Personal ❋ ❋ ❋ ❋ and Social

Mrs. Sheckells, of Baltimore, has been the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Lambert, on Mill street.

Capt. Curtis E. Crane, accompanied by severel friends attended the yacht races in Baltimore Monday.

Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard visited his father in Baltimore Sunday and returning Monday reported him very much improved.

Mr. J. B. Sappington is confined to his bed by sickness and has been quite ill for some weeks and Mrs. Sappington is also quite feeble. They have the watchful care of a loving daughter, Miss Hope, at all times besides a nurse.

Miss Hattie Bacchus has been confined to her home the past week by sickness.

Mr. Marion deKalb Smith, Jr., returned to Wilmington Tuesday to resume his work with the railroad.

Mr. H. Kaplan and family will remove to the Barnett house on Kent Circle vacated by Mr. Sheckells.

Miss Josephine Hicks, daughter of Mr. Samuel Hicks, returned from the South Saturday for her vacation.

Mr. Philip G. Wilmer visited friends in Baltimore over Sunday.

Miss Sheibels, niece of Mr. Alexander T. Laws, who has been making her home at the Pippin Hotel since Xmas, left town last week with her invalid brother for Maine where they hope the changed atmosphere will restore him to health.

Col. Wm. J. Vannort, the commanding officer of the Maryland G. A. R., spent Decoration Day in Baltimore where he occupied a prominent place in the events of the day. The American published a large picture of the Colonel the copy of which, the ladies say, was taken some days before!

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Little, of Baltimore, spent several days in Chestertown this week at the Meth. Prot. parsonage.

Mrs. Chas. R. Twilley fell on the skating rink floor last Friday afternoon and injured her left arm either by spraining the wrist or shattering a small bone in her arm.

Mr. John T. Benjamin, of Philadelphia, spent several days in town this week the guest of his parents, Mr. and Alfred T. Benjamin. He brought with him a sample copy of the outside cover of The Ladies Home Journal for July which was printed in "his" shop. It was a four colored picture of the "Soul Kiss" and a fine specimen of printing. Mr. Benjamin is a graduate of the NEWS office and reflects credit upon his "alma mater."

Mrs. George M. Boone, of Chestertown, is chief engineer at the State Sanatarium in Frederick.

Mrs. D. D. Mattison, of Brockton, Mass., was the guest over Sunday of Miss Nettie Russell.

Mr. W. J. Sappington, of Baltimore, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Emma Rayfield, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kirby.

Miss Bessie Cannan, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. George H. Cannan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Durham, and little son, Dudley, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pinder, son Clifton and little daughter, Muriel, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley, near Still Pond.

Mr. Isaac Morris, of Baltimore, is the guest of Abe Cohen the Sandy Bottom merchant.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hicks have rented the Boggs home on Queen street and will remove there at once. Mr. Robert Moffett has bought the Hicks home on the Avenue and will remove there. Mr. Boggs and wife will remove to Clayton.

Mr. W. Raymond Moody, of Baltimore, spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Russell, of Baltimore, have been visiting their sister, Miss Nettie Russell.

Mr. E. Cordray Loud and Miss Myrtle Mann, of Betterton, spent Sunday in town the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Loud.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Richard Twilley are entertaining the latter's mother, Mrs. James Merritt, of Baltimore.

Mr. Gilbert Jarman, of Baltimore, has been visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. Allen Jarman.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk T. Bramble, of Baltimore, were guests over Sunday of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Coleman.

Mr. Wilmer Coleman, of Baltimore, has been spending a short holiday with his parents in town.

Dr. H. C. Hughes will attend the joint meeting of the Dental Associations of Maryland and the District of Columbia, from June 10 to 20th. His office in Chestertown will be closed during that period.

Miss Ethel Bacchus gave a reception Monday evening in honor of her guest Miss Nannie Gale, of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vanetta, of Philadelphia, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Greenwood.

Mrs. Joseph Woodall, of near Galena, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Duyer.

Messrs. Clifford Rawleigh and Howard Dodd, of Baltimore, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. F. Gurley, and children, of North Carolina, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Wroth, on Front street during the week.

Mr. Herman Hancock, graduate pharmacist, of Snow Hill, has accepted a position with the Stam Drug Co., and has entered upon his duties.

Miss Blanche Constable has returned from a pleasant visit with her brother, Mr. Stephen Constable, in Baltimore.

Master Henry Sparrow, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Joseph A. Wickes, on High street.

Mrs. Thomas B. Elliott is quite sick at her home on High street. Miss Zoa Elliott is able to be out again, we are glad to state.

Miss Bessie Nicholson has been visiting relatives and friends in Baltimore during the week.

Hon. Joseph A. Wickes is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Dr. Wilkins, in Portsmouth, Va.

Mrs. Wm. Price Milby and little daughter, Dorothy, of Trappe, have been visiting her mother, Mrs. S. A. Ivens.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel W. Lynch, of Wilmington, spent part of last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McIntire.

Prof. Wilbur Hirons, of Salisbury, was the gnest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hirons, several days last week.

Miss Beulah Wiltbank, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Nora Wiltbank of Kennedyville and Messrs. Carl and Ralph Dill were guests Sunday of S. Wiltbank and family.

Mr. Jacob Bramble, of Camden, N. J., has retnrned to his work, after spending Svnday with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. Frank Hines, Mrs. Richard Gundry and daughter, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Harris, Chestertown.

Mr. Chas. C. Strong, Jr., was raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason on Wednesday evening last by Chester Lodge of Chestertown.

Mrs. C. H. Davis and boys Charles and James and her nephew Edmund Nugent spent Sunday with her brother Ed. Parsons near Rock Hall.

Miss Myrtle B. Mann, of Hawthorne Place, Betterton, has as her guest Mrs. Chas. Lewis, of Baltimore.

Miss Harvey, of Washington, is the guest of Miss Isabel Beck.

Mr. Robert Gill, son of Rev. J. M. Gill is valedictorian at Western Maryland College. Mr. Lewis who took part in the oratorical contest here won the commencement prize.

Miss Carolene Hynson has returned from her school in Philadelphia for vacation.

Mrs. George B. McWhorter not only has a yard of beautiful flowers but has chickens large enough to fry.

Miss Daisy Nicholson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Nicholson, seems to be a target for all thats going. She now has the whooping cough.

Mr. Thomas Decoursey Ruth has been the guest of friends in Kent this Week, having made the trip from New Jersey in his auto.

Election of Visitors.—The Board of Visitors and Governors of Washington College on Wednesday evening last elected Mr. Philip G. Wilmer and Mr. Wm. B. Usilton, Jr., as members of the Board to fill the vacancies caused by the recent deaths of Marion deK. Smith and Wm. B. Usilton. Both the new members are graduates of Washington College and their election to this honor shows that their Alma Mater appreciates and is looking after her own.

Semi-Annual Meeting.—The semi-annual meeting of the trustees of the Kent County Almshouse was held Wednesday at the county home. The new board which was elected in April, and whose year began May 1st, organized by electing Mr. George T. Hudson president and Mr. J. Hydie Thompson, secretary, both popular appointments and both fully qualified to perform the duties required of them. After the meeting of the trustees the faithful and efficient superintendent, Mr. William Ford, who was re-appointed, invited the Company to the usual dinner prepared under the skilful eye of his daughter, Miss Sue Beaston Ford, and to which all did justice. The menu comprised soft crabs, oysters, chicken, ham, vegetables, ice cream and strawberries. Among those present were Geo. T. Hudson, J. Hydie Thompson, Geo. L. Bowers; Jos. Downey, Thos. Donoho, trustees; commissioners Harry Davis, C. D. Wood, Ben. Crew, A. C. Loud and C. B. Dudley; Stonewall J. Johnson, P. G. Wilmer, J. E. Ferguson, Edw. P. Beck. J. R. Bowers, Carson W. Harris, John J. Blackiston, Benj. F. Beck, Thos. Davis, Jos. Watson, C. J. Conner, John Bell, Walter B. Greenwood, Dr. C. W. Whaland, Walter H. Hadaway, Sam'l Hicks, Caldwell Crew, D. B. Ford.

FARMERS are having a hard time getting a good stand of tomatoes.

CHERRIES are said to be more plentiful and better this season than for years.

BLACK DEATH insecticide becomes more popular than ever. Mr. Joseph Guest says he sold a half ton during May

OLD WORTON TRACK REVIVED

Last Monday reminded us of the days when the Old Worton Fair was in all its glory. Quite a large crowd was present and a most pleasant series of matinee races were enjoyed. The judges were John Brice, starter; Albert Story, Elias Othoson and James G. Beck, and they gave perfect satisfaction. There were three races as follows:

CLASS A

Lady Thompson, Jos. Kennard	3	1	1
May, Frank Miller	1	4	3
MacRussell, Thos. Quigley	2	2	2
Boxwood, H. M. Matthews	4	3	4

CLASS B

Jessie, Chas. Toulson	1	1	1
Cobash, Hill Beaston	2	2	2
Betsy D., W. G. Smyth	3	3	3
George Tilghman Hudson	4	4	d

Time—2.38½, 2.38, 2.35.

CLASS C

Lady Diamond, Thos. Toulson	1	2	1
Adversity, Jr., Edmund Hurtt	2	1	3
Smokey, Raymond Bonwill	3	3	2
Marvel, Harry Legg	4	4	4

Time—2.52, 2.49, 2.53.

Arrangements are being made for another matinee race in the near future.

CHESTERTOWN FIREMEN WILL ATTEND

The Volunteer Firemen's Convention in Baltimore Next Week.

The delegates from the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Co. to the State Convention are Harry T. Hoyle, R. Groome Parks, J. Raymond Simpers, Merrick Clements, Wm. L. Fowler; alternates, W. B. Usilton, Jr., S. R. Matthews, Geo. H. Cannan, J. Hydie Thompson, R. Hynson Rogers.

The convention will be held June 8, 9, 10, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and a gala time is expected in Baltimore that week.

The Convention of the Maryland State Firemen's Association will be all the more interesting as it is to be under the auspices of the Volunteer Veteran Firemen's Association.

These old fire-fighters are working diligently, and judging from the energy that is being expended upon the preparation, the affair cannot fail to score an unqualified success.

The Volunteer Veteran's Association is composed of only forty members, the youngest is 74, and the oldest 92, and as these men are assuming all the work of the prospective convention, it will prove beneficial to the city, just as all conventions invariably do. This association is the link that binds grown up Baltimore to the days of its youth, and we should cling affectionately to the little band that protected Baltimore in the undeveloped time.

The procession will occur on the ninth of June and it is estimated that there will be 10,000 uniformed men in line, and forty thousand visitors are expected which will, naturally bring prosperity to the city.

Fine Farms For Sale.—Elsewhere in the NEWS will be found several fine farms to be sold at public sale.

On Tuesday, June 7th, will be sold the W. D. Pennington farm, near Still Pond, 216 acres.

On Tuesday, June 14th, the Hurlock farm, near Kennedyville, of 230 acres will be sold.

On Saturday, June 18th, the Howard farm in Still Pond Neck, of 370 acres will be sold. This farm has 5,000 peach trees in bearing and full of fine fruit at present.

BACKWARD

has been the season. But right to the front are the sales on MOODY & LUSBY Clothes. Not as voluminous as would have been had the weather been more propitious.

Yet we are satisfied with the output. New ones to fill the depleted stock and it is again ready. We solicit an inspection from the most careful fastidious purchaser.

Straw Hats, Felt Hats and all kinds of Hats. This is the Hat house too.

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HILL'S MUSLIN, 9c
Yard wide, fine bleached.
FRUIT MUSLIN, 10c
Yard wide, standard.
SHORT LENGTHS 10c MUSLIN, 7½c.
Fine bleached, 2 to 10 yd. lengths.
LONSDALE CAMBRIC, 12½c
A good standard Cambric.
15c LINENE AT 9c

Specials!

Over 500 yards of the best 15c White Linene, will go on sale at only

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Don't overlook this item.

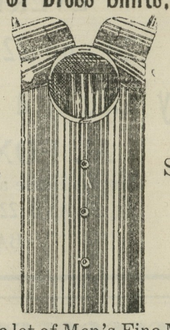
New Style in R & G Corsets

The best $1.00 and $1.25 R. & G. Corsets, all new styles, on sale at

85c

Take your choice, all sizes and all new.

Men's $1 Dress Shirts, 69c.

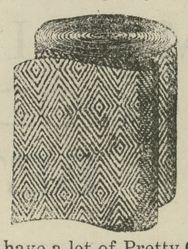


$1 Shirts, 69c — $1 Shirts, 69c

Large lot of Men's Fine Madras Shirts, all select patterns, all sizes, none worth less than $1.00, some $1.25, entire lot on sale now at only 69c.

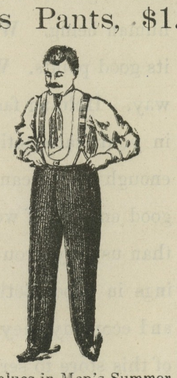
Cotton Warp Matting Cheap.

$10.00 Roll Matting $6.90 only.
25c Japanese Mattings only $6.90 roll.



We have a lot of Pretty Cotton Warp Mattings, just one roll of a kind, worth $10 00 roll, SPECIAL SALE $6.90 Roll.

Men's Pants, $1.98.



Special values in Men's Summer Pants, worth $2.50, choice only $1.98.

GOOD THINGS on SALE for HARVEST

BIG BARGAINS AT THIS SEASON ARE WORTH GOBBLING

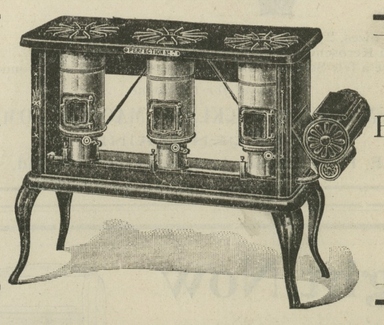
BIG BUYING MAKES THESE LOW PRICES POSSIBLE

Good Quality 6c Rice on sale, per pound, at	3½c
The Best Pint Tin Cups on Sale at	1c
The Heavy 10-Quart Galvanized Buckets on Sale at	10c
The Best 50c Castor Machine Oil on Sale at	25c
Good Corn Starch, extra quality, on Sale at	3½c
The 5c China Bowls on Sale at	3½c
The 12c China Vegetable Dishes on Sale at	7c
The 15c China Vegetable Dishes on Sale at	9c
The 18c China Vegetable Dishes on Sale at	12c
Good China Plates, 6-inch size, on Sale at	4c
Good China Plates, 7-inch size, on Sale at	5c
Good China Plates, 8 inch size, on Sale at	6c
China Cups and Saucers, half-dozen, on sale at	29c
China Fruit Saucers, half-dozen, on Sale at	15c

Summer-Time Goods!

New Perfection Oil Stoves!

Two Burner for $5.90



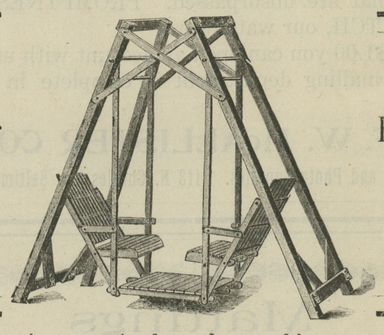
Three Burner for $7.90

The new Perfection Oil Stoves are a great success. Everyone sold on a guarantee and we give you one week's trial. If not satisfactory return it and get a new stove or your money.

THE TWO-BURNER OIL STOVE, "New Perfection" $5.90
THE THREE-BURNER OIL STOVE, "New Perfection $7.90
Legs Extra, per set ..... 50c Large $2 50 Ovens $1.98

Easy-Go Lawn Swings!

Two Passenger for $3.90



Four Passenger for $4.90

We have just received a large shipment of LAWN SWINGS, direct from the factory and are able to quote low prices on these good Swings.

$5.00 LAWN SWINGS (2-passenger) $3.90
$6.00 LAWN SWINGS (4-passenger) $4.90
EXTRA HEAVY LAWN SWINGS at $4.90, $5.90

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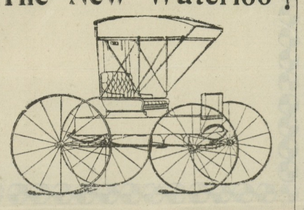

A carload of New Waterloo Carriages ON SALE. This is the result of good purchase we made way last year, and our people have the benefit of the deal.

The name explains the whole situation. No better carriages on the market than the Light Running, Easy Riding and Stylish Looking Waterloo. High grade work, fine buff leather tops, broadcloth or buff leather trimmings.

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The Best $110.00 Waterloo Carriages, special $98.50
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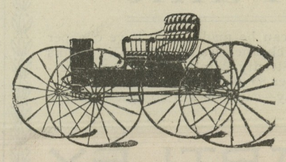
Stylish Runabouts Special for Only **$39.00**



RUNABOUTS, like the regular dealers sell at $50.00, with NEARO Leather Trimmings, Warner Wheels, Bailey Hangers. All complete and ready to go at our low price,

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Extra Runabouts on sale at $42.50, $45, $47.50

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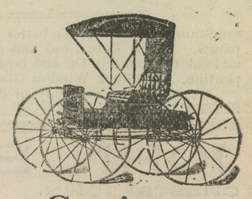
The Best $5 Adjustable Umbrella, with deep fringe, made with all the new improvements. Our special price, $3.75
The $6 50 Double-Faced Duck, Linen-Fringe Canopies, only $4.90
These Canopies will fit any size buggy. We place them while you wait.

Good Carriages Special for Only **$75.00**



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