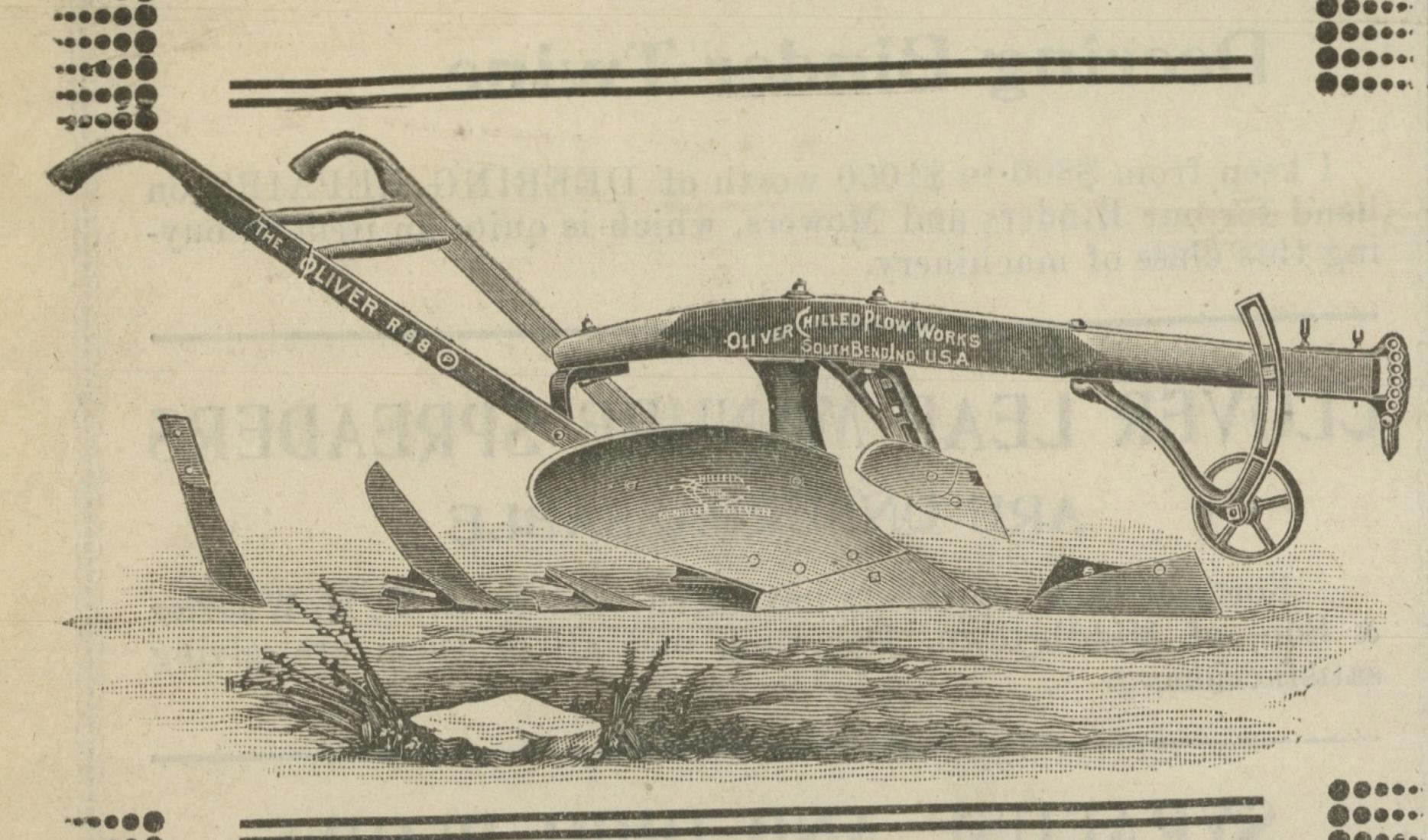

THE FULL LINE Hardware Store

Chestertown, Md.

If you are going to build a Home or a Building of any kind let us furnish you with your Hardware for it. Also, let us put a good Tin Roof on it.



We carry in our stock the following celebrated lines:

Old Hickory Farm Wagons, Success Manure Spreaders Deer Corn Planters, Deering Binders, Mowers, Rakes and Twine.

Genuine Oliver Plows and Castings, Hardware of Every Description, Cutlery, Guns and Ammunition, Agateware, Tinware, etc.

We are now building an addition to our building, and are going to add a line of

Carriages Runabouts and Surreys

This line, along with our already celebrated line of Harness, will put us in a position to save you some money. Be sure to see our Carriages before buying elsewhere.

We have received the invoice for one carload of Carriages already, and more are to follow soon. This car of Carriages ought to reach us in a few days.

Blankets

We have a few more good patterns in BLANKETS AND ROBES that we will sell at a discount now, as it is getting late in the season, to make room for our Spring

Stoves Stoves

We will also allow a good discount off on Stoves now, as we must make room for our incoming stock. So make haste and get what you may want before this stock is

disposed of. We are also going to add a line of AUTO-MOBILE REPAIRS, OILS, Etc.

to change the system of working our public roads but doubt whether many know in detail just what the Caroline law is.

more county and Caroline laws being Baltimore county laws, have either provided or are providing for the counties ments, etc. The Baltimore county law and one or two more provide for the Governor to appoint the engineer. The

them including Baltimore county take sleeping very very soundly. As the a fine program for Easter. the roads entirely out of the hands of "Fairlee Minstrel Troup" must have the County Commissioners and place known and arrived just in time Tuesday is the guest of Mrs. Ben Ashley. them in the charge of Road Commis- to awake us in time for Easter, but we sioners, and some legislate out of exist- must say everything and everyone was visiting relatives in this town.

ance half or more of the County Com- awake and alive here Thesday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Dave Moore are missioners. I have examined many of and evening. The minstrel was a great them with the view of determining what success over ninety (\$90) dollars being Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. J. Casey. is best for Kent. As there is heard no realize Everyone had a good laugh, demand from home for Road Commis-sioners, or for lessening the number of scholars we trust it won't be the last ing is very sick; Miss Edna Durding is County Commissioners or any provision visit they pay our village and we assure also ill. tem, or none. Those who have written me, including the County Grange, ask for the Caroline law or some law on that they are that they are the caroline law, restaurched in the caroline law re order. I am informed here that they the past week.

length of his term.

roads? In order to come anywhere near League with grogram. determining properly that question we must first purge politics from ourselves. are we going to form any kind of decent opinion of what will best expel politics from the road system? I fear that con-

use and exploitation. them, and is accountable to them? can never be filled, let us be comforted Will we not put it more effectually out by these words: of the reach of everybody to press him or annoy him, by placing the appointing power in the hands of the Governor?

Or if legal objections can be avoided as Where faith is lost in sight, is just now suggested, in the hand's of

the Circuit Court? Surely the Governor may be trusted not to seek to influence him or to swerve him from the path of duty under the doing so? Even if there was any reason for his doing so, which I deny such conduct would prove so offensive that it would be resented at the polls from end of the County to the other. Would the County Commissioners attempt to influence him? Without any unnecessary reflection upon the present Board who as men I think highly of I can only political purposes. I have inserted in the Bill introduced by me that the Enexcept for incompetency, neglect of duty or misconduct in office, and define misconduct as follows:

Section 177B. The selection of a Road fied by the ordinary rules of good business in employing labor and furnishing material for the county roads, or wil-fully recommending for payment by the County Commissioners of extravagant or unjust bills, or in any way to advance eee. any man, or to wilfully or negligently shall be construed as misconduct n

Surely this is broad enough, and conengineer receiving his appointment from across the bay, and accountable only to that appointing power to enable said officer to look any man of any faction who would tempt him in the eye, and who would tempt him in the eye, and say, this is my chart, my place, my living depends upon my ability to steer this cause. Get thee behind me Satan. The Caroline law is being changed in a number of particulars at this session of the legislature, one being to make appointment for four years instead of for life: My bill makes the term six years as intimated above, there being objection to a life tenure.

We are considering the question of having the Circuit Court make the appointment. If there is no legal objection



STILL POND ITEMS.

Caroline law and others have the County
Commissioners do so. At least two of We haven't been dead but surely

purpose of adopting these measures for Mrs. Wm. Stanley and Mrs. Wm. and Mrs. J. C. Kendall. Kent at this time. I have seen in the Medders spent Thursday in Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hague were guests Transcript that the Kent petitioners ask The choir will render choice Easter of friends here on Sunday and taking in for the Caroline law, verbatim ad litera- music both morning and evening. Try the social service at the M. E. Church,

teams and carts, we are pretty well narcomplete line of Spring goods and will P. Hall on Wednesday evening next. rowed down to the question of who is going to appoint the engineer the Goverbe pleased to see her many customers.

Mrs. Hyland Jones, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jewell.

J. R. Diehl, A. A. Tolson and other

home to have been for forty years, and Sunday School, at 10.45 preaching by Lots of fun is promised. most likely for a hundred years, the the pastor Rev. J. H Beauchamp, D.D. These are busy days among farmers great evil in our present system, the Subject, Risen Christ, text LXIII, and gardeners in this section. possible, a system in which politics may music by the choir. At 2 p. m., Sunday be gotten rid of. Then the question school at Betterton, at 3 p. m. preach- in these waters. arises at the outset, what plan will most ing, subject and text as above At 7.30 The first ball game here this season effectually exclude politics from the Easter service rendered by the Epworth was played by young ladies, under the

If our minds are saturated with it how A Merited Eulogy Upon The Death of the M. E. Sunday School tomorrow T. Romie Strong.

In the death of Mr. T. Romie Strong dition of mind will prevent many from this community, as well as the whole from a serious fire on Tuesday, about ever obtaining a fair view of any public county, has been dealt a great and noon fire was discovered in an upper question. Shall we have the engineer serious blow. But, especially, will his room, which had not been occupied appointed by the Commissioners or the neighbors feel his loss. Having keenly since the summer of 1908, and had not Governor? I have revolved this ques- felt his absence during the past year, been entered by anyone, since last tion over in my midd many times, have they were looking forward with pleasure Christmas. Mr. Coburn was nearly thought of it from all sides, and I con- and gratification to his return to his old suffocated by smoke in his efforts to exfess my feeling or my prejudice was at home, which would have been in a few tinquish the blaze. Two matresses were first in favor of placing the appointment days, had his illness not occured, result- badly damaged by the fire and every with the commissioners; and then, as I ing in his sad death, which has cast a thing else in the room, was soaked with reviewed the history of our commis- gloom over all and leaving a void that water. It is a complete mystery, how sioners office, I was compelled to admit we feel can never be filled, for in Mr. the fire originated. that of all the political offices we ever Strong we had a good, kind, faithful |had that office—not from necessity, but friend, one who never failed us in our from its perversion—was and is admit- need, and in many cases, we know of ted by everybody to be by great odds in throughout the county he has denied the lead of all other places in political himself in order to give aid to those in trouble and we feel that too much can-Have they not ever yielded to the not be said in appreciation of that genhope of gaining votes in desbursing the erous, loyal spirit. We, who feel his boat in good running condition and will carry road money? Would they not in like loss so deeply, wish to extend to his 900 bushels of oysters. manner, subject the road engineer in devoted family our heartfelt sympathy ONE ONE-MASTED BATEAU that will carry his selection of supervisors, labor and in their sad bereavement. It is hard to boat.

material, to great pressure and annoygive him up, but, while he has gone

ONE CANOE 37% feet long and 8 feet wide: ance if he receives his appointment from from his home on earth, where his place

And patient hope is crowned

And everlasting light Its glory throws around. A NEIGHBOR

HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE CO.

STATE OF MAR"LAND.

JAMES G. BECK, Resident Agent,

ROCK HALL NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Moore are visiting There is quite a good deal of sickness

at this time for buying teams, carts, etc, them a cordial welcome awaits them Mr. V. W. Kendall and family spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr.

Mrs. Rev. D. J. Moore has been spending the past week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Casey. Ho! for the masked ball in K. of

Many from a distance are expected to I gather that as politics is conceded at Still Pond Sunday morning at 9.30 young men of the Odd Fellows Society.

Our fishermen are catching a few shad

management of Misses Florence Jones, Daisy and Nannie Ryan.

Mr. B. H. Coburn had a narrow escape

For Sale.

old last August and is the very best model for

Asparagus

Let us have your order

G. E. Leary & Son, Rock Hall

Section 177B. The selection of a Road Supervisor by the Road Engineer for That you are looking for, and we provide it. Style that sets the standard. Fit that makes walking a pleasure, and Quality that represents the best that money can buy. Don't you think it's to your interest to see what we have to offer. We do. Just give us the opportunity of showing you and you will not be dis-

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

arriving daily.

Rock Hall M. E. Church is preparing Mrs. Jennie Coppage, of Port Deposit, Miss Ruth Durding, of Washington, is

Special Easter service will be held by

For sale also, One Dora Boat 25% ft. long 9 ft. wide, timbered and bottomed lengthwise. Was built for fishing purposes and would make a good motor boat.

Terms reasonable. Apply to

CORNELIUS GRAY, Elliott, Maryland.

Crates

and oblige,

HIS STORE is crowned with the beautiful Spring things and primed for quick and satisfactory service.

JEFFERSON

The Ladies' Store

Green S. & H. Trading Stamps given with each cash purchase. Wednesday, March 30th, Double Stamps øiven on purchases over \$2 cash.

Stylish Shoes

Our complete line is here, better than ever. For the little folks we have made a great preparation for the season and with that careful attention that the requirements of the

growing foot demands. Knowing full well that the foot in the formation state needs especial shapes and fitting something more than mere foot covering. "Tis a feat to fit feet." Goodwear or a new pair.



Many women are waiting to select their spring suit and if they incline to a plain stylish tailored suit they are especially invited to inspect our line for the values can't be surpassded that are in our suits

From \$12.50 to \$25.00

MILLINERY

Mourning

And All Black Hats As Well Here is Easter Abundance

Winter mourning seems doubly hot and stuffy when new Hat days roll around. We've scores of light weight (actually dainty). Hats in the dullest black of correct mourning.

Besides the French models, which are in greater abundance than ever before shown in this town.

Every Hat a special model of its own. Such a display was shown by us to

H. F. JEFFERSON

The Ladies' Store