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FIRE FIRE FIRE

While away on our holiday we had our eyes open looking around for snaps which we found and we intend to give our customers the benefit.

Matting Matting

Now the first snap we bought was 5000 yards of Matting which sold at retail from 25 to 30 cents per yard. Now we will sell the same Matting only slightly damaged by water for.....6, 9, 12 cents yd.
by the roll which will be only.....$2.40 per roll.

Carpet Carpet

The second snap is three pieces of all wool carpet it was a big bargain at 35c
1 piece of Jute Carpet, big value at 25c
For yard now go at Cohens for only.....12½c
100 of Brussells Rugs some of them could not be bought less than 4 to 5 dollars apiece, now you can get them at Cohen's for the low price of 50c, 75c, and $1.00

Now we would advise everybody that wants to get a snap better come and get them before they are all gone as people buy them at first sight.

Now while we are selling these slightly damaged goods we have a new line of Oil Cloths. Prices below any other merchants.

Furniture Furniture

We also have new line of Furniture in all styles both Iron and wood which we will sell on the installment plan same as cash.

Cook Stoves Cook Stoves

Do not forget that we are handling the Excelsior and Farmer Girl Cook Stoves and selling them at Baltimore prices, also Airtight Stoves all sizes

Dry Goods Dry Goods

We bought all our Dry Goods before they went up and we can sell them at the old price. Outing from 5 cents on up this is cheap.

Underwear Underwear

Men's good heavy fleece lined Undershirts and Drawers to match only 39c.
Ladies Extra Heavy Underwear only.....25c.
Children's Extra Heavy Underwear from.....5c up.

Ladies Skirts, Ladies Facinators, Ladies Sweaters long and Short. Children's Sweaters and Infant's Jackets and Caps and Socks, also a stock of Children's Coats which we will sell for $1.50 which sold for $2.00

Rope Yarn Rope Yarn

Now is time to get your fodder saved and we have bought a big lot in 20lb coils at 7½c by coil. Corn Baskets now go at 45 cents others sell at 60c.

Hog killing time is most here and we bought a big lot of salt to protect the farmers and we will sell at Tolchester Beach for 89c a sack.

Rubber Boots

We are agents for the Lambertville Rubber Boots and we are selling snag proof boots for $3.25. We handle all kind of leather boots and at prices to suit everybody and the quality is the best.

We still handle Oil Skin Suits and Hats at prices way below anybody else.

Our Grocery Department

—IS FILLED WITH—

A full Assortment of fresh goods.

Granulated Sugar we still sell at Cohen's for .....5c lb
Leverings, 1 lb package Coffee at 12½c
Tin Cans guaranteed not to leak, per dozen 35c
Quart Glass Jars, only at Cohen's.....39c

We have a big line of New Goods but we are so busy that we will put our New Price List in next week. We invite everybody to come and look at our new stock,

We want all the EGGS you got and will pay you cash. City quotations for them. Also will take all your Butter.

Yours Respectfully,

ABE COHEN

Sandy Bottom Department Store.

HUBBARD'S Fertilizers

Stand the Test

TRADE MARK

Hear what some of our farmers have to says of Hubbard's Fertilizers as compared with other goods:

Mr. Jodn H. Jackson, of Kent Island, says in fall of 1905 he used 7 tons of our Victor alongside of 7 tons of another brand, and ours gave him 1100 bushels of wheat, and the other 7 tons gave him 600 bushels, and in fall 1906 he used 7 tons again of our goods alongside of 7 tons of same as other goods, and made another trial to test matters a second time, and this year he threshed from our 7 tons 1400 bushels of wheat and from the other 7 tons 800 bushels, and says he had better paid the other man for his goods and not used it and then bought ours for he certainly believes Victor to be an excellent goods for wheat and grass.

Mr. G. Thos. Dewberry says he has made a test of our wheat goods now for two years, and this years ours alongside of two other brands he threshed 6 to 8 bushels more wheat per acre from the others and that he expects to use it again this fall.

WILBUR W. HUBBARD, Chestertown, Md.

CUPID'S COURT.

An Adverse Decision, an Appeal and an Oral Argument.

The judge's daughter was perturbed.

"Papa," she said, knitting her pretty brow, "I am in doubt as to whether I have kept to the proper form of procedure. In law one can err in so many little technicalities that I am ever fearful. Now, last evening George"—

The judge looked at her so sharply over his glasses that she involuntarily paused.

"I thought you had sent him about his business," he said.

"I did hand down an adverse decision," she answered, "and he declared that he would appeal. However, I convinced him that I was the court of last resort in a case like that and that no appeal would lie from my decision."

"Possibly the court was assuming a little more power than rightfully belongs to it," said the judge thoughtfully, "but let that pass. What did he do then?"

"He filed a petition for a rehearing."

"The usual course," said the judge, "but it is usually nothing but a mere formality."

"So I thought," returned the girl, "and I was prepared to deny it without argument, but the facts set forth in his petition were sufficient to make me hesitate and wonder whether his case had really been properly presented at the first trial."

"Upon what grounds did he make the application?" asked the judge, scowling.

"Well," she replied, blushing a little, "you see, he proposed by letter, and his contention was that the case was of that peculiar character that cannot be properly presented by briefs, but demands oral arguments. The fact that the latter had been omitted, he held, should be held an error, and the point was such a novel one that I consented to let him argue it. Then his argument was so forceful that I granted his petition and consented to hear the whole case again. Do you think"—

"I think," said the judge, "that the court favors the plaintiff."—Chicago Post.

MONEY SYSTEMS.

The World's Coinage Muddle and the Range of Units of Value.

Twenty-six different monetary units are used by the forty-eight principal countries of the world. Thus Great Britain uses the sovereign or pound sterling, France and six other countries of Europe use a unit equal to the franc, and Canada and the United States use the dollar.

In value these different units range from 4.4 to 494.33 cents of money of the United States. They are represented in their turn by coins the values of which are either multiples or fractional parts of the value of their own chief units, and there are no doubt at least 200 such sufficient coins not one of which seems to have a value equal to that of any commonly known unit of weight, as the gram, for example, or the ounce of gold, although forty-three of these forty-eight countries have accepted gold as their standard measure of values.

This lack of logical relation of coins to any widely used unit of weight of the precious metals may be due to the fact that money systems seem to have grown up haphazard, under diverse conditions of life, in different parts of the world.

Such diversity in moneys may have been of little moment when millions of people spent their lives knowing nothing of the existence of other millions and there was little traffic. But these differences in monetary units are of importance now that international commerce includes millions of tons of products of the toil of all lands and billions of dollars each year to settle its bills, for such differences put upon trade a wholly unnecessary tax. No account is made here of the burden laid on domestic trade by like variation in the value of such units at home, as of the tael of China, which has sixteen different values within that empire.—Moody's Magazine.

"Old Hundred" Scares Birds.

It is a strange but well authenticated fact that the wild creatures of the woods dislike the sound of that solemn hymn "Old Hundred." Muir, the naturalist, proved the truth of this by singing it in the woods of the Sierras to the birds and squirrels, which were very tame from never having been frightened by the report of a gun or other alarming sound. They would come and sit near him upon the branches of trees and listen to any lively tune he might sing, blinking their bright eyes as though they liked it, but at the first sound of "Old Hundred" they would beat a quick retreat to their holes or nests and never appear again until he changed the tune. This experiment was made in different places on various occasions with exactly the same result.—New York Herald.

When It Rains In India.

While Jupiter Pluvius reigns in India nothing can be done out of doors. The rain at times is simply a white liquid sheet dropping straight down from the heavens, so that no very great stretch of imagination is required to convince one that a deluge is not an impossible event.—Wide World Magazine.

In Prospect.

"Have you lived here all your life, friend?"

"Not yit, but ef I don't git money enough to move I reckon I'll have to!"—Atlanta Constitution.

It is not reasonings that are wanted now, for there are books stuffed full of stoical reasonings.—Epictetus.

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The only store in town where you can buy the celebrated W. L. Douglas Shoes for Men and Boys, and the Stout Snag Proof Rubber Boots, the only genuine Snag Boot on the market. Best selected line of Children's School Shoes in the county. I know where to secure them. One price—all goods marked in plain figures.

Thanking you for the past favors and trusting we shall shortly have the pleasure of serving you again, we are, very respectfully, yours,

T. G. WROTH, The Shoe Man.

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Beautiful New Fall Assortments!

That You Should Not Delay In Seeing.

Our stock is now complete. The various lines that we carry are the handsomest collection of the newest styles and qualities for fall at the very lowest prices. We mention below a few of the more important items which are remarkable values.

Ladies' and Children's Coats

We wish to call the attention of our patrons that we have added a new department this season of Ladies' and children's Coats. We call particular attention to the tailoring of this assortment, for seldom have we seen better, as for prices, well, we struck a snap and are giving you the benefit of also.

$15.00 Coats for.....$10.00
$10.00 Coats for..... 8.00
$7.50 Coats for..... 5.00
$5.00 Children's Coats for..... 3.00

Shoes for the Whole Family

Shoes for the whole family. Let us prove to you that we sell the most comfortable and the most serviceable shoe you ever wore. We are sure if you know the shoes as well as we do, you would depend entirely on this department for all your shoe wants. Our line W. L. Douglas Shoes for Men and Boys, The Dolly Madison, Popularis, The Dixie Girl, The Velvet, lines for Ladies this Fall are beautiful; prices the lowest.

A complete line of Rice & Hutchins, best brands for Men, Boys, Ladies and Children always on hand, all styles and widths.

Fall and Winter Clothing.

It is not often that one finds such a display of stylish clothing in all the serviceable materials as well as the more nobby checks and stripes, at the prices we quote:

Men's and Young Men's Suits, ready made.....$5.00 to $15-00
Boy's Suits from.....$1.25 to $4.50
Separate Trousers.....$1.00 to $5.00
Suits made to order.....$13.50 to $35.00

Beautiful Line Dress Goods

Our Dry Goods department this season is beautiful; everything new in prints, percales, ginghams, Outings, you can find in this department at the lowest possible prices.

Bargains in Floor Coverings

Carpets, Matting, Oil Cloth, Linoleum in all widths and prices.

Thanking you for past patronage, soliciting a continuance of same, I remain, Yours for business,

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A large assortment of the latest patterns and all others that goes in the dress goods line.

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Skirts and Underskirts.

Hats and Caps.
The latest styles for Men and Boys. A complete line.

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Furniture, Carpets
And Mattings, all at the lowest possible price.

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We build these harrows here at our own shops and we well know how they are constructed. Best white oak wood work and steel teeth. We have both 50 and 60 tooth.

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