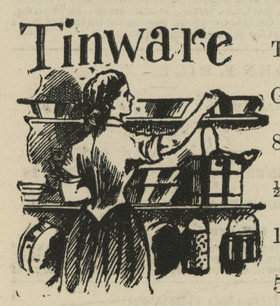
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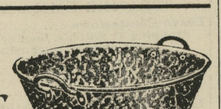
Special sale of TINWARE and AGATE-WARE this week.

Tinware and Agateware.



Tin covered Bucket, quart	5c
Good size Gal. Wash Basin,	10c
8 quart Dish Pan	12c
½ Gal. Agate Covered Bucket,	15c
10 qt. Agate Preserv'g Kettle	35c
5 Gal. Galvanized Oil Can,	50c

Retinned Dish Pans.



14 Quart Retinned Dish Pans . 20c

Best Hand-Made Tin Cans.

The Best Hand-Made Tin Cans, everyone guaranteed, 44c

All sizes of the Best Porcelain Lined Kettles at lowest prices.

Mason's Fruit Jars.

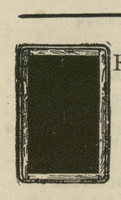
Mason's Best Fruit Jars, quarts,	50c
Half-Gallons,	69c

American Granulated Sugar.

Fine American Granulated Sugar, loose or in bags, 5c

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Filled Scholars Companion	5c
Large Size Blank Book, good paper,	5c
The Best Made Noiseless Double Slates	12c
Box Writing Paper,	5c to 25c
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Ink, Pencils, Pens, Sponges, Chalk and all the necessaries needed for the school room at lowest prices.

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Personal Notes....

Charles T. Westcott, Esq., of Baltimore, was in town Wednesday.

Marion deK. Smith, Esq., wife and daughter will go to Atlantic City to-day for a short stay.

Mrs. W. F. Hines, Mrs. James G. Beck, Mrs. Wm. S. Walker and Misses Sadie and Florence Burgess are at Atlantic city.

Judge Joseph A. Wickes and family are at Sea Girt, N. J.

Mr. Sam'l A. Copper, of Savannah, Ga., is visiting his brother, Treasurer Jesse R. Copper, near Kennedyville.

Mr. J. Allie Hyland and wife are spending a few days with Kent relatives. They expect to visit the mountains of Western Maryland before returning to their Brooklyn, N. Y., home.

Mrs. Celeno V. Newman is with a party of friends at Atlantic City.

Rev. John M. Gill and son, of Washington, D. C., are at Atlantic City.

J. Henry Baker, Esq., of the Baltimore bar, son of Senator James H. Baker, of Kent, was one of the orators last Saturday at the big Junior Order Reunion at Cumberland, Md. Mr. Baker stands high in the councils of this organization and deservedly so.

Misses Cochran, of Delaware, are the guests of Miss May Morgan, near Fairlee.

Mrs. Mamie Bryan, (nee Miss Mamie Pattison) is a guest of Miss Isabel Beck, Chestertown.

Mrs. A. Reese Crew and son, Harold, of Wilmington, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Hodgkin, in Chestertown.

Miss Howard, of Selma, Alabama, has been the guest of Mrs. L. W. Wickes in Chestertown.

Miss Ella Warfield and Mrs. Warfield, of Texas, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bell.

Mrs. Theodore Hayes and daughter, Miss Bulah, have been spending a few days at Ocean City, Md.

Miss Katherine Hobbs, formerly of Washington College Normal department, has been in Chestertown this week.

Mr. Robt. Emory, Jr., visited his father Capt. R. S. Emory, this week.

Mrs. R. Bergen after attending the re-openings in northern cities has returned home for the fall business.

Mrs. J. Frank Davis, Miss Anna Killiam and brother, of Wilmington, have been guests of Mrs. Wm. F. Russell, on Washington Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Turner have returned to their pretty Betterton home after a few weeks spent North.

Miss Ada Barnett is the guest of Miss Russell at Frederica, Delaware.

James W. Chapman, Jr. Esq., of Baltimore, spent a few days in Chestertown this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Staylor, of Baltimore, are visiting friends in Chestertown and Rock Hall this week.

Miss Elizabeth Colton, of St. Mary's county, is the guest of Mrs. T. W. Eliason in Chestertown.

Miss Gertrude Sappington presided at the organ in Christ Church Sunday morning in an acceptable manner.

Mr. George T. Parsons, formerly with John Wanamaker, of New York, has been made manager of Gans & Rady's clothing house, in Richmond, Va. Mr. Parsons is the oldest son of Mr. Thomas J. Parsons, of Rock Hall.

Misses Josephine Milnor and Helen Richardson, of Baltimore, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney P. Townshend in Chestertown.

Miss Louise Toulson, of Worton, and Miss Lula Benton, of Millington, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Hoyle, in Chestertown.

Mrs. G. Hines Thomas and family, of Western Maryland, are spending a few weeks at the old home on Washington Avenue.

Miss Nellie Dadds, of Annapolis, has been visiting the home of Mrs. J. Walter Skirven at "Maple Grove."

Misses Bessie and Mary Nicholson and Miss Julia Ashley, of Indianapolis, have been spending a short time at gay Atlantic City.

Misses Emma and Lillie Haddaway are visiting friends in and near Baltimore.

Miss Nora Holden, of Queenstown, Miss Minnie Smoot and Mr. Newton Standiford, of Baltimore, were guests of Miss Florence Legg at Rock Hall the past week.

Mr. Lemuel Hickman, of near Still Pond, was taken sick last Sunday and his friends are anxious concerning him. He was taken with a slight stroke of paralysis.

Mr. Joseph T. Deets, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days in Kent at the home of Mr. Howard Clendaniel and enjoying the gunning.

Miss Nellie Craig and Mr. Rush Bragg, of Baltimore, have been guests of Mrs. Wm. Edwards in Morgnec.

Miss Katie J. Gale, of Chestertown, Mrs. J. B. Mahoney, Mrs. A. L. Harris, Miss Emma L. Gale all of Philadelphia anticipate spending a few days at Atlantic City the third week in August.

Master Miner Ruth, of Philadelphia, is visiting his cousin Miss Elizabeth Woodall near Galena.

Mrs. Mary V. Nowlin has been in Chestertown this week representing the St. Martin's House for girls, of Baltimore.

Mrs. Jacob B. Crowding, of Still Pond, is visiting friends in Philadelphia and elsewhere.

Mrs. Percy Bennett and two daughters, Misses Myra and Lillian, are visiting at Star, in Queen Anne's county.

Miss Katie Smith is visiting friends in Carroll county.

Mr. L. S. Fowler is taking a short vacation and visiting friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Edw. J. Kennard and daughter, Miss Mary, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Aldridge.

Miss Rachel Aldridge, of Baltimore, is visiting at Justice Melvin's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Hurtt have just returned from a pleasaat trip to Atlantic City, Niagara Falls and Toronto.

Misses Belle Groves, Anna Heller and Mr. Robt. M. Groves are guests of Mr. Frank Lamb, on Queen street.

Miss Annie Brownley, of Baltimore, is at the Pippin House.

Mrs. W. N. E. Wickes and Miss Rebecca Wickes are visiting in northern New York.

Mr. Edgar Ford, of Wilmington, is the guest of Mrs. A. P. Matthews.

Prof. Rowland Watts and wife of Westminster, and Mrs. Thomas H. Turner, of Witchita, Kansas, and sister of the late Mrs. T. R. Hubbard, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard on College Avenue.

Mrs. Wm. J. Vannort accompanied by her grand-daughters, Misses Avis Sheppard and Mamie Raynor, are at Ocean Grove for a few weeks.

Rev. John E. T. Ewell and wife are visiting Mrs. E's mother, Mrs. John F. Beeks, at the homestead in Still Pond.

Mr. John E. Morris, near Fairlee, has been quite sick this week. His condition at this writing is improved.

Dr. W. F. Hines attended the meeting of the tuberculosis commission, of which he is a member, in Baltimore on Friday.

Mr. James Roe, of Baltimore, has been visiting his grand parents, Rev. R. S. Rowe and wife in Kennedyville.

Mrs. Henry Pimes, of Baltimore, and Miss Sadie Kramer, of Rock Hall, have been visiting Mr. A. Levine in Chestertown.

Mr. Daniel Reed, of Washington, D. C., visited his parents this week in Chestertown.

Mr. James W. Lambert accompanied by Misses Palmer Carroll, and Ethel Bacchus of Chestertown, and Mamie Taylor, of Baltimore, left this week for a two weeks' stay at Ocean Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hatton and Mr. Harold Kinsey, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Louis Warren, of Wilmington, have been guests at "Sunny Side," the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Rasin, near Still Pond.

Karl Crossley Perkins, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. A. A. Crossley, of Lynch's.

Mrs. Thomas P. Philbin and charming daughter, Cecelia, of Baltimore, are visiting at Mrs. Thos. G. Jarman. It is their first visit to the Eastern Shore and are very much impressed with the country.

H. S. Raynor, Esq., and family, of Baltimore, after a short stay in Chestertown have gone to Atlantic city for the balance of the summer. His son, Lycurgus, is just recovering from a very severe spell of sickness.

Dr. Barrett C. Catlin, of Baltimore, spent a few days in Chestertown this week.

Mr. Eben F. Perkins, teller in the Second National Bank, Chestertown, has been enjoying a vacation this week at the seashore.

Mr. and and Mrs. William Broseker and little son, William, are visiting Mrs. James T. Ford, of Edesville.

Mrs. James T. Ford, of Edesville, has returned home from Dorchester county after a pleasant visit.

Sassafras Notes.

Miss Sayle Jetter, of Haddonfield N. J., is being entertained by Miss Emma Johns at her beautiful home near town.

A great many members of the M. P. Rehoboth church here, will attend the Sabbath school picnic at Betterton on Thursday.

Mrs. Jesse Sheppard and daughter, Miss Jessie Caulk Sheppard, of Middletown, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sheppard, near town on Monday.

Mrs. Lain, of Wilmington, is being entertained by her sister, Mrs William H. Spry.

Mrs. Thomas Redmile, of Kennedyville, in company with Mr. and Mrs. George Redmile and daughter, Mrs. All Stevens and son, all of West Philadelphia, were entertained by their sister, Mrs. Charles Fellengame, of near Sassafras for the day on Tuesday.

Mrs. John F. Ernest visited her mother, Mrs. J. Genkil, of near Warwick, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Rachel Stradley is visiting Mrs. Charles Fillengame, of near Sassafras.

The Social function of the past week was the ovation given by Mr. Jacob T. Shallcross and sister, Mrs. Thersa Shallcross, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Griffith and guest Mrs. John Howarth and two daughters Misses Mita and Anna Howarth, on Friday last. The entire day was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Mr. William and Master Shallcross too did all they could to add to the pleasure of the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffith are entertaining her mother, Mrs. W. K. Lockwood, of near Warwick.

Misses Helen and Mildred Sheppard, of near town are entertaining Misses Saddie Allen and Louisa Fleetwood, of Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. William Spry and three children, of below Galena, were entertained by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Spry for tea on Saturday last.

Mr. Scott Burris, of near Kennedyville was entertained last Saturday by his daughter Mrs. Frank Sylvester.

Mr. Sheppard Morris in company with his brother-in-law, Capt. Stephen Singleston, of Wilmington, left "Fox Hole" on Friday last in the captain's very fine yacht for Betterton and other points.

Miss Mabel Hyrons, of Wilmington, is being entertained by her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Griffith, of Sassafras.

Mr. Luff Spry left on Friday last for Felton, Delaware to visit relatives and enjoy the fine fishing there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffith and children returned on Friday last from a sojourn at Betterton.

Mrs. Stephen Morris entertained her sister-in-law Mrs. Stephen Singleston, of Wilmington, on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sylvester two children, Miss Grace and their guest, Miss M. Eliason, of Wilmington, left on Saturday evening for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Burris, near Kennedyville, to remain for a week.

Mr. Stephen Boyer, of Middletown, is being entertained by his nephew, Mr. Stephen Boyer, near town.

Miss Ethel Lofland, of McDonough, is the guest of Miss Alice Dreka at her beautiful home, "Water Ledge."

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chamberlain and three children who have been visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dreka, left for their Philadelphia home on Wednesday, Miss May Dreka accompanying them home.

Mrs. Frederick Vansant is visiting her father, Mr. Phenis Jones.

Mr. Bayard Jones, who has been visiting in Wilmington, returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Brickman and daughter, Miss Marguerite and Lou Arthur, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dreka.

Miss May Ernest, of Philadelphia, and Miss Johnson, of Middletown, were entertained on Tuesday by Mr. and Mrs. John F. Ernest.

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1 POUND PACKAGE COFFEE	7½c
AMERICAN FINE GRANULATED SUGAR	5c
SPICES MIXED IN PACKAGES	5 and 10c
QUART MASON GLASS JARS	60c
Every Jar Examined and Guaranteed.	
A BARREL GOOD FAMILY FLOUR	$4.00
A PACKAGE BEST ROLLED OATS	5c
LARGE FAT MACKREL	13c
EIGHT BALL SET CROQUET	$1.00
A GOOD MEAL AT OUR RESTAURANT	25c
One door below our store, Mrs. Kelley, Mgr.	
A BOX 100 WHITE ASH CIGARS	$1.25
A FAIR CHEWING OR SMOKING TOBACCO	25c
GOLD MEDAL BREAD	5c
The Best and Most Bread Sold in Our Town.	
Another Barrel Crockeryware and 10c buys you big dishes,	10c

Brooms! Brooms!! Brooms!!!

We have bought 50 dozen (600) Brooms that we hope to sell at a bargain. On sale today. See them.

POCKET BOOKS, nave bought 6 doz that retail at 50c; go at	25c
MOLASSES, Our Porto Rico, gallon	25c
AMERICAN GRANULATED SUGAR, The Finest,	5c

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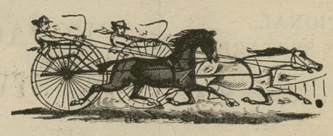
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THE RACE PROGRAM.

FIRST DAY—Tuesday, Aug. 26.

	Purse.
1—2.30 Trotting Stake [Closed]	$1,000
2—3.00 Trotting; Eastern Shore Horses.	200

SECOND DAY—Wednesday, Aug. 27.

3—2.20 Trotting Stake [Closed]	$1,000
4—2.30 Pacing	250
5—4 Year Olds and under, pace and trot	125

THIRD DAY—Thursday, Aug. 28.

6—2.30 Pacing Stake [Closed]	$1,000
7—2.18 Pacing	300
8—2.09 Pace or Trot	250

FOURTH DAY—Friday, Aug. 29.

9—2.14 Pacing [Open]	$ 350
10—2.27 Pace or Trot	200

RACES AND CONDITIONS.

We are members and the National Trotting Association Rules to govern. All races mile heats, best three in five, to harness. Entrance fee five per cent. and five per cent. additional from money winners. Money divided, 50, 25, 15, 10 per cent A horse distancing the field to receive one money only. The Association reserves the right to declare off all clases not filling satisfactorily. No class will be allowed to go with less than four starters Right reserved to change order of program at any time. *No conditional entries will be received*, and if they are sent they will be treated by us as straight entries. Distance rules will be enforced. Usual weather clause will prevail. One horse may be named in two classes and start in either or both.

Rights reserved to transpose races, to alternate heats and declare off any race on account of bad weather and track.

Always give pedigree, and telegraphic entries by mail.

Telegrams delivered by telephone at the Secretary's home.

All entries close August 19, at 11 p. m., and records made that day no bar. Hopples-no bar.

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