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# Our Lower Prices
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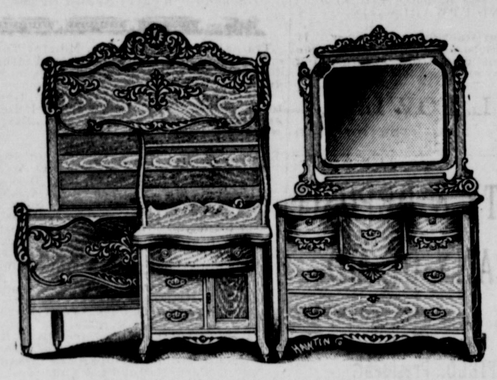
# Us The Customers

We have an immense building filled with dependable merchandise bought at 15 to 25 per cent. under present market value.

It is a handsome figure we can save you on your Fall purchases.

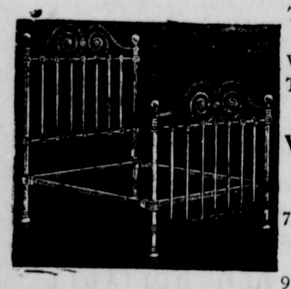
## Stove and Furniture Department !



### FINE BED ROOM SUITS.

$35 Solid Oak Polished Suits.....$25.00
Large German Beveled Mirror.
The usual $25 Suits, only.....$19.98
We sell the 3-piece Antique Oak finished Suits.....$10.48
Fine line of Porch Rockers start at.....$1.25
We have No. 8 Raleigh Cook Stove, only.....$13 98
Fully Guaranteed Extra Heavy Stove
Extra large No. 9 Peerless Lee Cook Stove, farmers friend...21.75

### HANDSOME LINE OF IRON BEDS.



The Double or Three-quarter Bedstead in white enamel.....2.75
White Enamel, brass trimmed...4.50
The beautiful blue and gold enamel only.....5.75

**We Have Just Opened a Fine Line of Toilet Sets.**

7-piece Decorated Set with Soap Jar only.....2.19
9-piece Decorated Set, only.....2.19
Handsome Green and Gold Toilet Set, 10 pieces.....4.98
Fine Gold Decorations, 10-piece Toilet Set with soap jar.....7.95

### Large Assortment of the Famous Roberson Cutlery Just Opened.

$2 50 Fully Guaranteed Razors.....1.75
Fine Line of Scissors and Shears,.....48c, 75c, 79c
We give a new pair if not satisfactory.
Large Assortment of Pocket Cutlery.....50c, 75c, 98c
A new knife for one that does not wear well.
We sell you a bargain in a Pocket Knife.....25c
Guaranteed Watches.....98c, 1.50, 3.50, 5.00

### "Central Telephone Pay Station."

We Pay the Highest Market Price for Country Produce.

## F. H. HARPER & SON,
STILL POND, - - MARYLAND.

## Death's Doings.

Mrs. Martha Isabelle Fisher, wife of Dr. Samuel G. Fisher, died at her home on Queen street, Chestertown, Monday afternoon after a short illness, aged 70 years. The deceased was a woman of high christian character and a devoted member of the Methodist Protestant Church of which her father was one of the founders. She leaves a husband and two children, Dr. S. Groome Fisher, of Port Deposit, and Miss Ellen C. Fisher. Mrs. Samuell Beck, of Chestertown, is the only sister and Mr. Wm. Constable, of Baltimore, is a brother of the deceased. The funeral took place Wednesday interment in Wesley Chapel Cemetery, Dr. D. L. Greenfield officiating, Undertaker J. N. Dodd in charge. The bearers were Messrs. J. K. Aldridge, W. W. Beck, Horace Constable, Wm. Constable, R. D. Jones, J. F. Thompson.

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Archie Bowers, son of the late Thos. L. Bowers, died at the home of his brother in Lynch's, last Saturday, aged about 33. The deceased some years ago took a trip up into the Klondyke since which time he has been a great sufferer from throat trouble. He spent sometime in Denver and in New Mexico but failed to regain his health. He was brought home last week and lingered only a few days. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at 2.30 p. m., Rev. J. M. Sheridan, of St. James, officiating. Interment in Still Pond cemetery, W. H. Krusen undertaker. The bearers were his five brothers, George, Robert, Elwood, Raymond, and Thomas Bowers and Jas. A. Greenwood.

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Rachel E. Irven died at her home in Kennedyville Thursday morning of gastritis, aged 60. She leaves a husband, Louis Irven, and two daughters, Mrs. John Matthews and Mrs. Chas. King, both of Chestertown. The funeral will take place at her late residence in Kennedyville this Saturday morning at ten o'clock. Interment at the Chestertown cemetery, W. H. Krusen undertaker.

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Mrs. Annie E. Storke, wife of Daniel G. Storke, died suddenly at her residence on Front street on Tuesday, aged 60 years. The deceased was stricken with apoplexy while at her work in the home of Mr. J. W. Anthony, near Chester bridge, but was able to reach her home. A second attack shortly after seven o'clock the same day proved fatal. The funeral took place Thursday, Dr. E. P. Roberts officiating, interment at Friends Meeting House, near Lynch's. The deceased leaves a husband, 4 sons and two daughters.

## MILLINGTON ITEMS.

Miss Lydia Price, of Melrose, Mass. spent several days this week with her mother, Mrs. Edgar Price, near town. She has accepted a position in Battle Creek, Mich.

After spending the summer vacation with her mother, Mrs. Dr. Gowman, Miss Julia Ferguson returned to Balto. Monday where she will finish her course at the Women's College.

Miss Ruby Ahern has returned to Western Maryland College.

Wednesday was circus day here and Sautelle's show had a big crowd to witness it. During the parade the horses attached to a large wagon got frightened and ran away, breaking the double tree and pulling the lines from the hands of the driver. The horses smashed into the cart with the donkey and clown and threw the clown in the mud.

This has been one of the busiest weeks for the tomato cannery and full time has been made.

Miss Florence Webb, of Chester, Pa., is the guest of Miss Nema Price.

Mrs. Dr. Gowman is spending several days in Baltimore.

Mr. Wm. Chance of Centreville, who has been clerking for Dr. N. Comegys in the drug store for the past year has accepted a position in Philadelphia, for which place he left last Saturday.

Mr. Walter M. Greenwood, of Lynchburg, Va., spent several day with his aunt, Miss Annie Meginnis.

Miss Gussie Walls, of Crumpton, was the guest of Mrs. Dr. Walls Wednesday.

Miss Margaret Smith, of Smyrna, Del., is spending the week with relatives and friends in town.

Messrs. R. C. Stafford and H Talbott were in Smyrna Monday on business.

Miss Mabel Price spent the day Sunday with Mrs. Lewis Price.

Messrs. Leonard Wilson and George Bailey attended the Templeville camp meeting last Sunday.

Addie the infant daughter of Mr and Mrs. Eldridge Wilson, was burried Wednesday afternoon in the Millington cemetery.

Miss Sue Taylor who has been assisting Mr. Joseph Mallalieu in the Millington Bank, returned to her home in Stockton, Md., Monday.

Miss Ella Phillips is visiting relatives in Wilmington, Del.

H. H. Beneman, the Millington hustling merchant, will observe Sept. 22nd as Jewish new year and also the atonement day ten days later. On these days his store will be closed.

## LYNCH ITEMS.

Miss Lillian Maslin, of Rock Hall, has been visiting Mrs. Bowers.

Mrs. Ward and sister, have been visiting Miss Lizzie Hepbron.

Mrs. J. C. Jones received a message Miss Amae D. Coleman her cousin in Baltimore, informing her of the death of her aunt Mrs. Coleman, the widow of the late Sam'l Coleman, of Baltimore. She leaves one daughter and 3 sons, Sam'l, Millard F., and Charlie, one of the finest pilots on the bay. Aunt Mary was a dear good mother and carefully reared her children in the fear and admonition of the Lord. Well done thou good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joys of the Lord.

Speaking some time ago of the ladies working out in the field, we have one delicate looking lady who helped her afflicted husband cut corn and pick tomatoes, and the eldest couple near here till their little farm alone. We also have a delicate young man whose splendid cakes and other cookery always adorn our celebrated festival tables, now guess who our smart ones are.

Every parent with boys or girls to educate should read the new catalogue of Goldey College.

## Northern Convention.

The Northern Convocation of the Diocese of Easton will be held in St. James' Church, Port Deposit, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, September 22, 23 and 24. Rt. Rev. William F. Adams, D. D., ex-Officio President; Rev. Giles B. Cooke, Dean, and Rev. David Funsten Ward Rector. Following is the program:

Tuesday, 7.30 p. m., Parish Missions, Rev C. T. Denroche; Diocesan Missions, Rev. Wm. A. Coale; General Missions, Rev. Henry B Martin, M. D. Wednesday, 10.30 a. m. sermon by the Rev. Dr. Henry B. Martin; alternate, Rev. William Schouler; administration of the Holy Communion. 7.30 p. m., "The Church, the Divinely Appointed Way of Salvation," Rev. William A. Coale; "The Church and Her Relationship to Other Christian Denominations," Rev. C. T. Denroche; "Methods of Making the Church Known to the World and the Community," Rev. William Schouler. Thursday, 10.30 a. m. sermon by the Rev. Samuel Edson; alternate, Rev. Albert Ware. 7.30 p. m., "Man's Responsibility to God and His Saviour Jesus Christ," Rev. Samuel Edson; "Man's Responsibility to the Church in the Diocese and in the World," Rev. Dr. Henry B. Martin; "Man's Responsibility to the Church in the Parish," Rev. Albert Ware.

Rev. D. L. Greenfield preached at the corner-stone laying of the new M. P. Church at Ashland, six miles from Centreville, last Sunday afternoon. Dr. Tagg preached the morning sermon.

Rev. Avery Donovan, pastor of Bates Memorial Church, Snow Hill, occupied the pulpit of Christ Church Sunday. A contribution of $100 was raised toward the $6,000 indebtedness. The property cost $20,000 on which $14,000 has been paid.

The Sunday School of Christ Church raised nearly $50 for benefit of the new Christ Church, Baltimore, of which Rev. Wm. N. Sherwood is pastor and which was first begun by the beloved John W. Collins. A committee consisting of Wm. B. Usilton, Rev. D. L Greenfield and Mrs. A. M Bowers was appointed to present the purse. The amount will doubtless be increased.

Rev. J. W. Sutton occupied the pulpit of Emmanuel P. E. Church Sunday in the absence of Dr. Martin.

## GINGER SNAPS KILL COWS.

**Eleven of Mr. Gillet's Herd Die After Too Hearty Meal—Estimates His Loss at $2,750.**

Mr. Edward M. Gillet, of Verona, Baltimore county, has lost $2,750 worth of prize cattle because of their inordinate appetite for aged ginger snaps, mixed and fruit cakes. Eleven of his fine herd of Hereford cows died after a too free indulgence in the American delicacies mentioned. He valued the cows at $250 each.

Mr. Gillet, like many farmers of the county, has been in the habit of buying these cakes by the ton and feeding them to his cattle and hogs in small quantities. The animals eat the food with a relish and it is claimed that the cakes are good for them as a change from other food. They are also fattening and produce milk.

Mr. Gillet recently got in a large supply of these cakes, which were secured from store stocks that had become too stale for sale He put the lot in his barn. Last Saturday night the barn door was left open and 11 of his fine cows got into the building and ate ginger snaps and cake until they could eat no more. On Monday it was noticed that the cows were acting in a peculiar manner and were staggering about the barnyard. Dr. Dickenson Gorsuch, of Glencoe was called in, but could do nothing. First one then another would fall to the ground and die. This continued until 11 had succumbed. The cows being in a dry state caused them to drink freely of water with fatal results. The fact that they had eaten the cakes was not known until too late to save them. Mr. Gillett's fine Hereford bull, valued at $1,100, was not among the cake eaters and escaped.

### Latest Fashion Edicts for Women.

Fashions for women are to have a complete revolution this winter. This information comes from authorities on dress at the National Dressmakers' Convention at Chicago. In talking to the dressmakers Madame Baker gave a list of some of the things which are now out of fashion and some of the modes which are to hold sway.

Out of date are the Gibson girl, the military girl, the kangaroo walk, high heels, blouse waists, flaring skirts with trains, skirts clinging at the knees, plaited shoulders, peek-a boo waists.

The correct things are styles of 1830 in dress revived, snug waists, narrow bust, round skirts just touching the ground, elbow sleeves—full and large, fichus and other shoulder drapery. Pointed waist, girdles very deep, capes for evening.

Startling facts developed at the convention. Madame Baker makes sweeping condemnation of high-heeled shoes and incidentally accuses the American woman of poor taste in dress.

"The high-heeled shoe is vulgar," she said. "It is most wretched taste to wear it in the street. The fact seems to have been forgotten that high-heel shoes were designed for women who ride in carriages."

**Bunco Steerers at Work.**—Farmers beware and don't get pulled in like many of our Delaware farmers have in the last few weeks by sewing machine agents, covering this section at the present time.

Their scheme is to offer you about five times the value of your old machine, for instance, $25 to $30 for machines not worth $5. Then they charge you $65 to $75 for their machine, that can be bought of any reliable dealer for $25. Be careful and read what you sign.

Many Delaware farmers signed judgment notes when they thought they were merely signing receipts for the machine until it was called for. Instead of calling for the machine, a collector calls for the money on the note.

If you need a machine buy of our home dealers and get value received.

**Good Appetite.**—An American eagle was captured Friday on the Sassafras river by Captain Tarbutton, of the steamer Kitty Knight. The bird is not grown, but has a voracious appetite. It devoured two pounds of beef and three large rats. The bird will be offered to the Park Board to be placed in Druid Hill Park.

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# Flour Notice!

This is to inform all persons who want the best Flour on earth that we have this week received a CAR LOAD of this stuff. This is

# Gold Medal Flour

Gold Medal Flour is the best and by far the cheapest FLOUR you can use. The best proof of it is—we use it in our Bakery, output is the BEST. Consequently

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is the BEST. If you will use this Flour you will get more bread from same amount of flour. Consequently you cook less and it costs less.

Very hot to write an add but hot time and hot add go together.

Regular Smoking Tobacco, 2 bags for 5c
Natural Tobacco, 1 lb burs . 25c
1 lb Bag Smoking Tobacco . . 19c

## HOT PRICES! HIT 'UM QUICK

Force, a ready dish, (2 for 28c) 14c
25c Box Writing Paper . . . . 10c
Smith's Family Flour, barrel 4.30
Smith's Family Flour, bag, . . 27c

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