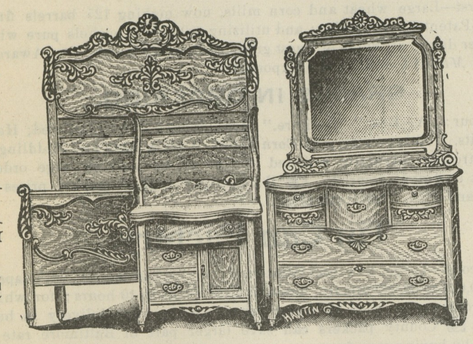
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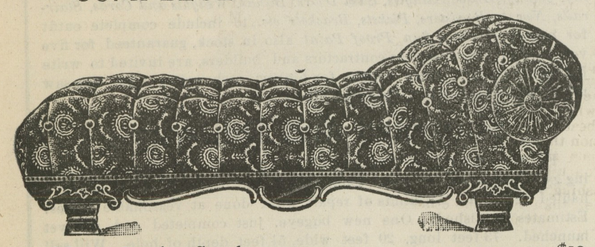
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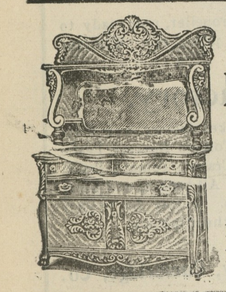


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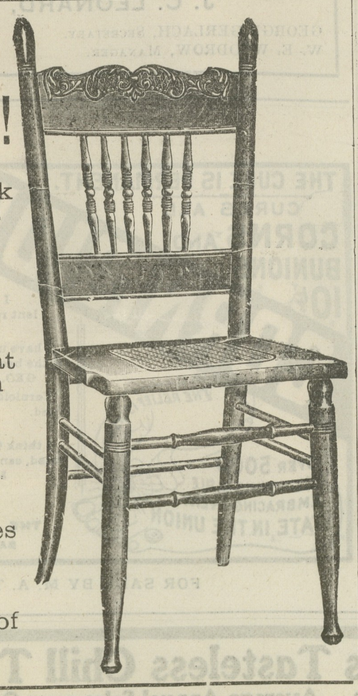
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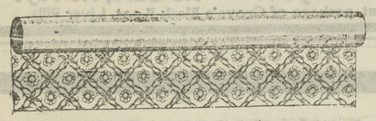
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WORTON ITEMS.

Mr. Wm. Copper who was injured some time ago while at work is reported much better.

The Ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold their spring festival and "country store" in lecture room of church on May 27th. Come and help.

The Epworth League held its monthly business meeting and social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clements Jester. A large crowd was present and a pleasant evening spent by all.

Mrs. Henry Anderson, of near Worton, entertained her Sunday school class at her home on last Saturday afternoon. Those present were; Florence Jones, I. Honn, Ella Fortner, Martha Usilton, Mamie Greenwood, Ethel Rash, Mabel Gears, Eunice and Clara Cooper, Ella Fowler, Mildred Jamar and Lillian Joiner. A pleasant time was spent by all present.

Mrs. George Cooper and children are spending some time with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wood of Still Pond.

Mrs. J. V. Duyer, of Coleman, was the guest of her parents in Worton on Thursday.

Mrs. G. F. Clark and Mrs. John Brice, of Betterton, spent Tuesday the guest of friends in this place.

Mrs. J. W. Ivens and grand-daughter little Miss Linda Sheets, of Worton, visited friends in Chestertown last Saturday.

Miss S. E. Jarney is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Clark, of Betterton, Md.

Little Miss Katharine Loller, of near Melitota, is visiting at the home of her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Duyer.

SASSAFRAS ITEMS.

Mrs. Jesse Sheppard, of Middletown, is with her mother here, Mrs. B Caulk.

Dewey Park will open for the season of 1905 on Wednesday evening May 24, and great preparations are being made to make the evening a great social event of the season

Rev. F. T. Little D. D. president of Maryland Annual Conference. M. P. church will preach in Warwick Mt Olivet M. P. church Sunday May 21st at 8 P. M., he will also preach in Salem M. P. Church at 3 P. M. same day. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. W. S. Morris who has been sick resumed business at her office yesterday, Monday for the first time for several weeks. Every one seems so pleased with the location of the post office and say "it's put in the right building for central."

Mr. Irving Spry visited Still Pond from Sunday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Roe, Miss Rolph and Mr. Painter all of Sudlersville, were entertained over Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. John F. Tarbutton, at their beautiful home near town.

Mrs. Therza Shallcross entertained Mrs. E. Sutton from Friday until Monday afternoon, former of Locust Grove.

The Rehoboth M. P. Church will reopen in June, providence permitting. The church will be greatly improved.

Miss Blanche Wright daughter of Dr. J. J. Wright, of Warwick, was entertained for several days the past week at the home of Mr. Isaac Gibbs near Masseys.

Miss Leah Vansant has made quite a hit here in opening such a beautiful store, just packed full of everything at such reasonable prices.

Mr. Frederick Vansant, of Wilmington, visited his family here this week.

Mr. Jesse Hartly, of Wilmington, visited his father-in-law for several days last week, Mr. C. Brice near town.

Mrs. Anna Lindsy wife of the late William Lindsy, of Chesapeake city, died at the home of her devoted daughter, Laura, wife of the late J. T. Wilson, at Elkton last week. The funeral took place at Bethel M. E. cemetery on Sunday afternoon last. Mrs. Lindsy was a most lovely Christian lady, she leaves an only daughter and two sons to mourn her loss, he friends here sympathize deeply with them.

Mrs. B. Caulk who has been seriously sick for some weeks was very greatly improved this past week but Monday evening she grew worse and at this writing is again seriously ill.

The members of the M. E. Church have kindly invited the members of the Rehoboth M P. church to worship there during the repairing of the M. P. church and providence permitting they will hold services there next Sunday morning at half past 10 o'clock. Owing to the stormy evening on Sunday last they were unable to accept of their kindness to hold services in the M. E. church as they had fully intended to do.

MARRIAGE licenses have been granted O. Briscoe Chrisfield and Mrs. Annie E. Mulford; Raymond Watson and Mary V. Elburn.

DICK JOHNSON, an inmate of the almshouse, attacked keeper William Ford recently but his plucky daughter came to his rescue and together they succeeded in subduing the unruly man, Justice Hicks gave Johnson a hearing Wednesday and sentenced him to 60 days in jail.

KENNEDYVILLE NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Krusen, of Still Pond, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Haggerty and daughter Helen left Monday for a two week visit north with relatives.

Miss Lula Boggs and friend, of Crumpton, spent Saturday at the home of Mrs. S. E. Barrick.

Mrs. Susie Shallcross is visiting her brother, Mr. John Bennett, near Still Pond.

Miss Emma Hessner, of Chestertown, was entertained on Sunday last by her mother Mrs. C. Hessner.

Mr. Clarence Kelley was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jewel near Still Pond.

Miss Emma Shafer has returned home after spending sometime with relatives in Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Mr. Jesse Medders, of Chestertown, spent Sunday at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Medders.

Mrs. Wm. Webb spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cleaver.

The regular monthly meeting of the Kennedyville W. C. T. U. was held Friday evening of last week May 12 in the M. P. Church. After a short song-service with Miss Susie Melvin at the organ, the meeting opened with singing "Where he leads me I will follow," and prayer by Mr. J. R. Jarrell. A very instructive scripture reading was given by Mrs. Rachel Hill. Recitations were given by Misses Ada Hurlock, Lizzie Jones and Lizzie Hessner. An amusing article was read by Miss Susie Johnson. The President, Mrs. Othoson, gave an appropriate talk in which she admonished the strong to help the weak as much as possible and to overlook their infirmities and should they fall take by the hand and help them rise again. The choir sang, "We'll give them something better," and thus closed a very interesting meeting.

On June the 9th the birth-day of Jennie Cassidy will be observed by holding a flower mission service. All are invited to be with us.

STILL POND NEWS.

Mrs. Money and Mr. Wylie Hodgson visited Rock Hall Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Coleman is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Sallie Norris and daughter Laura are visiting at Galena.

Mr. Carl Norris spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mrs. Walters and daughter Anna are visiting in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Crewe, of Chestertown, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Atwell.

Mr. Harry Ricards visited Baltimore last week.

Mrs. John Schofield has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Ned Schofield and children and mother, Mrs. Harding, have been visiting at Queen Anne's.

Mrs. Schofield who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Woodall, for a month has returned home.

The Worton Base ball nine played our nine Saturday, score 13 to 26 in favor of Still Pond. The girls of our town would like to cross bats with the Worton nine Saturday.

Sales.—The fine farm of the late Thos. W. Skirven, situated on the Chesapeake Bay will be sold at public sale on Tuesday, June 6th, as elsewhere advertised in the NEWS.

The valuable [illegible] of the late Capt. P. Walmsley, of Fredericktown, consisting of boats, wharehouse, dwelling, etc., will be sold at public sale on Wednesday, May 31. See this issue for particulars.

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This falling of your hair! Stop it, or you will soon be bald. Give your hair some Ayer's Hair Vigor. The falling will stop, the hair will

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"My hair nearly all came out. I then tried Ayer's Hair Vigor and only one bottle stopped the falling. New hair came in real thick and just a little curly."—MRS. L. M. SMITH, Saratoga, N. Y.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

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ROCK HALL NOTES.

The long dry spell which had began to be serious so far as the wheat and grass crops were concerned, was put to route on Sunday evening by a copious rain much to the joy of man and beast.

The game wardens have struck the fishermen here about a sola plexus blow, quite a lot of netting has been destroyed which falls heavily on the fishermen. The stake net and pound net men have realized that they didn't know as much fish law as they thought they did, and verily they think the lawyer's knowledge along that line is on a par with their own.

Postmaster Downey says he is as good a 20th century man as any other man in town. The post office is conducted on 20th century ideas, the office is located in a section of the town that is far superior to either of the corners, and when the time comes for the appointment of his successor, he will be an applicant for reappointment. Look sharp V. John is going to make the fur fly.

The fishing season is about over and the various crews report a very unremunerative season.

A number of our watermen have secured employment at Sparrow's Point for the summer and others will go into the fruit and vegetable fields of Anne Arundel county. Others will crab and purse net fish. The Leary factory and Tolchester contingents are expecting a good summer's work at those places.

Bro. Haman and the great luminary, The Sun, are again getting much concerned about the luscious bivalve of the bay and tributaries. Would be assemblymen better get ready for the biennial examination prior to election as a list of questions as to their views on the oyster planting scheme will be on hand in due time.

One of our young [?] mechanics, Mr. W. K. Ayres, celebrated his 78th birthday last week by nimbly riding his bike a distance of three miles and doing a hard day's work at carpentering. On his route he met 14 road workers and offered to hire any one of them to give him a 'scrimmage' but seven of them were afraid and the others 'dassent' take his offer.

While putting in a bridge in front of Blackiston's store last Friday Capt. W. H. Harrison had the entire end of a finger mashed off and Mr. Jas. Harrison, who was assisting, also sustained a hurt finger. But they continued at work.

Mr. Geo. L. Maslin being a veteran of the civil war and 62 years of age is entitled to a pension under Roosevelt's act. May be speedily receive for his service due recognition.

Mr. Hezekiah Smith, of Queen Anne's, is being entertained by relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Rodney were guests of their daughter, Mrs. James Davis this week. The venerable couple were looking hale and hearty.

Mrs. John W. Downey has returned to her home here after a delightful visit with her daughter, Mrs. George V. Hatcherson, near Chestertown.

Home grown strawberries are in our market and wheat has begun to head. Some smut is in the wheat and it is not very good in some places.

Mr. C. S. Smith is quite sick.

Sunday services at the R. C. and M. E. churches were largely attended and Parson Burris' theme was 'The trials of Christianity.' Among other things he said "it was good to have money, it was comforting to have friends, it was blessed to have good health, but is was more blessed than all these to have faith in God."

Mr. Geo. W. Venable on Wednesday morning found himself out a pair of horses. They either wandered off from the pasture lot or were stolen. Up to Thursday morning ne had not heard from them.

Locust Grove Notes.

Rev. Robert H. Comly is spending a few days with his father, Mr. Robert Comly.

Mrs. J. W. Hurtt is on the sick list

Miss Hallie Sutton is visiting friends in Cecilton.

Miss Viola McGuire is visiting friends in Millington.

The Ladies Aid Society was reorganized May 18. We hope success during the coming year.

Mr. Charlie Jefferson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hill.

Miss. Anna S. Matthews spent Saturday with Miss Isabel Van Dyke.

Miss Pauline Stauffer entertained Miss Della Price on Sunday.

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Chocolate Almonds 40c is closing out sale at Chas. S. Smith's.

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For sale very, very cheap the remainder of a $6,000 stock.

GROCERIES
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All To Go and Go They Must By June the First.

2 Five Foot Oak Frame, 1 Glass Show Case.....$6 00
2 Six Foot Oak Frame 1 Glass Show Case..... 7.00
1 Seven Foot Nickle Frame 2 Glass Show Case..... 8.00
1 Eight Foot Nickle 2 Glass Show Case 8 00
1 Six Foot Oak and Nickle, 2 Glass Show Case..... 6.00
All Flat Top and in a No. 1 condition.
3 Sets Money Weight Scales, 1 pair cost $15.00 at $7.50; one cost $15.00 at $10.00; one pair cost $55 00 at $35.00. A quantity of other Scales to go cheap.
Molasses Pump and a lot of other STORE FIXTURES all to go at HALF PRICE.

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MATTINGS.

We still have a nice line to select from. Prices range from 8½c to 30c yd.
Rugs—25c to $2 50.
Window Curtains—a good one 50c curtain for 25c.

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Enamel Beds—brass trimming, very heavy, for only $4.25.
Couches—Prices $4 50 to $12.00.
Special—6 Cane Seat Chairs and one Rocker, $5.00. Price good for this week.
Drop Head Sewing Machine, five year guarantee, $15.00.

PAINTS.

We have put in a full line of all kinds of paints. If you are thinking of painting give us a chance before buying. We have the price and quality.

WE SELL

Lime, Hair, Cement, Felt Roofing, Bailed Hay, Chops, Ships and Bran. Can furnish you anything you want.

CORSETS, 65c.

We bought last week 200 pairs Corsets regular $1.00 kind. Are selling them at 65c. A great bargain. Sale this Wednesday only.

DRY GOODS.

4-4 Fruit of the Loom Muslin, yd	6½c
4-4 No Brand Muslin, yd	5½c
Lancaster Gingham, yd	5c
9-4 Sheeting, good, yd	16½c
12½ yard wide Percales	8½c
Light Calicoes, yd	2½c

GROCERIES.

1 lb Can Chipped Beef	15c
4 lbs Evaporated Apples	25c
6 Good Fat Mackere	25c
1 3-lb Can Tomatoes, 1 3-lb can Beans, 1 3-lb Can Sweet Potatoes, 1 Can Shoe Peg Corn for	25c
Jar Syrup	9c
Good Prunes, 6 lbs	25c
Fairbanks Soap, 3½ bar 6 for	25c

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