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RIGHT IN IT!

GET IN THE RING.

We are now ready for the Spring and Summer with the best line of Clothing for Men, Boys and Children that we've ever had, and to the few who do not know about the superiority of our Clothing we say, GET IN THE RING! A suit fromus will cost you perhaps a trifle less than if bought elsewhere; it will fit you better, and retain that same style and shape that you pay double the price for at the tailor shop. Grays are the leading shades this season—a very serviceable color, too—and we have plenty of them to show you. Our line of Spring Trowsers for Men and Boys is up to its old-time standard—the best and largest in town.

Hats and Caps—we have hats for particular men—men who are hard to suit—because we have them in all shapes and styles. Derbys, Slouches, Crushes and Straws, in all the latest shades and patterns.

If you want the best half hose on earth, we sell the interwoven heel and toe that wear just twice as long as any ordinary hose. We havethe sole right to sell this hose in Chestertown.

Yours for business,

J. D. LUCAS.

WANTED.

One Thousand Pigs.

JOHN GALE & SON, Agent

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HARRY L. BOYD,
FIRE INSURANCE,
—NEWS BUILDING—
Feb.20-1 yr. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

JOSEPH N. WHEATLEY & CO.
INSURANCE
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Special Soap Sale

Being overstocked with LAUNDRY SOAP, I am making a special offering of

Three Bars for 10c

Some of the best known brands, usually selling at 5c straight.

GEORGE Z. ROLAND

Galena Bank

—OF—

Farmers' Trust, Banking and Deposit Company,

GALENA, MD.

Transacts a General Banking Business.
Interest allowed on Savings Deposits.
Special Rates on Time Deposits.

JOHN W. WOODLAND,
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Pres't Local Board, Galena, Md.
RICHARD S. WALLIS,
Cashier, Galena, Md

SHALLBOURN PARK

ROCK HALL, MD.

DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT, JULY 7

EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS AT 8 O'CLOCK.

Admission 25 cents; ladies 15 cents.

GOOD MUSIC.

BETTERTON CASINO

ORCHESTRA MUSIC DIRECTED BY MR. ARCH HARVEY.

Bowling, Pool, Row Boats, Launches, Bathhouses, Suits. A good time to everybody.

Beginning July 30th Regular Dances every night, 8.15 o'clock. Admission, gentlemen 25c; ladies, free, except on Saturday night when ladies will be charged 15c.

1t. HOWARD TURNER, Proprietor.

Dewey Park

WE WILL HAVE OUR NEXT DANCE ON

Wednesday, July 11

Admission at Gate, 25c.

SHALLCROSS & MASSEY.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Came to the undersigned two weeks ago TWO HOGS. The owner will please come forward, prove property pay charges and take them away.

GEORGE H. BRINSFIELD,
jy27—3t*. Spry Farm, near Crumpton.

WANTED TO BUY A FARM for cash state particulars. ADDRESS W, Care Milbourne, Advertising Agency, Baltimore Md.
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FOR SALE OR RENT.

THE COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE in Fairlee, on reasonable terms. Apply to THOMAS L. ZENKER,
je16 1807 Juniata St., Philadelphia, Pa.

FOR RENT FOR 1907.

MY FARM on East Neck Island, containing 272 acres. The buildings are sufficient for the farm. For further particulars apply to.

S. W. WATKINS,
June16 4t Rock Hall, Md.

WANTED.

MEN TO WORK IN BRIDGE SHOP. Steady work. Apply to AMERICAN BRIDGE CO.,
je16 Edge Moor, Del.

FREIGHTING.

The BESSIE M. LEWIS is fitted up and prepared to do all kind of freighting business, such as grain, etc., Capt. CHARLES URIE in charge. Apply to JOHN C. JEROME.
je30 3t. Gratitude, Md.

FOR SALE

ONE LARGE BATEAU, carries 200 bus grain, price $35.00.
ONE SMALL SCOW, carries 140 bus. grain, price $25.00. Both in good order. Apply to TURNER & SON,
je23-3t. Betterton, Md.

WHEAT FREIGHTING.

We have the New Bugeye, MIRIAM, carrying 4000 bushels, and the WILLS, 3000; the latter has been rebuilt. Both boats are second to none in the trade, with obliging, energetic captains, and will be glad to freight your wheat for you.

Or should you prefer to sell, I am in position to pay you the highest market price. I represent the old reliable firm of GILL & FISHER, Baltimore.
je16 3t. WILBUR W. HUBBARD.

SMALL FARMS FOR SALE.

ONE FARM OF 280 ACRES,

or TWO FARMS of 140 ACRES EACH, desirably located on public road, adjoining Tolchester farm, in Kent county, Maryland, without buildings. Both have a fine frontage on Chesapeake Bay, with a great fishing shore. Also, 200 ACRES OF WOODLAND. Terms to suit. Apply at
jy7 tf. KENT NEWS OFFICE.

IF YOU WANT A

Gas Engine

MARINE OR STATIONARY

Let us show you WHY you should use

"THE FAIRBANKS"

Installing A Specialty.

WILBUR ELIASON, JR., Chestertown.

THE

Chestertown Bank

Of Maryland

SUCCESSOR TO
THE FARMERS AND MECHANICS BANK
THE KENT NATIONAL BANK
THE CHESTERTOWN NATIONAL BANK,

Protection given our depositors in every way—by conservative management—by

BURGLARY INSURANCE

that protects against day light holdups as well as night attacks.

WE PAY FOUR PER CENT.

on deposits in Savings Department.

Loans made on Approved Notes, Stocks, Bonds, and Real Estate.
We would be glad to have you call and talk over with us any Banking Matter that may interest you.

ALDAY CLEMENTS, Prest. R. D. HYNSON, Vice-Pres't.
M. DEK. SMITH, Attorney. ALLAN A. HARRIS, Cashier.

WE HAVE TRIED

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.

There are so many who put off saving in the radiant June of their lives, and then allow pitiless December find them ABSOLUTELY UNPREPARED.

As the world grows older the general condition of our people should IMPROVE and THE KENT COUNTY SAVINGS BANK is here to help and to serve you. Very truly yours,

J. K. ALDRIDGE, President
M. A. TOULSON, Vice-President
WILLIAM F. RUSSELL, Cashier

DIRECTORS:

JOHN K. ALDRIDGE, MILBOURN A. TOULSON, JOHN D. URIE, JEFFERSON D. BACCHUS, FRED. G. USILTON, RICH'D T. TURNER, JR. JAMES A CASEY, J. EDWIN HURLOCK, JAMES H. BAKER, CHARLES S. SMITH, G. IRVIN BARWICK, WM. F. RUSSELL,

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NOTICE.—The Chapel of the Holy Cross, in Millington, will be consecrated, D. V., on Tuesday next, the 12th inst. Divine Service commencing at 10.30 a. m. The public is cordially invited to attend. Luncheon will be provided. ALBERT WARE, Rector.

NOTICE TO TRAVELING PUBLIC.

Notice is hereby given that the Bridge over the branch near Chesterville is being repaired, and travel over it is suspended until further notice. By order of Board of County Commissioners.
Jy7-3t. CHAS. L. DODD, CLERK.

FARM FOR SALE.

FARM SITUATED NEAR FAIRLEE, Kent county, Md., containing 175 acres, fine quality soil, splendid meadow with stream of running water. If not sold by July 15th will be for rent. Apply to

A. L. HUDSON,
j7-3t Worton, Md., R. F. D. No 1.

WANTED

A competent, industrious and reliable MARRIED WHITE MAN as overseer on a farm for year 1907. Must give good reference.
PHILIP G. WILMER,
je30-3t*. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE.

80 ACRES for..... $3,000
180 ACRES for..... 4 500
$800 down and $100 per year. Good buildings. Good land. Apply to
H. K. MILLER,
je30 3t*. Worton, Md.

WANTED.

A GOOD COOK, with a recommendation, wages $3.00 a week, including only house wash. Call or address

MRS. CULVER,
Je 30-tf. Georgetown P. O., Md

FOR SALE.

250 LARGE CEDAR POSTS, Still Pond M. E. Church. Apply to
T. S HOLT, Pastor.
j23 tf. Still Pond, Md.

FOR SALE.

A PEARLESS TRACTION RIG, nearly new; 18 Horse Engine and 33-inch Seperator, for terms apply to

(Mrs) MAY E. C. DAVIS,
je23 4t. Smyrna, Del.

SPECIAL NOTICE

This is an exceptional opportunity for the right man to get possession of the ROYALLY BRED STALLION, "ST. MARK," by imported St. Llaise, dam Black Maria, by Bonnie Scotland, imported. This horse is a grand individual, being 16 hands high, well proportioned, with beautiful head and neck, and is sound. He is gentle to handle and drives nicely. For further information address W. H. LINGO,
je30-3t. P. O. Box 87, Wilmington, Del.

EGGS WANTED.

We want all the Eggs you have and will pay 18 cents per dozen.
KILBOURN & WARREN,
je16-tf. Fairlee, Maryland.

FOR RENT 1907.

The COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE on Queen street, Chestertown, for 1907, adjoining Mr. Wm. Morris. Apply to
MRS. M. E. STUART,
je9 tf. Chestertown, Md.

Two Farms at Private Sale

A nice little farm of about 4 acres near Chestertown, Md., well improved and good buildings. Also farm of 3 acres near Rock Hall with good buildings. Immediate possession given if desired. Apply to
JOHN D. URIE,
je23 tf. Chestertown, Md.

$4.90

For a Fine, All Wool Cassimere Suit : : :

More than $1000 worth of All Wool Cassimere Suits, ranging in price from $8,00 to $16.00, will be SACRIFICED for the trifling price of **$4.90.**

These suits were left from last season, but you would never know it except they haven't the "vent" in back of coat. I positively will not carry one of these suits over to another season, as the remarkably low price of $4.90 for a suit worth anywhere from $8.00 to $16 00, ought certainly to move every one of them during the month of June. The best bargain to the earliest purchaser. This is an unprecedented price—an unprecedented opportunity—and if you are wise you will take advantage of it.

I have just opened, direct from New York City, **$2,500** worth of the Newest and Latest Style Suits that money will buy, and if you are looking for a new, nobby and stylish suit, at the very lowest possible price, we invite your attention to this up-to-date line.

Respectfully,

THOS. S. BORDLEY.

WEDDING EVENTS.

STARR—SHOPSHIRE.

Married at the home of the bride, Galena, Md., June 28, 1906, by Rev. A. P. Prettyman, Mr. Harry N. Shopshire and Miss Isabelle C. Starr.

MERCHANT—PRETTYMAN.

A beautiful home wedding was celebrated June 27th, near Galena, at "Broad Oaks," the handsome country residence of Mr. B. F. Merchant, when his beautiful and accomplished daughter, Miss Viola E. Merchant, became the bride of Mr. Allison Raymond Prettyman. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. P. Prettyman, father of the groom.

After the ceremony the company was invited into the spacious dining room where refreshments were served in exquisite taste.

The decorations were carnations and roses. The presents were numerous and handsome. The bride and groom were driven to Middletown where they took the train for Philadelphia, Atlantic City and points north. When they return they will reside at their own home, "Red Gables" in Galena.

COMEGYS—SPEAR.

The prettiest wedding of the season and the first in the new P. E. Church took place last Thursday evening. The contracting parties being Miss Mabel Newnam Spear, of Colorado Springs, formerly of Millington, and Mr. Paul Comegys, one of our hustling young business men. The bride was becomingly attired in a steel colored suit, hat to match and carried bride's roses. The groom wore the conventional black. Promptly at 8 o'clock the bridal couple entered the church to the strains of the wedding march skillfully rendered by Mrs. Collins, preceded by the four ushers Messrs. C. B. Dudley, W. F. Collins, E. Thomas Massey and Lewin R. Spear. While the couple stood at the altar banked with flowers Miss K. Pearl Ahern sang very sweetly "O Promise Me." The ceremony was then performed by Rev. Albert Ware, Mr. J. E. Spear, cousin of the bride, giving her away. A reception was given the bridal party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E Spear, near town. Mr. and Mrs. Comegys will occupy their new house on Main street. We extend heartiest congratulations.

CARD OF APPRECIATION

To the many kind and sympathetic friends who were so good and generous in aiding us when M. M. Rasin, our most dearly beloved father and companion, met his fate by destiny's mysterious plan, we desire to take this means of showing only a tiny part of our appreciation. No town, county or community could have offered more help, kindness and sympathy than those in which he dwelt. However we only hope and pray that time will be given us by our Father who art in Heaven to further express to our noble friends our entire appreciation.

Sincerely,

MAMMA, MERRITT,
1t. PARKS AND MINNIE.

WANTED.

A BOY ABOUT 15 or 16 years of age to learn printing. Address KENT NEWS.

NOTICE.

TRAVEL with heavy team over bridge below St. James Church will be suspended from this date until further notice.
CHARLES L. DODD,
j7-tf Clerk.

FOR SALE.

STORE ROOM AND FIXTURES and SIX-ROOM HOUSE TO RENT, with Store. A good business stand. Apply at once. MRS. E. A. CRITTENDEN,
jy7-3t. Chesterville, Md.

FOR RENT.

THE RESIDENCE on Front Street occupied by Capt. C. R. Atkinson. Also stable attached. Immediate possession. Apply to
M. M. BURCHINAL.
j7 3t

Selling Out

WE MUST SELL ALL OUR

Summer Millinery and Notions

By the last of August, and we offer RARE BARGAINS to all purchasers

C. & H. REED.

jy7. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

To Our Patrons

—IN THE—

Grain AND Boating Business

We very much regret to announce the death of Mr. M. M. Rasin, the President and Manager of the Company, but beg to state there will be no change in the method of our doing business.

Mr. Andrew W. Woodall will be the President in the future. Mr. Parks Rasin will be agent at Buck Neck Wharf and will continue the business of his father, which he is well qualified to undertake, having been associated with him for several years past. He understands and is conversant with the business and is deserving of your patronage, which we solicit for him and ourselves.

B. E. TULL FREIGHTING CO.

July 7, 1906.

FOR SALE.

FRAME HOUSE on Water Street. Purchaser to remove it at once, but to leave all bricks cleaned and piled up on premises. Price $25. Apply to
je9 3t. KENT NEWS.

SCENE AT TOLCHESTER—HOTEL.

LIGHTNING'S AWFUL HAVOC

Colored Woman Killed at Rock Hall and Mrs. Coburn Stunned — Man's Life Saved by His Hat Blowing off.

During the electrical storm of last Saturday evening Mr. S. Thos. Bramble, on the Cochran farm near Kennedyville lost a very valuable black mare and eighteen months old colt. Mr. Bramble knew nothing of it until Sunday morning while after his cattle rode up on them lying dead side by side in the centre of the pasture field. Mr Wm. Smith also of near Kennedyville, lost two large hogs which were standing under a tree which lightning struck.

Mr. C. G. Hadaway's carriage house was struck by lightning Thursday evening of last week and the end post shivered so that not a board was held in place. The shafts of a sleigh hanging against side of house was splintered.

During the short and sharp electrical storm of Saturday evening last, lightning played a vicious part at the home of Mr. B. H. Coburn, whereby the life of his colored cook was cut off, Mrs. Coburn suffered nervous prostration and the interior of the room was wrecked. The lightning entered the house and struck the colored woman, and she toppled over against Mrs. Coburn who was near. The effect on Mrs. Coburn was serious; a doctor being sent for immediately, she is now much better.

Mrs. Coburn surely has a charmed life, recently she underwent an ordeal under the surgeons knife at the hospital and only Tuesday two weeks ago she fell a distance of 20 feet from a cherry tree, striking on her head, and burying her face three or four inches in the earth.

The Queenstown News says: A valuable mare belonging to C. McSorley Henry, who lives on the "Dr. Earle" farm near Wye Mills was instantly killed by a bolt of lightning last Saturday afternoon during the heavy storm. The mare was attached to a dearborn loaded with cans containing milk and she was being driven to the Gilt Edge creamery of Thomas F. Shortall, near town, by Herbert Thomas, a negro. When the storm came up, Thomas' hat was blown from his head, a distance of twenty or thirty feet from the dearborn. He stopped the mare and went to recover it and, just as he was in the act of picking it up, the mare was struck and instantly killed. A shaft of the dearborn was also broken. She was insured for $125 but was valued at $200.

SUCCESSFUL INSTITUTIONS.

Banks Declare Dividends—Kent Savings Bank Hold Annual Election of Directors and Declare 4 Per Cent Semi-Annual Dividend

The annual election of directors of the Kent County Savings Bank was held at the banking house in Chestertown Tuesday resulting in the election of the following: J. K. Aldridge, M. A. Toulson, J. H. Baker, J. D. Urie, J. D. Bacchus, James A. Casey, J. Edw. Hurlock, Dr. G. Irvin Barwick, Richard T. Turner, Jr., Fred G. Usilton, Charles S. Smith and Lewin W. Wickes. Mr. Wickes has been chosen in place of Mr. Wm. F. Russell, resigned. After the meeting refreshments were enjoyed by all the stock-holders present. This bank declared a semi-annual dividend of four per cent. and added $982 to undivided profits.

The Chestertown B nk of Maryland declared a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent. and added $4,823 24 to undivided profits.

Water Rents.—The water rents in Chestertown for the last half of present year—that is from July 1st, to Dec. 31—*are now due*, and the Secretary will be sending out bills for same in a few days. Water takers can save him that trouble by paying same promptly. Some persons object to paying in advance, but all reasonable minds will readily see the propriety and justice of same after a moments thought. First, it is the Company's rule; second it is only a reasonable requirement. All rents for first half of present year are now in *default*, and payment should not be delayed longer.

GRAIN MARKET.

I shall buy Wheat for PITT BROS. CO. and E. L. ROGERS & CO. this season, and will have telegrams from the Baltimore and Philadelphia markets daily. I will inspect Wheat and make flat offers to farmers of Kent and Queen Anne's for their crops on cars, steam and sail vessels.

TELEPHONE NO. 82.

HIRAM M. BROWN
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

LIVE LOCAL NOTES

THE Bertie E. Tull Freighting Company has been reorganized by the election of Capt. Andrew W. Woodall president and Mr. Parks Rasin as manager. A full account of the improved steamer was given in NEWS last week.

A MEETING of all persons interested in the proposed Horse Show will be held in Chestertown this Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

THE Keifer pear crop will be small. Buyers are offering 15 cents per basket.

A GROWER of tomatoes, *who did not contract*, has had an offer of $10 per ton for his crop on ten acres.

CHAS. JOHNSON launched a bateau last week for Capt. George B. Westcott. He has another on the ways for Mr. Henry Evans.

A SHOCK of wheat on Mr. Jos. Trew's farm was struck by lightning last Tuesday and burned. Also one in Mr. Geo. Rash's field.

ALBERT STOREY'S Schley Russell won his race at Point Breeze on the 4th.

THE 4th of July passed off in Kent without a single accident yet reported. Tolchester and Betterton resorts were the mecca for thousands while many others found pleasure in trips on the river and bay. It was an ideal day.

H. P. SKIPPER is shipping Belle of Georgia peaches which are bringing 70 cents per basket. Messrs. James Wood and T. Romie Strong also made shipments of fine fruit Thursday.

THE county commissioners of Queen Anne cannot agree on a man for Shellfish Commissioner, each commissioner having a candidate viz: W. Edw. Tarr, of the fifth, backed by John C. Smith; W. E. Taylor, by Charles L. Goodhand; John F. Godwin, by John H. Evans. The pay is $5 per day when employed.

A JOLLY party from Chestertown started for Centreville on Tuesday in a gasoline launch. Just below North West Point the machinery broke and they were compelled to make for shore. Leaving their boat they succeeded in in getting home by the B. S. Ford. Those in the party were Misses Mary Whaland, Bessie Westcott, Dovie Connelly, Eloise Ringgold, Capt. Geo. B. Westcott, Robert Gill and Medford Brooks.

THE following are the officers of Chestertown Council No. 177, Jr. O. U. A. M.: Councilor, Alvin Brown; vice-councilor, E. C. Stafford; recording secretary, J. A. Russell; assistant recording secretary, James Fluharty; treasurer, John W. Hirons; conductor, John A. Kennard; warder, John W. Barnes; inside sentinel, Alfred Crew; outside sentinel, R. F. Elburn, Jr.; past councilor, Chas. King; trustees, J. W. Barnes, Wm. F. Malin, Wm. E. Hague, Wm. H. Lambert, Wm. B. Coleman; representative to State Council, R. F. Elburn; alternate, Albert Jamison; chaplain, W. F. Malin.

Sales of Real Estate.—Messrs. Wm. B. Usilton & Sons have sold to Mr. Walter U. Lusby, of Chestertown, 314 acres of land adjoining Tolchester resort. The sale includes buildings. This leaves a farm of 275 acres, with bayshore front and small peach orchard, which will likely be improved by the owners. It is reported that Mr. Percy Hendrickson will tenant Mr. Lusby's new purchase. Messrs. Usilton and Lusby have sold their wharf rights to the Tolchester Steamboat Co.

Mr. H. Clay Brown and Miss Anna Brown have purchased of Mr. Hiram M. Brown his interest in the farm on Chester river, tenanted by Mr. Alfred C. Loud, and containing 423 acres, for $9,600.

Mrs. Ermina Price and Jas. P. Price, her husband, of Kent county, have sold to William H. Jones and George W. Jones, of Cecilton, the Freeman's Mills property, in Cecil county, for $3,500.

Dr. E. G Clark, formerly of Millington, now residing at Middletown, has purchased the Dickey farm, near Mt. Pleasant, Del., containing 450 acres, for $20,000.

Sale of Homes.—Mrs. C. H. Baker has sold through J. D. Urie, Esq., attorney, the elegant home on High street occupied at present by Mrs. Medford M Rasin, to Mrs. John C. Davis for $3800. It is reported that responsible parties have since offered $4500 for this property.

Mrs. Alice Derringer has purchased of Mr. P. A. M. Brooks the residence on Queen street now occupied by Mr. H. B. Graham for $3,000. We are reliably informed that Mr. Graham has purchased a lot on Washington avenue, adjoining Mr. Wm. Crow, and will build a home thereon. Price paid, $700.

Accidents.—Mr. Miller Maslin fell from a scaffold at the Chestertown strawboard mill last Saturday and dislocated his shoulder.

Andrew Cann, colored, while at work at the basket factory last Friday, cut the four fingers from his right hand. Drs. Hines and Simpers treated him.

WATCH for J. C. Davis' new advertisement of drills, &c., next week.