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Spring Styles!

Everything that's new and nobby in CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS for the man, youth or boy can be found at our store. As always in the past, no pains have been spared in selecting this grand array of wearables.

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All marked as in the past, viz: in plain figures, and they the very lowest consistent with good reliable merchandise.

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to make an early call and inspect these values to your own satisfaction and judgment. It's the best things that sell first—a word to the wise is sufficient.

Yours for business,

J. D. Lucas

(Opposite Stam's Hall.)

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Because of the demand upon our storage room we have decided to discontinue the sale of the well-known

Pittsburg Wire Fence

in order to close out the stock, tho we have a good assortment on hand. If sold quickly will sell at close margin. The Pittsburg Wire Fence doesn't need further recommendation, its durability and other qualities are too well-known. Give us a call or your address, and get our prices.

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—ON—
Mother's Oats.

Every package contains a coupon. For 12 coupons we give one box of oats, or 9 cents in trade or 6 cents cash. Letters will be redeemed as coupons until July 1st, 1907.

For sale by
GEORGE Z. ROLAND,
Chestertown, Md.

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NOTICE.—On May 1, 1907, there will be a reopening of THE RISING SUN RESTAURANT on 132 Maple Ave. This was the old Wm. Perkins Building, an old resident. She shall shine forth in her beauties and blessed is every one that her rays shall shine upon, for in here there shall be oysters in every style in their season. Then comes hard crabs in every style and soft crabs. Picked Hard Crabs.

Ice Cream in varieties, Snow Balls, Milk, Ice, Cakes and Pies. This being a Rising Sun her rays shall shine. This building is three doors from the corner of Cross street and Maple Ave., one block from Main street and two blocks from Chester Bridge, only a pleasant walk. If you will not come just whisper through the phone and your order will be delivered or have special attention.

Ice Cream by the gallon, quart, pint or plate. Just give me a chance before you order from any one else. Notice day of opening.

a13-tf A. ROBINSON, Proprietor.

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A LADY AGENT in each of the following towns for a good specialty, no canvasing. Millington, Galena, Kennedyville, Still Pond, Worton, Lynch, Chestertown, Fairlee Betterton, Rock Hall. Address Box S. KENT NEWS.

FOR SALE.

FIFTY BUSHELS COW PEAS, Whippoorwill Variety, also dark striped Kolb Gem Watermelon Seed, extra quality.
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TWO SORREL MARES, one coming 6 years, the other 7 years old. Well matched, fine drivers, toppy and stylish. Will work in all harness.
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A Clerk to do GENERAL STORE WORK. A single man, settled, that can stay in the store at night. One with good recommendation and experience.
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I am prepared to pasture HORSES and CATTLE. Terms $1.00 per month per head.
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m4-3t Fairlee, Md.

DUCK EGGS FOR HATCHING.

GENUINE IMPERIAL PEKIN DUCK EGGS for setting. $1.00 for 13 eggs. Apply to
JOHN G. WESTCOTT,
m4-3t. Chestertown R. R. No. 8.

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A bran new $30.00 EDISON PHONOGRAPH with 36 new records, horn and crane. Will sell very cheap. Apply to
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WANTED.

10,000 BUSHELS CORN both white and yellow, at the very highest market price.
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That protects against day light holdups as well as robery at night.
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We wouldbe glad to have you call and talk over with us any Banking Matter that may interest you.

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By means of this paper and in other ways to call your attention to the advantages of THE KENT COUNTY SAVINGS BANK.

We have not done this simply to increase our deposits, but to impress upon your minds THE VALUE OF A DOLLAR and THE IMPORTANCE OF SAVING THEM.

It is not our ambition merely to secure your account, but WE DESIRE TO TEACH YOU THE GOOD HABIT OF SAVING.

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MARINE OR STATIONARY
LET US SHOW YOU WHY YOU SHOULD USE
THE FAIRBANKS
INSTALLING A SPECIALTY
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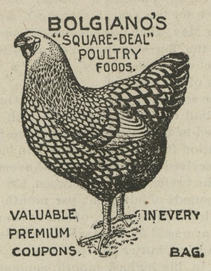
Upperville, Va., April 18, 1907

J. BOLGIANO & SON,
Baltimore, Md.,
In our order of January 26th we included 100 lbs Chick Starter and I have used it with excellent results, have lost less Chicks since feeding it than ever before.
Yours truly,
B. B. GOCHNAUER.



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—WE MANUFACTURE—
"SQUARE DEAL" POULTRY FOOD.
"SQUARE DEAL" POULTRY MASH.
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Insist on having these Foods and you will have better success with your poultry than ever before. Send for Poultry Circular.

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CAREFUL SEED GROWERS,
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NOTICE.

Owing to the fact that I have quite a lot of work on hand I have decided to remain in Chestertown for an indefinate period and any work in my line will receive prompt attention.
Respectfully
m18-tf JOHN M. SOUTH.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS are hereby notified to present their claims against Kent county on or before JUNE 5, 1907, otherwise they will be excluded from interest on same.
CHARLES L. DODD,
m11-3t Clerk to County Commissioners.

CATARRH CURE FOR 10c.

If you are troubled with CATARRH send TEN CENTS in coin or stamps and by return mail I will send you my sure cure.
MADAM HOWARD,
m11-1m 3247 Ridge Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

CEMETERY POSTS FROM $1.00 UP.
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I am still in the stock business and am in a position to pay the highest market price for good lambs for the Philadelphia market. I solicit all my old customers to see me before selling and ask for new customers as I will pay the highest cash price.
S. GROLLMAN,
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WANTED—1000 PIGS.

I want to buy 1000 PIGS. Am also buying all kinds of FAT STOCK. Call on me or drop me a card.
JOHN GALE,
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GROCERIES, PROVISIONS and COUNTRY PRODUCE. White Oak Lumber of All Kinds. I am agent for the Adriance Machinery. Repairs of All Kinds. I also handle Wilbur's Stock Remedies. Yours for business,
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TO FARMERS.

Shippers should not forget the fact that STEVENS BROTHERS, Baltimore, make a specialty of asparagus, gooseberries, fruits, wool and grain. References: Merchants National Bank and Commercial Agencies.
STEVENS BROTHERS,
a27-3t 226 S. Charles St., Baltimore, Md.

WE HAVE IMMEDIATE SALES FOR SMALL FARMS

in Kent county to a very desirable class, who will come here as investors and workers. (The Farmer is the man behind the gun.) Advise if you have large or small farms, or will divide the large ones. Also small places in villages wanted. Prices must be moderate.
Address or call
A. H. SUPPLEE,
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District Manager for E. A. Strout Co., largest Farm Agency in the World.
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ROOMS FOR RENT, either furnished or unfurnished. Also STABLE near the dwelling. Apply to
MRS. M. M. BURCHINAL,
m2-tf Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE TO DISTRIBUTEES.

In the matter of the estate of MARY ETTA EDWARDS, in the Orphans' Court for Kent Co., Maryland.
The undersigned, administrator of the estate of Mary Etta Edwards, late of Kent county, deceased, in pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court for said county of the 7th day of May, 1907, hereby gives notice that he will on Tuesday, 11th day of June, 1907, exhibit in said Court his first and final administration account and make a whole distribution of the Intestate's estate.
And all persons interested in said distribution are hereby notified to appear in person, or by attorney in said Court on the Eleventh day of June, 1907.
HERBERT E. PERKINS,
m11-3t Administrator.

Special Plow Sale
FOR SPOT CASH

We offer the following:
2 Horse Plows, No. 11 Vulcan at $8.25
2 Horse Plows, No. 12 Vulcan at $8.75
Complete with wheel and jointer.
We carry a complete line of CASTINGS for these plows.

Hague, Hackett & Turner
STILL POND, MARYLAND.

Best Lime $1.00.

The purchase of a car load Best Lump White-Wash Lime affords a continuation of the old price of $1.00 per full barrell.
BRUSHES.
The 25c Fibre Brush, 19c
The 20c Fibre Brush, 16c.
The 15c Fibre Brush, 12c.
Full stock on hand.
WM. MEDDERS & CO.

SUPPER AND FESTIVAL.

Ladies of Kesley Chapel will hold an ice cream and strawberry FESTIVAL and SUPPER on FRIDAY, MAY 31. If stormy the next night. Everybody invited.

FESTIVAL AND SUPPER.

The ladies of Betterton will hold a FESTIVAL on MAY 24th and 25th SUPPER on Saturday night the 25th. Shad and Poultry. Ice Cream and Strawberries. Come and help a good cause.
m18-2t.

STRAWBERRY AND ICE CREAM FESTIVAL.

Decoration Day, THURSDAY, MAY 30, Afternoon and Evening, Still Pond M.E.Church green. Proceeds for benefit of Epworth League. Come out and help us. m18-2t

Entertainment AND Festival

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown, will give an entertainment entitled "THE GRAND BABY SHOW" in Stam's Hall, Wednesday evening, May 22, 1907, beginning at 8 o'clock. A festival will follow the entertainment. Admission 10cts

FOR SALE.

4. H. P. ARDMORE MARINE MOTOR at a bargain—in excellent order—sold to be replaced by a larger motor. LOUIS K. STAM,
m18-3t. Chestertown, Md.

WANTED.

Eight hundred SPRING CHICKENS, weighing from 1½ to 2 pounds. Will pay 30 cents a pound.
KILBOURN & WARREN,
m18- Fairlee, Md.

A CARD TO THE VOTERS OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF KENT.

When my name was first brought to your notice as a candidate for the State Senate, it was with the understanding that I was an earnest advocate of the Crawford system of nomination. Step by step I have pressed it upon the leaders and the people; now that we have it, it is upon this plan I stake my chances and ask the voters of my native county (and not the leaders alone) for their help and votes. I cannot see you all and personally solicit your support, but now that you have an opportunity to vote for your friends, I ask that you include George E. Noland for State Senate, and if nominated and elected, I promise to keep to the same method—a square deal to all.
GEORGE E. NOLAND,
m18-3t Tolchester, Md.

FRUIT BADLY HURT.

A Killing Frost the Past Week Plays Havoc With Fruit Prospects.

The prospects for a crop of peaches and pears in this section seems to be growing less. On Saturday night last Kent and Queen Anne's counties were visited by one of the heaviest white frosts that has been known in recent years this late in May. From all reports all growing crops have suffered. Peaches have been damaged very severely and are falling off in great numbers. The keiffer pears were also hurt, one farmer near Chestertown says he looked through his orchard and found scarcely a single live bud to a tree. Bartlett pears were not so badly hurt.

A gentleman writing to the NEWS from Betterton says: Keiffer pears have suffered from the cold rains and tit was so wet and cold at the time of blossoming bees could not fertilize the pears, consequently the pear crop will be a failure. Peaches are hurt badly at the best not over one-third of a crop. Plums are hurt, apples are not far enough advanced to tell about them, altogether this will not be a fruit year.

Cherries will be very scarce from present prospects.

The frosts have also hurt growing potato plants, but did not damage tomato plants much.

The strawberry crop in other sections is said to have been damaged very severely.

THE entertainment to be held in Stam's Hall next Wednesday evening promises to be an interesting affair. The little folks will present "The Great Baby Show"—admission only ten cents. Ice cream and other refreshments will be served after the "Show." See adv. in another column.

Farm Workers for Maryland.—In adopting the South Carolina method of going after what you want and bringing it with you, the Maryland Bureau of Immigration has met with encouraging success. Secretary Trappe brought back with him from Europe a party of thirty-nine farm workers, and, as there are ten applications for every immigrant, they were all allotted to places on the day they arrived.

Of course, so small a number is but a drop in the bucket; but the arrival is significant as being the first of the shower. Other immigrants are now on their way, and the arrangements made by Secretary Trappe in Europe are related upon to direct to Maryland the class of immigrants that is desired for farm work. An influential factor will be the experience of the immigrants who settle in Maryland. If they find that they can prosper, they will write to their friends and influence others to come.

It has often been said that there is no immigration agency so effective as the immigrants themselves. When a foothold has been obtained in any locality, others follow, and the stream thus started tends to broaden to the extent that conditions will allow. The demand in this State for farm labor is far in excess of the supply, and the supply will continue to arrive if duly encouraged.

A LARGE barn and outbuildings on the farm of John M. Tucker, near Elkton, tenanted by Reese George, were destroyed by fire, Monday night, together with a quantity of hay, farming implements and phosphate. The loss, which is estimated at about $2,500, is covered by insurance to the amount of $1,450. The barn contained over 30 head of cattle at the time the fire broke out, but all the live stock was saved. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

A TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

A Church Hill Gentleman Thrown Against a Telephone Pole And Instantly Killed—Other Deaths.

A terrible accident occurred near Church Hill last week. J. Ernest Johns, son of Mr. Thomas B. Johns, of Church Hill, was killed while driving from Church Hill to his home, the Parson Green Farm, about two miles from the latter place.

Mr. Johns' horse became uncontrollable and his team collided with that of Mr. James H. Clough. He was thrown from his carriage with great force against a telephone pole, rupturing a blood vessel and causing concussion of the brain. Death was instantaneous.

Mr. Johns was 23 years old and is survived by a wife, who was before marriage Miss Gooden, of near Henderson, Caroline county, and a 2-year-old daughter.

MRS. GERALDINE V. BELL.

Mrs. Geraldine V. Bell, widow of the late Anthony Bell, died at her residence in Chestertown on Tuesday last, aged about 63 years. She was sick only about a week. Her son Anthony, of Baltimore reached his mother's bedside shortly before she died. She also leaves one daughter, Miss Hannah Bell, one of Kent's public school teachers. The interment took place at 2 o'clock yesterday at St. Paul church; Rev. W. L. White had charge of the services: J. E. Ferguson, undertaker. The bearers were Messrs. Thomas D. France, Geo., Jas., John, Allison and Wm. Bell.

JAMES E. THUMLERT.

James E. Thumlert, aged 96, died at his home in Baltimore on Saturday. He was a frequent visitor to Kent at the home of his niece, Miss Georgie A. Thumlert on the Reese Beck farm, near St. James Church, and was a most remarkable man and very active for his age. He was a visitor at the News office not many months ago and was indeed active for a man nearing the century mark. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. Nannie Glover, and three grandsons.

AWARDED ONE CENT DAMAGES.

The "Jimcrow Law" of Maryland Gives Rise to a Suit for $30,000 Against Railroad.

W. H. H. Hart, a colored lawyer of Maryland, was awarded one cent damages Wednesday by a jury in Circuit Court No. 1 before Justice Wright, of Baltimore. He attained some prominence several years ago by his opposition to the so-called "Jimcrow Law" which was passed by the Maryland legislature.

Hart was a passenger on a train from New York to Washington, and, accompanied by his foster-sister, Clementine M. Bartlett, took a seat in a coach for white passengers. After the train entered Maryland the conductor called Hart's attention to the law, which required colored passengers to travel in separate coaches. He asked Hart to enter another coach, but Hart declined. The conductor telegraphed to the station master at Elkton to have the sheriff of Cecil county meet the train when it arrived there. On its arrival at Elkton a deputy sheriff boardered the train, and in his presence the conductor again asked Hart to take the coach intended for colored people. When Hart again declined he was arrested by the deputy sheriff, taken to the sheriff's office, locked up in jail and subsequently released on $200 bail. At his trial he was fined $5. He appealed from the fine to the Court of Appeals of Maryland, which decided that the court below had no right to fine him, as the "jimcrow" section of the Maryland law could not apply to interstate passengers, but was confined only to colored persons who boarded trains within the state. When Hart was arrested his companion accompanied him to jail, but was released after two hours' imprisonment.

Hart brought suit against the Pennsylvania Railroad and the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Road for $30,000, and, acting for his sister, brought a similar suit for the same amount.

The court decided against the sister, on the ground that she had voluntarily accompanied him to jail, and therefore, she had no just cause for a suit. The court held also that the Pennsylvania Railroad could not be made a party to the suit, because the conductor who had ordered Hart's arrest—George C. Alcorn was an employe of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad.

Chestertown High School Wins.—An exciting game of base ball took place on Saturday afternoon at Rock Hall between Chestertown High School and Rock Hall High School. After many errors, base hits and good plays the score stood 27 to 17 in favor of Chestertown. Miss Jeanette Gooding, Profs. Smyth and Blades of the Chestertown H. S. faculty accompanied the party to the bayside town and rooted for the visitors.

Washington College defeated Betterton on the College diamond on Saturday by score of 5 to 2. The batteries were Johns and Knotts for W. C., Johnson and Moore for Betterton.

The first game of the series for the inter-collegiate championship was played at the new athletic field of W. C., last Friday afternoon, between the Western Marylanders and Washington College, the former winning by a score of 4 to 2. The game was quite snappy throughout though much marred at times by costly errors made by the W. C. players. Wilson for W. C. pitched a good steady and winning game, but did not receive the usual good support of the team. Western Maryland boys were in fine form. A good many were out and enjoyed the game.

A red hot match game was played last Saturday between the "Riverside Stars" and the up-town boys, when the down-towners won by a score of 9 to 8. Pitcher, Jos. Wheatley for down-town; W. Davis and H. Steel up-town; Eddie Blackway caught for both sides.

The Washington College base ball team will play St. Johns College at Annapolis to-day.

The Chestertown boys will play the Centreville High School on the latter's diamond this afternoon.

Live Local Notes.

Real Estate Sales.—The "Kilpatrick Farm," near Lynch,s, containing 211 acres, belonging to the heirs of the late John Z. Clark, has been sold to Robt. H. Vandyke, Esq., of Dover, for $4200.

J. D. Urie, Esq., as attorney for Mr. R. M. Bryan, has sold the "Ford's Shops," near Chestertown, to Rev. J. F. Bryan for $1200.

IN other columns of the NEWS will be found, some fine farms at public sale. The price of wheat and hay should be a lever in making these farms sell well. On Tuesday, Wm. W. Beck, Esq., attorney will sell in Chestertown, the 350 acre McWhorter farm, near Millington, and on Tuesday, 28th he will sell the 300 acre Handy farm. Next Saturday, J. D. Urie, Esq., will sell in Rock Hall the Walmsley land. Other farms are also advertised to be sold later.

An Interesting Lecture.—Mrs. Charles K. Lord, of the Arundel Club, of Baltimore, gave a delightful lecture on Thursday evening before the Woman,s Literary Club, of Chestertown, at the club rooms on Main street. The subject of the lecture was "The Homes of the New England Authors" and the audience was highly pleased and interested throughout. Miss Adele France is the president of this club and it is a credit to the town. Miss Belle Emory entertained Mrs. Lord during her stay.

In Fine Condition.—The steamer Louise returned to her Light street pier Wednesday after making a trial trip down the river for the inspection of her engine and boilers prior to making a trip to Annapolis with the Hotel Men's Association. The Louise has been put in thorough repair for the summer business, has been newly painted inside and out and everything put in first-class order. The Tolchester season opens May 29th and preparations are being made at the Beach by Supt. Noland to make every visitor to the resort have a pleasant time.

A Pleasant Dance.—A most agreeable evening was spent on Tuesday by the young people of Chestertown in a dance at Stam's Hall. The affair was arranged by the ladies. Prof. Blank, of Baltimore, furnished enchanting music. Among those present were: Misses Leanor Wilmer, Mary Hines, Emma France, Bonnie Harley, Louise Urie, Anna Smith, Bessie Westcott, Eloise and Ethie Ringgold, Jennie Hines, Rebecca Eliason, Hallie Westcott, Maud Sheppard; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wickes, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Perkins, Mrs. Ringgold, Mrs. Merritt, Mrs. Wilbur Eliason; Messrs. Spedden, Turner, Jump, Truitt, Mackey, George, Porter, Mahoney, Price and Disharoon, of Washington College; Harry Nichols, Thomas Massey, H. W. Vickers, Jr., Wilbur Eliason, S. Scott Beck, Dr. S. W. Merritt, J. G. Beck, Dr. F. B. Hines, William D. Maslin and James T. Earle, Jr.

Flag Presentation at Worton.—The Worton public school, Misses Mary Nicholson and Susie Dunbracco teachers, will be presented with a beautiful U. S. flag next Thursday afternoon, May 23. The flag is given by the Chestertown Council No 177, Jr. O. U. A. M. Mr. W. F. Maslin will be master of ceremonies. The address of welcome will be by Prof. Milton Melvin with response by Mr. Ben'j. F. Rash on behalf of Worton school. The presentation of flag will be by Mr. Wm. F. Russell and speeches will also be made by Messrs. M. Wilber Thomas, H. W. Vickers, Jr., T. D. Bowers, W. B. Coleman and others. The school will render the following program: Prayer, Rev. E. B. Taylor; song, "Maryland," by school; recitation, "The American flag," by Mary Keyser; reading, "Patriotism," Sylvia Carter; song, "Star Spangled Banner," school; recitation, "Wrap the Flag Around Me," May Taylor; Flag Drill, school; song "America," school; recitation, "Love of Country," Eva Duyer.

Remembering the Dead.—Kent's cemeteries abound in suitable and creditable memorials to the dead which are being constantly added to. Mr. J. Wm. Kirby, the Chestertown marble dealer, has recently put up at St. Denis cemetery fine stones to the memory of the late John Stokes and Robert D. M. Pearson, at Kennedyville a beautiful stone to the memory of the late Wm. E. Lane, and at Chester cemetery to the late Prof. John F. Copper, Wm. Silcox and Mrs. Sarah McIntyre.

Hay High In Price.—The high price of hay is attracting attention everywhere and prices are now higher than they have been for several years. No. 1 timothy hay is quoted in Baltimore at $24 a ton in carload lots. This time a year ago it was $17.50 to $18. The price is due to the light offerings, the receipts for the past two days having been only 12 cars, while ordinarily they are about twice that much. New hay will begin to move in about two months. A great number of people in Kent and Queen Anne's are using cow pea hay and getting good results from its use.

THE Morgnec post office will be discontinued after May 31.

THE Chestertown basket factory has closed for a few days for repairs.

THE wool market has been a little dull on account of the late spring.

SMITH & GRAHAM have everything needed for spring work on the farm; building hardware, seeds, wire fence, etc.

A LICENSE to marry was obtained from Clerk Dixon this week for Miss Alice Hurd and Mr. James L. Fogwell, both of Kent.

THE Tolchester boat on Monday in trying to make the landing at Tolchester Beach was driven into the wharf by the wind and tide and tore away a big part of the rail and side.

THE case of Mrs. John G. Seney versus John N. Bennett removed from Kent, was called at Centreville, this week, Barroll and Keating for plaintiff and Urie and Harper for defendants. Mrs. Seney is suing for $5000 damages for alleged assault and choking by Mr. Bennett.

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