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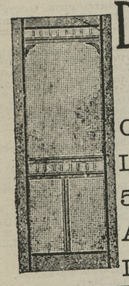
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Every good thing in shoes for man, woman and child.

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Cedar Screen, 18x33, only	12½c
Large Size Hard Wood Screen, only	25c
50c Spring in Screen, only	39c
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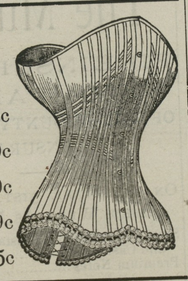
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Porch Rockers	1.30, 1,69
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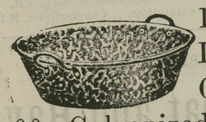
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Good Value in Misses' Hose	10c
Extra Large Cotton Towell	10c
Men's Soft Boson Shirt makers samples	39c
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Spring Padlock, two keys	10c
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Specials in Tin and Agateware.

Surprise Egg Beater	1c
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8 quart Tin Dish Pan	12c
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Regular Size Lanterns, only	29c



12-qt. Agate Dish Pan	25c
Large Size Agate Saucepans	18c
Gal. Wash Tubs, only	50c
60c Galvanized 5-gallon Oil Cans	40c

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ROCK HALL LOCALS.

The fourth was a red hot scorcher, nevertheless, almost the entire white population of this place spent the day at Tolchester. Those of us who could not take in the beach quietly spent the day at home, or shady nooks, in greatfulnes to a kind providence for the blessing of citizenship in the "land of the free and the home of the brave."

As hot as the day was not a few of our colored population, deemed it expedient to fire up to a higher notch, by taking on a "jag," as a consequence, disorder ensued and the law officers did the rest.

The season for fishing with nets in our waters closed on the 30th ult., but a number of seine haulers have been continuing fishing during the past week and some came to grief thereby, on Monday last. States Attorney J. D. Urie was down and set forth the law so thoroughly that all other violators have been scared off.

Our farmers have been threshing their wheat crops this week and the yield is very discouraging and the price likewise. The lot of the farmer in this section seems destined to be hard for the present year.

There is considerable sickness among the young folks of our town and vicinity, and a number of adults are on sick list too Rev. Mr. Burr has been suffering with throat affection. Mrs. Jos. Ryan is under the care of Dr. Selby. We are glad to report Mrs. J.E. Aspley and Mrs. Frank Porter, who have been quite ill for several weeks, now convalescent.

Three weeks ago, the high water mark on the Sunday school membership roll of the M. E. Church was reached, the number being 369. On Sunday last the roll was discarded and the new one began, this is done semi-annually. The number present on Sunday was 231. If the teachers are equal to the responsibilities they have assumed in the work, there is not the least doubt of the new roll reaching the 400 mark by Dec. 27th. The facilities for Sunday school work here is all that could be desired so far as officers and lesson helps are concerned. If the teachers and other members of the church will prove themselves as efficient (and they can) Pastor Burr will have the best Sunday school report of this charge at the next annual conference that has ever been presented.

Hotel Thompson at Deep Landing, under the direction of Mrs. J. P. Thompson, is open for the season and doing a good business with summer boarders, though the season has been very late.

Justice Jewell had sixteen cases for trial on Monday most of them being for fighting and disorderly conduct at Tolchester on 4th of July.

Justice Parsons had nine cases for trial on Monday. Game Warden James Peters arrested several parties for illegal fishing and Justice Parsons heard the case.

FAIRLEE NOTES.

Mr. John P. Nicholson lost a fine registered Guernsey bull Tuesday.

The Fourth Passed off very quietly and pleasantly in and around Fairlee. There was not any disorder that we know of. Many from different places in the county and Queen Anne's went to Tolchester and enjoyed themselves.

The frequent showers of rain are interfering very much with the threshing of wheat.

The storm of last Friday week did considerable damage. It was very electrical. The granary on the farm tenanted by Mr. Robert Morgan was struck and destroyed.

During the same storm Mr. Fountain, manager of the little railroad at Tolchester was badly stunned, Dr. Smith was hurriedly summonsed by 'phone and by his efforts greatly helped in Mr. Fountain's restoration. He is around again.

In Broad Neck during the same storm a very fine cow belonging to Mr. Samuel Kilbourne was killed. She had a calf by her side which was killed also.

Mr. Pickens Neagle, Navy Department, Washington D. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kendall during the Fourth. He brought along with him quite a collection of fireworks which were displayed during the evening to many friends.

Miss May Emerson, of Cecilton, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Emerson.

Mr. Wm. J. Maslin, of Quaker Neck, visited Fairlee friends on the Fourth.

There will be a few removals in the village at the end of the year.

KENNEDYVILLE ITEMS.

Miss Ethel Shelley, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Rowe.

Miss Evelyn Cochran has returned home after a visit to Mrs. W. A. Kennedy.

Miss Maud Roberson is visiting Miss Mamie Knight.

Quite a number spent the fourth at Tolchester and Betterton.

Mr. Weer Chew, of Philadelphia, is visiting at the home of Mr. Jas. Weer.

Miss Marguerite Kennedy is visiting friends at Millington.

Miss Bessie Webb is visiting friends and relatives at St. George's, Del.

Miss Emma Shafer has returned home for her vacation.

Miss Marguerite Archibald is visiting at the home of her parents near here.

Miss Grace Sylvester is visiting at Sassafras.

Miss Ethel Shelley spent a few days with Miss Lizzie Jones last week.

Miss Lillie Rowe spent Friday with friends at Lynch's.

Mrs. Frank Sylvester is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Burris.

Mrs. Gale is visiting Mrs. Horton Kelley.

Miss Emma Hessner is spending her vacation with her parents.

It is reported that music is a sure preventative of mosquitoes. Then Washington avenue, Chestertown, will be free of the little pests.

The best fish caught on Chester bridge this week was an 18 inch rock by Mr. Harry W. Brice and some fine perch by Mr. Emory W. Wroth.

Constable Gill arrested John Ford for shooting at carriage in which was his girl and another fellow on Saturday. The man's coat was shot through.

STILL POND LOCALS.

Miss Alice Hackett has been the guest of her grand mother, Mrs. Elwood Whaley, in Chestertown the past week.

Mrs. Mamie Dodd and daughter, Margurite, spent several days with Mrs. M. J. Howard, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Severson and son started Tuesday on a trip to Atlantic City. They will be gone a week or ten days and will visit friends in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Miss Edna Wroth spent several days with friends in Baltimore this week.

Mrs. Jos. W. Harper and children are visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. Jack Jones and George Allston spent last Sunday with Mrs. Amelia Jones.

Mr. J. A. Jones one of the oldest citizens of Still Pond, died at his home last Saturday morning. Death resulted from paralysis. He leaves a widow and two sons, Hyland T., Chestertown and Daniel B., Still Pond. Funeral services were conducted by Rev T.F.Beauchamp, interment in Shrewsbury. The pall bearers were Messrs. Thos. Rasin, Wm. G. Rasin, C. B. Krusen, G. W. Covington, Jacob Crowding, Sr. and Wm. Meeks. Mr. W. H. Krusen had charge of funeral arrangements.

Mrs. J. W. Urie and Miss Edith Sparks are visiting Mrs. Wm. Parr.

Miss Bond, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Eugene Bonwill.

Mr. Kinsey, of Philadelphia, visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Rasin last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Katie Howard and Miss Franklin, of Baltimore, spent last Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. M. J. Howard, in Still Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Benson, of Anne Arundel county have been visiting Mrs. Benson's mother, Mrs. Parrott.

Miss Elsie Ricards spent several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smyth, in Chestertown, making the trip to Queenstown Thursday with Sunday school excursion.

Mr. H. A. Ricards, while working in the creamery last Tuesday was struck by the churn while in motion and had his arm broken at the elbow. Dr. Messick set the fracture.

Mr. James Kilpatrick, of Philadelphia, is visiting at the home of Capt. Daniel Hill.

Mr. Thos. L. Lusby died at the Endowood Sanatorium, Towson, at which place he had been for treatment for about three months, last Monday morning of consumption. Mr. Lusby was a young man of sterling character and was held in high esteem in Still Pond which was his native place. He was a member of the M. E. Church and of the Epworth League, and took an active part in the Sunday School when in health. The remains were brought over to Chestertown Monday night and funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church at Still Pond. Rev. T. F. Beauchamp conducting same. Interment in Chester cemetery.

The first straw ride of the season left Still Pond Wednesday evening about 8.30 o'clock, chaperoned by Mrs. J. W. Urie and Mrs Jack Schofield. The party went to Betterton where they took boats and spent the evening delightfully on the water. Those comprising the party were: Misses Mabel Rasin, May Hackett, Sallie Jones, Lena and Florence Rasin, Grace Rasin, Caddie Jones and Edith Sparks, Messrs. Chas. Jewel, Edw. Crowding, Fred Schofield, Harry Jewel, Howard Rasin, James Robinson and Hanson L. Crew.

Carrie Wright, of Chestertown, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Florence Wroth.

SASSAFRAS NOTES.

We are pleased to state the much improvement of Mrs. Frank Bablett, whom has been critically ill for the past ten days.

Mrs. T. Stradley, of below Sassafras, on the old Dr. Frazier farm is lying very ill.

The little son of Mr. Robert W. Johnston, is somewhat improved.

Bayard Jones, of Wilmington, is visiting his father near town.

Mr. Louis Dreka and sister Miss Alice, visited Miss Lillie Pearce, of near Cecilton.

Mrs. John J. Ernest visited her mother Mrs I. Gunkil, of Warwick, accompanied by her two sons.

Mr. John Sparks, of Millington, is visiting his relatives, Mr. and Mrs John Tarbutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Phenis Jones were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Spry on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sylvester entertained her father, Mr. L. Burris, on Saturday and Sunday, she returning home with him on Monday.

Miss Bessie Gunkil and mother, of Warwick, will leave on Wednesday for Denver, Col., to make an extended visit to her son, Mr. I. Reynolds and family, who live in Colorado

We feel sorry to report Mrs. Phenis Jones is very sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Vansant and children, of Wilmington, are visiting her father near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Price, of near Massey, were the guests of Mrs. John F. Ernest on Friday last.

Mr. Luff Spry is being entertained by his daughter, Miss Walter Allen, near Cecilton.

Miss Allee whom is visiting her sister Mrs. Harry Sheppard is very much improved, she has been quite ill.

Miss K. Draper, of Wilmington, is visiting her cousin s, Mr. and Mrs. James Davis, near town.

Miss Grace Sylvester is visiting her parents here.

Mrs. Laura Townsend was taken quite sick last week, to day she is suffering very much, her grandmother Mrs. Ford, was taken ill today, she is over 80 years old.

Never did the quaint old Rehoboth M. P. Church look more brilliant, pleasing and beautiful than on Sunday evening. The church was filled from chancel to doors and the decoration at the chancel with growing plants, potted plants and palms with maiden ferns and wild asparagus was indeed beautiful. The program for the evening was fine.

Marching	School
Welcome	Russie Tarbutton and Mary Griffith.
The Altar Beginners	Three Little Girls
The Birds	Lula Stradley and Dollie Chamberlain.
Recitation	Willard Robinson
When We Are Men	Class of Boys and Girls
Only a Baby	Lucy Griffith
Rain Drops	Bertha Copper
We Are Leaves	Annie Sylvester, Anthony Johnson and Ethel Jones.
Singing	Mabel Chamberlain
Children's Day	Tresia Dreka
The Rose Fairyland	Class of Girls
Motion Song	Class of Girls
Soldiers of the Kingdom	Class of Boys and Girls.
The Message to the Dying	Mary Tarbutton
Quartette	Miss Bessie Gunkil, Mrs. John F. Ernest and Raymond Litsinger.

Too much praise cannot be given to the entertaining ladies of the church for their labor, and the children all did well indeed, most excellent. The quaint altar girl, Lucy Griffith, was too cute, and little Miss Mabel Chamberlain spoke three pieces most beautifully; she is so graceful and pretty which added much to the entertainment and being a visitor here deserves particular mention. There were about ten dollars realized. The Warwick choir added much to the evening's entertainment and too much praise cannot be given for their beautiful singing and every one present thought it a most successful Children's Day, and our faithful superintendent looked radient.

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Harvest Prices

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PORTO RICO MOLASSES, gallon	25c
RICE, 5c lb.; PRUNES, lb	5c
TIN CUPS, 2 for 5c.; RICE, lb	5c
DRIED APPLES, lb 7c.; PEACHES, lb	10c
WHITE BEANS, peck	75c
LIMA BEANS, for planting or cooking, pint	6c
BARREL A1 FLOUR	$4.00
DRIED PRUNES, pound	2c
Quart Mason Fruit Jar and Syrup	10c
EARLY BIRD and SCHNAPP'S TOBACCO, lb	40c
BATTLE AX TOBACCO, bar	35c
HAMS, Best Sugar Cured, lb	15c
COTTAGE HAMS, no bone in ham, lb	13c
KAN-KORN and KAN-KAMATOES	10c
BRIGHT GOLDEN SYRUP, per gallon	35c
A 50-lb CAN LARD. Do you want it?	$5.00
16 Ounce Bag SMOKING TOBACCO	25c
ROASTED COFFEE, 1 pound package	8c

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PERSONAL TIDINGS.

Messrs. Leonard B. Smith and E. F. Hitch, two bright Washington College students, are at Cambridge, Md., organizing a young Men's Christian Association. These young gentle men are making a tour of the Eastern Shore under the direction of the Maryland Division of the Y. M. C. A. and estabishing permanent organizations which will be of inestimable value towards the social, physical, mental and spiritual development of our young men

Mr. Clarence Coleman has been visiting Baltimore friends.

Miss Isabel Beck has been the guest of Miss Hopkins at Port Deposit.

Mr. Wm. McIntyre, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with his parents in Chestertown.

Mrs. Annie Legg, of New Jersey, is visiting friends and relatives at Rock Hall and Quaker Neck.

"Good Night," the unusual production of Mary Fennimore will fill a conspicuous part in the musical program of the "E.ks convention" at Baltimore, This gives Miss Fenni more an opportunity of ranking with the most noted authors and composers of the day.

Mrs. H. W. Vickers was called to Philadelphia this week to the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Benj. F. Perkins, who is quite ill.

Mr. W. Plunket Stewart, of Green Spring Valley, son-in-law of Mr. A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., and brother visited this town Tuesday and were guests of Mr. Jefferson D. Bacchus.

Miss Maggie Joiner, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of Miss May Cannan, High street.

Miss Julia Crouch, of Rock Hall, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McIntyre, Kent street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Davis, of Wilmington, Delaware, spent several days with Chestertown relatives this week.

Mrs. Craig, of Baltimore, has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Sutton.

Mr. John C. Ireland, of Wilmington, has been visiting his brother, Mr. Jas. T. Ireland, at his pretty Chestertown home.

Mr. Fletcher Truitt, of Wilmington, has been visiting his parents, near Chestertown.

Miss Indianna Comegys, of Baltimore was a very welcome visitor to the NEWS sanctum this week. Miss Comegys has been the guest of Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks in Chestertown and her many friends in Kent were glad to see her.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Clay Brown, of Baltimore, are guests in Chestertown.

Mr. Robert W. Lusby, of Wilmington, Del., visited Chestertown this week on business.

Capt. Fletcher Wilson, of Upper Kent, was among the prominent Democrats in Chester town Tuesday and he met a hearty welcome from his many friends all over the county. The Captain has recovered from a protracted spell of suffering.

Father Wm. J. Scott, a former pastor of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Chestertown, was a visitor here last week.

Mr. Wiltshire B. Usilton, of Washington, D. C., with his wife and child, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel G. Lee, near Melitota.

Miss Grace Whaland, one of Kent's charming school teachers, is attending the National Educational Convention at Boston, Mass. Over 15,000 teachers are in attendance.

Misses May Hurlock, of Monticello, Georgia, Hallie Connelly, of Newbern, N. C., and Ollie Beauchamp, of Keyser, W. Va., are spending the summer months at home.

The Board of Governors of St. John's College, Annapolis, this week conferred upon Prof. James W. Cain, recently elected to the head of Washington College, the degree of Doctor of Laws and passed resolutions regretting his resignation from that institution.

Mr. Harry Hudson's four year old girl fell off the fence a few days ago and pulled down a rail on herself. Dr. Wilson attended the child and she is doing as well as can be expected.

A note from Mr. and Mrs Joseph Guest who are in Boston states that Boston is over run with 25,000 teachers and that all are having a fine time. They were to go to Nantasket Beach on the Atlantic coast Wednesday.

Mr. Carroll Perkins, of Baltimore, spent a few days in Chestertown this week to attend the funeral of his uncle, Dr. J. A. Perkins. Carroll has a lucrative position in the Baltimore City Water Department.

Hope H. Barroll, Esq., attended the meeting of the Maryland Bar Association at Ocean City this week.

Miss C. Alice Ogden, of Baltimore, Miss A. Adelle Ford, of Still Pond, graduates of the M. S. U. S; Miss Katie C. Ford, of Lampsons, Mr. Joseph Beehler, of Baltimore, and Mr. William B. Tarbutton, of Berwyn, Pa., are being entertained at the home of Captain George Tarbutton by Miss Katherine Tarbutton.

Mrs. E. H. Shelley, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and her little daughter, Winifred Virginia, who have been visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Rowe, of Kennedyville, accompanied by Mrs. Amy Jeannette Shelley of Rome, N. Y., has returned to her home.

Miss Lillie M. Rowe, of Kennedyville, and Miss Ethel Rowe Shelley, of Brooklyn, N.Y., were guests of Mrs. Alice McFeely, Miss Ethel Bacchus and Miss Hattie Bacchus from Wednesday to Friday of this week.

We are pleased to record the fact of the celebration by Mr. Josiah Lusby of another birthday. This one was his 83 and may he live to see many more and with good health enjoy them.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blakeney, of Philadelphia, spent this week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blakeney.

Miss Miram Jessop, of Lankford, has entered the training school for nurses at the Hospital for Crippled and Deformed Children, Baltimore.

Mr. J. B. Richardson, of Macon, Mo., is in Chestertown. He reports a good wheat crop in his territory and plenty of hay which sells for $4 per ton, but the corn outlook is very poor.

Mrs. George C. Atkinson, has been quite sick at her Chestertown home. She is 85 years of age.

Misses Elsie and Alice Philpitt, and Miss Agnes Simmons, of Washington, D. C., have been guests at the home of Mrs. Ivens, Chestertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheetz, of Washington, D. C., spent a few days this week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sappinghon, Chestertown.

Miss Agnes Schley, of Frederick City, has been the guest of Mrs. Jas. T. Ireland. Miss Schley is a cousin of the renowned Admiral Schley, the hero of Santiago. Mrs. Mary Worrell, of Philadelphia, is also the guest of Mrs. Jas. T. Ireland. Mr. and Mrs. Ireland pleasantly entertained a company Monday evening in honor of their guests.

Miss Bertha Hynson is a guest at the Bettertown House, Betterton.

Miss Mary Wheatley, one of the pretty daughters of Mr. Charles Wheatley, of Annapolis, is visiting her cousin, Miss Bessie Wheatley, Chestertown.

Miss Ethel Mead, of Baltimore, and Miss Anna Towman, of Anne Arundel, are guests of Miss Anna Brock, Chestertown.

Misses Pearle Faulkener and Julia Woodmender are visiting the Misses Holden near Queenstown.

Rev. J. Franklin Bryan and family, of Dover, Del., have been guests this week of Mrs. M. E. Watts, on Washington avenue. Rev. Mr. Bryan is meeting with success on his new charge.

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