walbert, Lankford, State Normal, Baltimore; Miss Ellen S. Medders, Still Pond, Md. Institute.

Miss Helen Wilkins was named as teacher of School No. 2, seventh district.

The Orphans' Court will award Washington College scholarship on Wednesday, August 6th.

Upon recommendation of the Examiner a Teacher's Certificate will be issued to the following applicants: Gilbert B. Taylor, Millington, Md; Mattie G. Hazell, Millington, Md; Mabel Price, Millington, Md; Hattie E. Lewis, Edesville, Md; Lillian Stevens, Rock Hall, Md; Arthur Greenwoond, Rock Hall, Md; Ada Middleton, Rock Hall, Md.

STORM IN BALTIMORE.

Baltimore was visited on Sunday by a terrific wind storm the result of which is given in brief as follows:

Duration	18 minutes.
Velocity of wind	64 miles an hour.
Lives lost (including two at Tolchester)	12
Total damage (estimated)	$250,000
Damage to churches	$12,000
Number of churches injured	10
Loss sustained by telegraph and telephone companies	$12,500
Dwellings unroofed	441
Dwellings otherwise damaged	15
Factories, warehouses and plants unroofed and otherwise damaged,	36
Stores unroofed and otherwise damaged	13
Stables and outbuildings damaged,	12
Trees blown down, about	200

Kent countians had many friends whose homes were unroofed and some were in the city and experienced a great scare. The blow was very light here in comparison to Baltimore.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

BALTIMORE AND DELAWARE BAY RAILROAD COMPANY.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors of this Company, adopted at a meeting held on the THIRD DAY of JULY, 1902, and conformable to the authority conferred by, and the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, approved March 20th, 1902, entitled—

"An Act to authorize the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad Company to change the northern terminus of its railroad from the present point on the boundry line between this State and the State of Delaware, to the point of intersection with the Townsend Branch of the Delaware Railroad Company; to discontinue operation of, and abandon the small portion of its railroad between said points: and to lease or sell and convey, either or both, the remainder of its railroad and property, and franchises exercisable in connection therewith, to the Delaware Railroad Company; and to authorize the Delaware Railroad Company to become lessee or purchaser thereof."

A SPECIAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad Company is called to be held at the office of Company in Chestertown, Maryland, on MONDAY, the 28th day of July, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., to consider and take action in the manner provided by said Act upon the question of the sale and conveyance of the railroad of the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad Company, and its property and franchises exercisable in connection therewith, and all its assets of every description, unto the Delaware Railroad Company, as agreed upon by the Boards of Directors of the respective Companies.

jy12-tm. J. C. ROGERS, Secretary.

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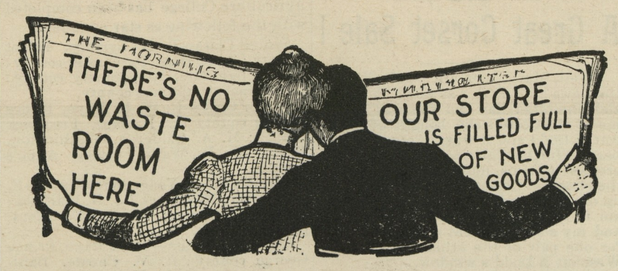

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no waste room in our store. Every department is full and complete, not even the little items are allowed to run low but every detail kept sized up ready for hurried demands, in consequence our large output necessitates such a varied stock that you are not compelled to take what you can get, But get what you want.

Our Trade

this season has been one of the most propitious we have ever experienced, viz., OUTPUT LARGER; many new customers been added. All this is only one of the natural results of trading with people like we expect a return visit to our house.

Our large selling of Men's, Boy's and Children's suits has left a good many odd sizes one and two of a kind, these lots will be closed especially low. You all know what this means emanating from a reputable establishment.

Hats,

Neckwear, Underwear, Fancy and Staple Hosiery, Shirts, in fact any down-to-date item in Haberdashery you can want is here for you.

Our Hat trade has assumed such proportions that we cannot keep up assortment in sizes on certain styles. WHY SO? Because we have Hats to suit anybody—most, and if

"Beauty slight you from the gay abodes,
Like bright Apollo you must take the Rhodes."

We cant make a handsome man of an ugly one but we can improve his appearance very much with one of our becoming hats.

Join the procession and come to headquarters, for we believe MERIT in merchandise pays. and we carry out our belief in our daily dealings.

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For Only 9c.

Fine 15 and 18c LAWNS, DIMITIES, FRENCH MADRAS and RICH SOFT-FINISHED PERCALES—Choice of entire lot on the **Show Table** only 9c yd.

These values at 9c yard are worth your attention.

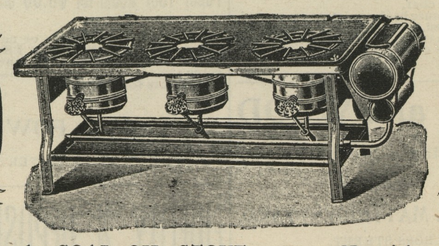
For Only 12½c yd.

FINE 25c SILK FINISH SOFT MERCERIZED PONGEES, in the new silk designs, also many other New Summer Novelties.

Entire line on the **Show Table** goes at only 12½c yard.

Blue Flame Wickless

$4.69



$6.69

The only COAL OIL STOVE to use. No wick, no dirt, no smoke. Every Stove guaranteed perfect and sold on trial for one week. Only a few Stoves left and then no more this season. **The prices do the work.**

The $7.50 Two-Burner now only - **$4.69.**
The $9.50 Three-Burner now only - **$6.69.**

If you want a good Oil Cook Stove—buy quick.

Refrigerators, Lawn Mowers, Screen Doors and Windows,

If you can use any of these goods we name SPECIAL LOW PRICES regardless of cost.

Now is the time to get a bargain.

Best 10c Toilet Soaps 5 cents.

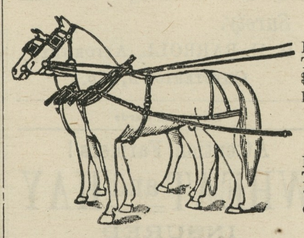
Egg White and Cosmo Buttermilk Soaps now only 5c cake. These soaps need no introduction as they are the old standbys.

Talcum Toilet Powder only 10c box.

Made by W. H. Brown & Bro and usually sells at 20c box—we sell the Best Pearls of Violets for 10c.

Harness Department.

These Wagon Harness are without equal in this county at near our price. They are made of clean, White Oak Stock and are made by the same factory who makes our famous No. 20 $10 Buggy Harness. "Don't buy the imitations."



Wagon Harness $12.50.

High-grade, extra heavy one-half leather Traces, best Leather Trimmings, cheap at $15, made with heavy breechings, per double set..... **$12.50**

Wagon Harness $7.90.

Made with 1½ inch Traces, solid Leather Trimmings, extra Strong Harness, made without breechings and a bargain, double set, only..... **$7.90**

Work Collars For Only 98c.

Large lot of $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75 Work Collars, made of good, clean, stock, from our BANKRUPT STOCK. We offer them at a big bargain and give you the choice of entire lot for only **98c Each.**

Work Bridles For Only 98c.

Large lot $1.25 and $1.50 Best New Plow Bridles from our BANKRUPT PURCHASE. We offer choice of entire lot only **98c.**

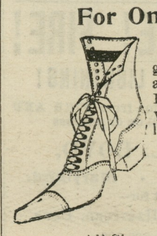
Collar Pads For Only 19 Cents.

Lot of 35c Best Collar Pads from the Bankrupt Goods will go for only **19c.**

2¾c — **FINE UNBLEACHED MUSLIN at 2¾c per yard. Nearly 4,000 yards of Fine Unbleached 5c Muslin will go for 2¾c yd.** — 2¾c

$1.25 For Choice of Fine Lot of $1.75 and $2.00 Ladies' Fine Shoes and Oxford Ties, only **$1.25.**

For Only 98c.



Ladies' Fine Dongola Shoes, in lace and button, are worth 1.50, 1.75 and more, your choice of entire lot only

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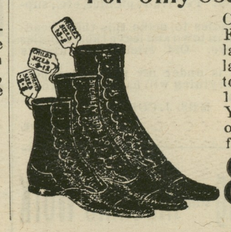
All Sizes, All Styles.

For Only 88c.



Children's Fine Dongola Shoes in lace and button, worth 1.25 and 1.50. Your choice of entire lot for only

88c

1 Doz Boxes Best Matches for only.....6c	Enterprise Coffee at 8½c
Flotos Coffee Essence for.....1c Box	25c Dried Chipped Beef.....19c lb
Good Tumblers for..... 1c Each	5c Wash Soaps at.....2½c

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