"WHAT SHE COULD DO."

A poor crippled woman, living in a tiny room on the ground floor of a dingy house, could only move on her hands and knees, and had not stood upright for fifteen years. A lady, visiting the sufferer, was pitying her for her utter inability to do anything in the world. While she spoke two merry little children clattered into the room and seated themselves by the scrap of fire. "Do these little children belong to you?" asked the lady.

"No, ma'am," was the reply, "They are my neighbor's children; she's just a poor washerwoman, and I look after her little ones to set her free to get a job of work. I can do just that, you see; thank the Lord!"

It is only about 256 years ago that Thanksgiving day was observed in this country. Old Massasoit and his ninety braves sat down to dinner with the Puritans. The Indians brought deer from the woods and the pale faces supplied fish, clams and corn. Ten years later when the last batch of bread in the colony was in Gov. Bradford's oven and starvation was staring our New England ancestors in the face, a good ship from Ireland appeared with provisions, and the day appointed for fasting was changed into a day of thanksgiving.

The smallest watch in America is said to be one which a Maiden lane (New York) dealer has just received from Switzerland. The dial and works are just the size of a silver half dime. It is a complete watch in every respect, is a stem-winder and stem-setter, and the works are full jeweled. It is inclosed in a hunting case of eighteen carat gold, and keeps accurate time. It was made in La Chaux-de-Fonds, Switzerland.

A young traveling man had been going to see a charming lady for a good while and had just proposed to her for the seventeenth time. "Can't you take no for an answer?" she inquired in a tone that showed decided annoyance. "No, not exactly," he replied, meekly. "But I'll try to get along with it till you can give me a better one."

Mrs. Lucy Bainbridge, who recently traveled through the east, says they do not vaccinate the women in Burmah, as they do not consider them worth the trouble and expense.

Chicago has a "Thirteen Club." Its mission is to break down the superstition which hangs around the fatal number. Its defiant motto is: "Death, We Salute Thee."

"No gifts," reads a foot-note on the invitation cards to a wedding in New York. The bride explained by saying that she did not want her marriage made a donation party.

A large nose is a sign of character. If it has a turkey-red finish or a big knob on the side, it is a sign that character has gone on a protracted vacation.

A man who has happened to have a good deal of experience says: "Stand anywhere but four feet to the left of a woman when she hurls a bottle at a hen."

A receipt book says that a pint of whiskey put in a fruit cake will make it keep for six months. Bah! It would make it disappear quicker than scat!

Irascible wife to husband: "You are no match for me, sir." Husband (weakly): "If I am not, my dear, why do you always want to scratch me?"

Every man at his own trade. A blacksmith can shoe a horse more successfully than he can shoo a hen. This is a sure thing.

It is not necessary for a man to keep his mug at the barber's shop, but he must take it there to be shaved.

Do you think it is because of the great improvement in spring beds and mattresses that people can lie so easily?

"Have you ever broken a horse?" inquired a jockey. "No, not exactly, but I have broken three or four wagons."

Don't despise the man who has but one shirt; the chances are he doesn't owe a very large wash bill.

Whenever you see a big hat at the theater, you may be certain there's a woman at the bottom of it.

Truth lies in a well: This is because there are no fish stories connected with well water.

The milking should be done quietly and at regular times, and the utmost cleanliness observed.

The greatest profit in feeding sheep for mutton is gained while the animals are young, says an exchange.

A garment that sticks closer than a brother—A coat of tar and feathers.

Some men who claim to be self-made men are not very well done.

A wife may be a blessing, but a dumb wife is an unspeakable one.

If you should happen to want your ears pierced, just pinch the baby.

A man's mind is like his bed; it must be made up occasionally.

Come, down, said the young man, stroking his upper lip.

A Calico Wrapper—A dry goods

PROTECTION
—TO—
Home Trade.

THE fall business campaign is now open, and we are offering the largest assortment of

Suitings and Overcoatings,

both foreign and domestic, ever offered outside of the city, and can compete with many of the city houses for quality and variety of styles. We have some of the finest imported Suitings ever brought to this county and can get up Suits to compete with any city work, and at prices far below. We guarantee a fit. Now what inducements have you to go to the city and pay more? Does home protection say go? Our line of

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

cannot be surpassed in the county. Special attention given to UNDERWEAR. It will pay you to call on us as we have it at all prices. In the Glove line we challenge any house outside of the city. Fine Gloves a specialty. We have Gloves from 25 cents up to $10.00. We are headquarters for Collars and Cuffs, always looking for the latest. New specialty in

FUR COLLARS AND CUFFS.

Something that has never been offered in this market before and certainly is a handsome thing for an Overcoat and for comfort. We always lead in Neckwear and have the largest line ever offered in the town. Our SHIRT department is full and complete, both white and colored. Beautiful line of Wool Overshirts, latest styles. The best Overall and Norfolk Jacket ever shown in this town.

Our Line of Gents' Jewelry

cannot be surpassed. If you want a Suit, Overcoat, Suit of Underwear, or Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Neckties, Gloves, Suspenders, Hose, Handkerchiefs, Scarf Pins, Sleeve Buttons, or anything in our line, we will be pleased to have you call.

J. T. ANDERS.

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FORKS, HOES, RAKES, SPADES, SHOVELS,

Lawn Mowers, Ropes, Belting (Rubber and Leather), Saws of every description,

Water Coolers, Refrigerators and Ice Cream Freezers,

Hardware, Iron, Steel, Coach Goods, Vices, Anvils, Bellows, Blowers, Wheels, Steel Shovel Blades of all sizes,

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F. A. SHARRER & SON,
Main St., East End, Westminster, Md.
jan-10-1y

A TALK ABOUT
SHOES AND HATS.

YOU undoubtedly must have some Shoes and Hats this fall and winter. The fall frosts are here and winter is close at hand. We make a specialty of Shoes and Hats, and know we can accommodate you with exactly what you want for fall and winter wear.

MEN'S BOOTS.

We have a very large assortment of Men's Boots, varying in prices from $1.75 and up. The Monogram $3.00 Kip Boot which we have sold for ten years is the kind of Boot needed to tramp through the snow and slush. We believe it will last the winter out and keep the foot dry and warm.

We have a French Kip Boot for $3.25 which is made expressly to our order. It will wear well and give thorough satisfaction and take a high polish.

BOYS' BOOTS.

We have Boys' Boots from sizes that will fit a two-year-old boy up to the largest size Boys' Boot made, at bottom prices.

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We keep in stock a large supply of Gentlemen's Fine Shoes, both hand and machine made, ranging in prices from $1.25 to $5.00 hand made.

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Our trade in Ladies' Shoes is immense. We keep in stock Slesinger's Hand-Made Tender-Feet Shoes, also the Carlisle Shoes, the finest fitting and wearing Shoes.

GUM SHOES.

Our stock of Gum Shoes is full. We have Gum Boots, Arctics, Alaskas and everything in the Gum Shoe line.

HATS, HATS.

Our stock embraces everything in the Hat line, from a 25c. Wool to a $5.00 fine Silk Hat.

Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas.

You are sure to find what you want at the lowest prices.

☞Our customers come from all parts of the county, and we shall be glad to see you whether you come from the 1st or the 13th district.

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We guarantee the purity of our Liquors and the quality of our goods, and will use every endeavor to give entire satisfaction in regard to prices. All we ask, to examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. aug-25-tf

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Gent's Furnishing Goods in Great Variety.

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GENTS:—We have sent you 250 Medium and Low-priced WRAPS and JACKETS for Ladies, another at $1.85. A full Stock Boot at $2.50. We still sell the best Button Shoe in town at $1.25. Fine Dongola Shoes at $2.50; others get $2.70 to $2.75. We have a large assortment of Ready-Made Clothing for both men and children. Overcoats very cheap. Rag Carpet, 22 cents; Flowered, 25 cents. Oil Cloths all prices. Druggets, Rugs, etc. Domestics very low. Canton Flannels, 6½ cents. Ginghams, 5 cents. Calicoes, 4 cents. Large line of Blankets. A 6-pound White Blanket at $1.25 per pair. A 7-pound Grey Blanket at $1.50. Comforts cheap. A job lot of Ladies' Coats at less than half price. Great bargains in Men's Clothing to clean up stock. WOLF ROBES AND BLANKETS all prices.

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LADIES OF WESTMINSTER AND CARROLL COUNTY:—We don't feel that anything further need be said by us in this connection. The letter of our Baltimore House explains the situation very clearly. This is a rare opportunity to buy FINE WINTER GARMENTS AT A SACRIFICE PRICE.

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Heavy Dress Stuffs,

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Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings,

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To give you an idea of the fearful reductions which will sweep the house during this sale, we'll sell

20 PIECES WOOL KERSEYS,

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35 CENTS.

Everything else similarly reduced. This sale will be without a parallel. You should visit us at once.

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HAVING purchased a portion of the stock of R. G. Blanchard, and added a large lot of new goods, we ask your attention to the best

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NOVEMBER.

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DRESS GOODS

AND TRIMMINGS

—AT—

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