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Well, this is about the expression of those visiting our Regular Semi-Annual Reduction Sales.

We now propose to clear up all Summer goods at very much reduced prices.

Now we mean reductions from our already low quotations and every article of merchandise in our establishment is marked in plain figures. You can well see the significance and realize the difference in prices asked for similar qualities by city houses.

Come early while we have a fair assortment in Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Straw Hats, Summer Underwear, Separate Trowsers and all Summer Merchandise will now be cleaned up.

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MILLINGTON ITEMS.

Mr. Edward B. Merritt and family, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. C. M. Hurtt.

Mr. Theo. A. Cook, of Philipsburg, Pa., is visiting friends and relatives in town.

Mr. Elwood Mallalieu, of Buffalo, N. Y., is spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Julia Mallalieu.

Mr. Leanord West was the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. P. Ahern, last Sunday.

Mrs. Dukehart, of Baltimore, is visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Florence Duxehart.

Mrs. Rachel Davis, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Jennie Lees.

The Sunday School Rally and picnic of the M. E Church south, which was to have been held in Jones' woods Wednesday had to be postponed on account of the inclement weather.

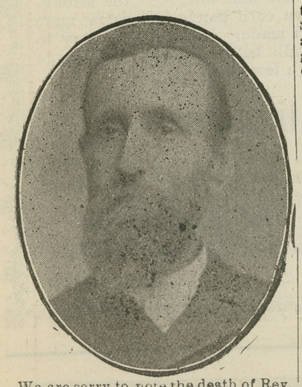
Mr. Harry Talbott attended the great convention of the P. O. S. of A. held in Westminster, Md., this week.

The continuous rain of this week caused many of our young people disapointment by preventing them from attending the Marydel camps as the traveling was bad and rain has the effect of dampening the pleasures of campmeeting.

Mr. G. B. Taylor is confined to her home with inflamatory rheumatism.

Mrs. Belle Johnson and daughter, of Wilmington, was the guest of Mrs. John Wiest of last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Hubbard is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Lackoman.



We are sorry to note the death of Rev. C. K. Morris at his home in Centreville. Several years ago Mr. Morris preached at the M. E Church in this town, and had many warm friends in this community. He was buried at Sassafras, his old home, Friday morning. J. L. Smith funeral director.

WORTON ITEMS.

Mrs. Charles Mitchell and son Walter of Philadelphia, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Sheats.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hackett, of Still Pond, visited Mrs. Hackett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Gears Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Turner and daughter, Sara visited Baltimore last week.

Mr. James Sheats has been quite sick at his home here.

Little Miss Beatrice Dalton and her brother, Frank are spending the summer with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sutton, of near Worton.

Mrs. Welsh Crew is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Turner.

Mrs. Vernon Barnett has returned to her home in Chestertown after a long visit to her parents here.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. W. N. Sherwood occupied the pulpit at Christ Church Sunday evening and made a favorable impression on his congregation.

Rev. W. L. White is enjoying a vacation and there will be no preaching in the M. E. Church tomorrow.

Rev. A. N. Ward, of Washington, has accepted a call to Seattle.

Dr. D. L. Greenfield has been granted a vacation and will spend part of same at Northfield.

The rain seriously interferred with the Christian Eadeavor Convention at St. James on Thursday. However about a hundred persons were present and a grand day of spiritual interccurse was enjoyed.

ONE of the best games of base ball played at Betterton this season was contested on Tuesday between the Crimson Athletic Club, of Baltimore, and Betterton. The Crimson team was made up of picked players from the strongest teams in Baltimore, such as the B. & O., Maryland Athletic Club, Bartlett-Hayward, Belair and Walbrook. After a hot game, the visitors won out with a score of 1 to 0. The Baltimore men played hard, and Capt. Bouse, of Betterton, ran his team in good shape. Wheeler, Betterton's first baseman was absent. Hoover made his first error since coming to Betterton on a hard ground ball which he cleverly stopped but did not handle cleanly. Both Reynolds of the Betterton team and Baker of the Crimsons did good work in the box. Owens umpire. A good game is expected today between Mt. Washington and Betterton. On August 19th, Betterton plays the Bartlett-Hayward team. The game will be worth coming to see.

PERSONAL JOTTINGS

The Coming and Going of People You Know About.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel R. Clements, Dr. and Mrs. J. Roy Micou left town this week for a ten days' stay in the Cattskill mountains.

Miss Edith Dunbracco is visiting Miss Clements near Crumpton.

Mrs. Wm. S. Walker, of St. Louis, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Barbara Anthony is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Luther Albert, in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. J, W. Lambert and grandson, James Bacchus, are visiting in Baltimore. Master James and Mr. L. spent to-day at Pen Mar.

Mr. George White is visiting friends about Seaford. He took part in a game of ball in which the opposition could not touch him.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude F. Parks were visited by the stork this week and a fine boy presented them.

Miss Wilson, of Laurel, Md., is visiting friends in Kent.

Miss Addie Hurlock visited Miss Shafer at Kennedyville this week.

Mrs. M. J. Howard, of Still Pond, has been the guest of her daughter in town for ten days.

Mrs. Jacobs and children, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lewin U. Skirven, near town.

Miss Mary E. Toulson and sister, Emily, of Wilmington, are visiting relatives in Chestertown.

Mr. Wm. H. Ivens, of Philadelphia, is visiting his mother, on High street. He was accompanied home by Mr. Sam'l T. Moore.

Miss Hester A. Russell is visiting her sister in Denton.

Miss Mary Wysecki, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Fowler.

Miss Grace Holmes, of Easton, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Sherwood, on High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Maroney, of Wilmington, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sappington.

Misses Hallie and Mabel Toulson left this week for a short stay at Buena Vista Springs.

Mr. Wm. R. Maul and Miss Phoeba Maul are enjoying a well earned visit to friends in Bridgeton, N. J. They will also visit Atlantic City and other places. During their absence Miss Gussie Cannan and Fred. Hirons will have charge of the store.

Mrs. Fallowfield and daughter, Anna, of Centreville, have been guests this week of J. H. Sides and wife.

Misses Lillian Speakman and Emma Lewis, of Smyrna, have been guests at the home of Senator Foxwell, Blacks.

Prof. Thos. F. Garey, of Denton, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. J. Frank Davis, of Mullin & Sons, Wilmington, is spending a week with his mother on Mill street.

Mrs. W. A. Melvin, nee Miss Minnie Peregov, has been quite sick at the home of her parents on Mill street.

Miss Helen Gale is visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Hatcherson.

Miss Mamie Todd, of Patapsco Neck, is the guest of Miss Katie Trew at Providence Farm, Quaker Neck.

Mr. Samuel H. Greenwood, of the International Harvester Co., is visiting his parents, near town.

Mrs. R. F. Parks joined a party of friends for a short stay at Atlantic City this week.

Rev. W. L. White was called to Wilmington last week to attend the funeral of his niece.

Mr. Virgil W. Kendall, of Rock Hall, has been appointed manager of the Dixie Fair store in Chestertown.

Mrs. J. F. Vansant and daughter, of Philadelphia, are guests of her mother on Queen street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brice, Mrs. C. R. Twilley and two sons are visiting Ocean Grove.

Misses Sara Beck and Violet Beck were participants in a jolly house boat party from Elkton last week.

Mr. G. Ray Sparks is visiting relatives in Kent. Mr. Sparks has been selected to manage one of the Regal Shoe stores in Detroit and will make that city his home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ringgold have been attending the P. O. S. of A. convention in Westminster this week and report a fine visit.

Mrs. S. T. H. Pfeffer and Mrs. Benj. Middleton are enjoying a trip to Virginia on the trim schooner Cecilia. We venture to assert that there will be better meals served on this trip than on any previous one.

Mr. Marion deK Smith, Jr., has been appointed Assistant Supervisor on the Pittsburg Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad and is located at Greensburg, Pa. This is quite an honor for our fellow townsman and is hailed with pleasure by his many friends in Kent.

Prof. A. B. Burris has resigned as instructor in athletics at Washington College and will devote his attention to the study of medicine. He is very popular in Chestertown and his departure is much regretted.

Misses Emma and Mary Knight are enjoying the pleasures of Ocean Grove, New Jersey.

Mr. Alfred Crew has been suffering with an injured foot. He pierced his toe with a nail that incapacitated him for work for a week.

Mr. Robt. Kemble is recovering from a fall out of a cherry tree, in which he received a 7-inch cut on the head.

Miss Ada Barnett, with her cousin, Miss Barnett, of Magnolia, Del., are stopping on State's avenue, Atlantic City, N. J.

Miss Ruth Robinson, of Still Pond, and Miss Edna Copper, of Chestertown, have returned to their homes after a pleasant visit at the home of Miss Maude Lathem, near Melitota.

Mrs. Mattie L. Robinson and daughter Beulah, of Wilmington, have returned after a pleasant visit to her mother's Mrs. William Stouffer.

Miss Blanch Stouffer is visiting her sister Mrs. Mattie L. Robinson, of Wilmington, Del.

Miss Mary Fennimore is the author and composer of the one song to be entered by Brennen & Story, 27 N. 28th St., N. Y., in the New York Music Publishers Contest for a place in Anna Held's play, "Papa's Ducness."

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Loller are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a bouncing baby boy.

Miss Flora McCourt has returned from a visit to Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jarrell are spending a week at Ocean Grove, N. J.

Rev. E. P. Roberts and wife, of Easton, spent Sunday with Rev. A. H. Covey and wife at Pomona, and for the past week have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Toulson.

Mr. Hugh Townsend, of Montgomery county, visiting his daughter, Mrs. Dr. H. G. Simpers, in Chestertown.

Mr. B. Wilson Orin, Landurberg, Pa, Geo. P. Reardon, New Garden, Pa., Mr. E. K. Taylor, Koalin, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. McWhorter, on Washington Avenue.

Mr. Howard S. Patterson, of Philadelphia, was a welcome visitor to the NEWS office Thursday.

Mrs. M. E. Watts has been spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Clendaniel, near Kennedyville.

Mrs. George T. Hudson spent several days at Rehoboth this week.

Mrs. Charles Frazier, of Washington, spent Sunday at the College with Mrs. A. B. Frazier.

Dr. C. P. Gilpin was compelled to leave Chestertown Saturday because of a serious break-down in health, and will spend awhile with his relatives in Elkton. Dr. Gilpin is held in high esteem here and his many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Wright and their interesting little son are visiting their Aunt and Uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. McWhorter, on Wathington, Avenue.

Mr. J. B. Richardson, of Macon, Missouri, is in Kent and reports big crops in the West. He will sell a load of 30 mules in Chestertown next Saturday, August 19.

Mrs. Wm. J. Vannort and granddaughter, Miss Maud Sheppard, are spending a week at Atlantic City.

Mr. J. Raymond Simpers, book-keeper in the Kent County Savings Bank, is spending a week's vacation in Westminster and elsewhere.

Prof. A. N. Ebaugh and wife, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Leaverton, near Chestertown.

Mr. Wm. J. McFeeley, of Washington College, celebrated his 74th birthday on Wednesday evening with a watermelon feast and was as young as anyone present. Among those who paid respects to Mr. McFeeley and his estimable wife were Dr. J. R. Micou and wife, Prof. J. S. W. Jones and wife, W. Bradford Copper and wife, Miss Driver, of Ridley Park, Misses Matthews, Miss Marker, Miss Palmer Carroll, Miss Emma McFeeley, J. Waters Russell, Wm. B Usilton, Jr.

Miss Katie Kelley and little nephew Harry Feihe, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Chas. E. Woods, at Pomona.

Miss Isabella Lambert, of Chestertown, has returned from an extended visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. Clinton W. Wroth visited the State encampment at Belair this week.

Misses Ivy and Lelia Elburn, of Rock Hall have returned home after spending a week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elburn, of Chestertown, accompanied by their cousin, Miss Nettie Elburn, of Chestertown.

LeRoy Rex Crosby, of Pittsburg, is visiting at his parental home, Maple Croft.

Among those registered at Staley's cottage on the Chester, are these: Geo. Rollman and family, J. B. Bassford and family, Alfred Meyer, wife and son, J. Eggling and wife, Mrs. Harry Hildebrand and family, Mrs. John T. Mullin and son, Mrs. P. Flannigan, Mrs. John A. Smith, Mrs. Chas. W. Addison and daughter, Misses Mary Mullin, Mary Hayden, Lillie Leber, Edna Lipps, Ida Boblitz, Elsie Zeigler, Lillian Lamphere and Mr. Jno. Lipps.

ACCIDENT PROVED FATAL.

Mr. William F. King, of Chestertown, Dived in Shallow Water at Betterton and Broke His Nedk.

The NEWS last Saturday noted the injury to Mr. Wm. F. King, known in Chestertown as Capt. "Billy" King. The injury proved fatal and he died Tuesday afternoon at the City Hospital Baltimore. At his bedside were his father, Edwin D. King; his mother and sister, Miss Mary King, his brother, Mr. J. P. King, and several friends from Chestertown.

Capt. King was 30 years old, the son of Edwin D. King, a wealthy dry goods merchant of Philadelphia. While swimming at Betterton Friday afternoon of last week he dived into shallow water striking his head violently and breaking the second, third and fourth curvatures of the spinal column. He was put on an excursion steamer and accompanied by Mr. W. W. Henderson carried to the City Hospital.

Capt. King had been making his home at Chestertown during the summer for several years, managing a canning factory in La Boutre, Ala., during the winter. Some weeks ago he went to Betterton to manage the launch "Cinderella" owned by Mr. Wilbur Eliason, Jr. An all-round athlete and an expert swimmer, he went into the water at the resort and had been swimming for some time when he was hurt. Lack of familiarity with the water is the only explanation of the accident.

He did not know and his friends did not know that his neck had been broken. All thought that the injury probably amounted to no more than severe shock. His tremendous vitality impressed the physicians at the City Hospital. When he was placed on the board in the accident room there he was still conscious and his mind clear, save when he suffered the intense pain which seized him at intervals. He talked to Dr. Robert Wriston when the latter bent over him in his examination, telling him how he had been hurt.

Dr. Wriston diagnosed the case as a broken neck, and when the patient was examined by Dr. A. C. Harrison, visiting surgeon of the hospital, this was verified. An operation was performed, but little hope was entertained for the patient's recovery. Since the dive he was absolutely without sensation in the body, and if he had recovered would have been doomed to spend the remainder of his life on his back.

Mr King was not married. He had lived a roving life for years. When the Spanish War broke out he inlisted in the First Pennsylvania Infantry, eager to see active service. He got no farther than Georgia. While he has never taken part in professional athletics, he has been fond of outdoor sports and has been an amateur football and baseball player since boyhood. His brother, J. P. King, plays with the Philadelphia Cricket Club and has been abroad several times with them. He has another brother, Edwin D. King, Jr. All are magnificent specimens of physical manhood.

Messrs. J. E. Ferguson, John M. Toulson and other friends here called to see the patient. His wonderful vitality began to fail Tuesday morning and he became delirious, remaining unconscious until the time of his death which occured at 4.30 Tuesday afternoon. His body was interred in Philadelphia.

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"BIG" SAVINGS

If you will quietly walk over our place and see the low prices as marked on the very best goods, you will at once question how we can afford to sell at so low a price.

Think how our goods are bought, and remember how they are sold, and you have the WHOLE CASH TRANSACTIONS IN A NUT SHELL

Come and see for yourself.

We buy for Cash—We sell for Cash.

Large Lot of the Best 50c Work Overalls, Shirts, Jumpers all on the Bargain Table at.....**39c**

Children's 15c Ribbed Hose, also the 18c Lace Lisle Hose, all now **10c**

Ladies' 15c Hose, some 19c Hose, and all real good value, only **10c**

Men's 25c Fancy and Black Hose, real good quality, only.....**15c**

FOR 9c ONLY.

All of those pretty Lawns and Dimities and Percales are now marked in with the other lots for only.....**9c** yard

Buy what you want.

FOR 25c.

The Best All Linen Towels, worth 33c to 40c, choice of the lot for only.....**25c**

SHOE BARGAINS. - $1.98



Men's Fine Shoes, all from our own stock, worth $2.50, $2.75, $3.00; your choice of entire lot for only **$1.98**

Ladies' Fine $2.50 Shoes, same $1.98

Men's $2.50 and $2.75 Wool Pants, choice of lot.....**$1.98**

PLOW HARNESS CHEAP!

$2.00 Hair Collars, only...**$1.69**

$1.25 Jersey Collars, only.. **98c**

$1.50 Plow Bridles, at.....**$1.25**

$1.25 Plow Bridles, at..... **98c**

Plow Lines, only 12½c, 15c

Wagon Harness at same old prices, only **$7.90**

With 1¾ inch traces.

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NEXT WEDNESDAY

AGATEWARE SALE



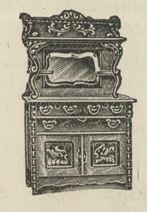
On WEDNESDAY, August 16th, we will sell AGATE COFFEE POTS and AGATE TEA POTS in all sizes, 2, 3 and 4 quarts, worth 25c to 40c each, for only 9c.

One POT to a customer, same conditions as heretofore. Price 9c.

See Window Display.

Take your choice.

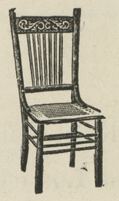
House-Furnishings Lower



16.00 Golden Oak Buffets, plate glass and a beauty.....**$12.90**

18.00 Large Heavy Oak Buffets, at special low price **$13.90**

Full Line of Buffets ...**$5.00** up



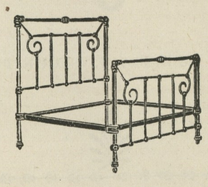
Special on Oak Dining Chairs, worth 6.00 set, price.....**$4.75**

Nice stock to select from.

Oak Rockers.

Cobbler Seat Rockers.

1.75 Porch Rockers, now...**$1.39**



IRON BEDS.

Best White Enamel, all reduced with an extra ten per cent. off the already low prices.

Iron Beds now at.....**$1.98** up

HAIR MATTRESSES.

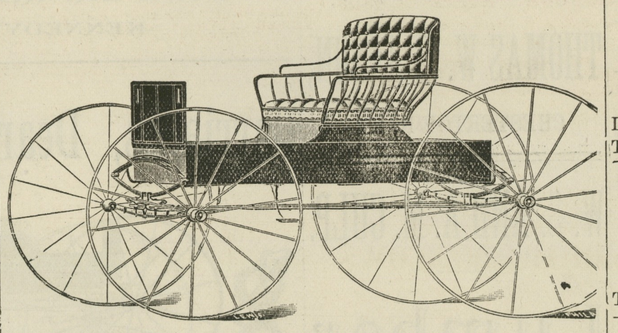
The Best 8.00 Hair Mattresses, in two parts, high grade tick....**6.50**

Good Mattresses, in all sizes and widths, the prices start at..**1.98**

2.50, 2.98.

Special Sale on Carriages!

We begin our Special Carriage Sale on August 1st and if interested, now is your chance.



During August we aim to close out all our vehicles so as to clear our Hall Room and also to prepare for the coming season.

To do this we cut price, we make it pay you to buy even if you are not ready. It means a big saving to you and simply a swap-dollar deal to us. The line of Runabouts, Carriages, Surreys, Daytons is now complete. Terms made satisfactory.

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MORE BARGAINS

45c Agate Berlin Kettles, with cover.....**29c**

40c Agate Preserving Kettles, full 10 quart size.....**29c**

65c Agate Tea Kettles, size 7 or 8, for only **44c**

10c Agate Drinking Cups.....**5c**

20c Agate Stew Pans.....**12½c**

20c Agate Kettles.....**12½c**

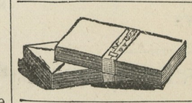
20c Blue Enamel Basins.....**12½c**

50c Covered Berlin Kettles, Blue and White Enamel **39c**

Next Wednesday will be a big day. Every housekeeper can use a GOOD AGATE COFFEE POT and they will be in much demand. Price 9c.

A new package Coffee, C. D. Kenney's Blend, Fresh Roasted and price only 15c lb.

Mason's Porcelain Lined Jar Tops, best made, 1 doz **19c**



8c Package Good Envelopes, 3½c.

Sticky Fly Paper, large double sheet, only.....**1c**

6c Good Grain Rice, lb **3c**

Corn Starch, 1 lb pkge **3½c**

Best Ivory Soap **3½c**

5c Vanilla and Lemon.....**3c**

Broken Grain Coffee.....**9c**



½ Dozen Knives, only.....**29c**

½ Doz 50c Knives and Forks..**39c**

½ Dozen Teaspoons.....**4c**

½ Doz Extra Quality Spoons.....**9c**

Tin Cups for only.....**1c**

China Cups, without handles, half dozen **19c**

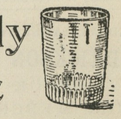
China Cups and Saucers, half doz, only **29c**

China Plates, half doz **25c**

China Plates, half doz **33c**

China Meat Dishes.....**10c**

Earthen Cooking Pans **9c**

Only 1c  Only 1c

Good Tumblers, each **1c**

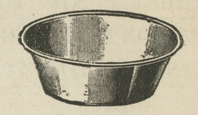
Better Tumblers, each 2c, 2½c, **3c**

Glass Pitchers.....19c, 26c, **50c**

5c Glassware Table.....**5c**

10c Glassware Table **10c**

Large Tables Filled With Bargains.



Large 4 qt Milk Pans.....**3½c**

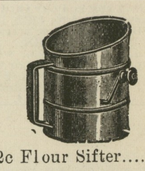
Large 4 qt Pudding Pans **4½c**

Large 6 qt Pudding Pans.....**5c**

Large 8 qt Pans for.... .....**8c**

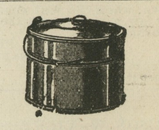
Agate Preserve Kettles, all sizes, all prices.

A special large size Kettle, good agate, worth 60c only 48c



Large 12c Flour Sifter.....**9c**

The Wire Basket Sifter.....**9c**

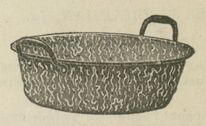


The 4-Quart Buckets **9c**



Large 10c Tin Wash Basins.....**5c**

Large ½ Gal. Cups for only.....**5c**



50c Blue Enamel Wash Pans.....**39c**

75c Blue Enamel Water Pails ...**48c**

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