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...own Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 8.00 a. m.

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WINTER SCHEDULE.

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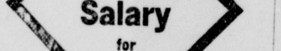
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Express, week-days, 4.38, 4.40, 5.00, 5.18, 5.50, 7.00, 7.33, 8.20, 9.03, 9.50, 10.21, *11.00 a. m., *12.00 noon, 12.35, *1.00, 1.40, *2.30, 3.00, 3.50, *3.55 (Pennsylvania Limited), *3.51 (New York Limited), *4.00, *5.00, *5.56, 6.00, 7.00, *8.00, 9.05, 10.12 p. m., 12.02 night. Sundays, 4.38, 4.40, 5.00, 5.18, 8.25, 9.50, 11.00 a. m., *12.35, *2.30, *3.55 (Penn. Limited), *3.54 (New York Limited) 4.00, 5.20, *5.56, 6.26, *7.00, *8.00, 10.12 p. m., 12.02 night. From North Philadelphia only 12.28 p. m. daily (Manhattan Limited.)

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French Mixed Candy 4½c
Broken Candy, 10c kind 7½c
Special Mixture 10c
Best Mixtures 20c, 25c, 50c
Headley's Chocolates 20c, 25c, 50c

MIXED NUTS, ETC.

Best New Mixed Nuts 10½c
12 oz Pkge Seeded Raisins 5c
10 oz Pkge Seeded Raisins 6c
16 oz Wedding Cake Currants 7c
Bakers Chocolate, lb 27c
Amer. Gran. Sugar 5c

FRUITS.

Bananas, Oranges, Lemons, Apples, Figs, and Cranberries.

TOYS! TOYS! TOYS!

Our Second Floor is crowded with Toys and Presents for young and old.

DON'T FORGET

Our Furniture Department. We want to close out this line by January 1st. We have now a complete line. Fancy Rockers, Children's Rockers, High Chairs, Beds, Matresses, Couches and Lounges. Selling lots of Stoves from $1.25 to $5.50.

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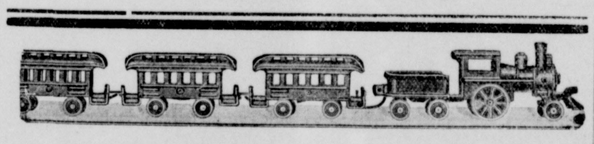
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1 lb. package of Currants only 7c
¼ lb. pound package of grated cocoanut 3½c
1 lb. A. No. 1 Chocolates per pound, 24c
English Walnuts, fresh new goods, just think 11½
Almonds, perfectly fresh per lb 14c
Butter Nuts, fresh new goods pound, 11½
Well Mixed Nuts only 11½
Best Mince Meat per lb. only 6c
Keystone Mince Meat per lb only 9c
American Granulated Sugar only 5c
Brown Sugar per lb 4½c
Pulverized sugar per lb. only 6c
Best Green, Black or mixed tea lb 30c
Best Green Ceeese per lb 12½c
Force per package 12½c
Oat Meal, Mothers or Quaker pkg 7½c
Leverings Coffee per lb 11c
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3 Bottles of Rumfords Baking Powder, 25
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Magic Yeast per box 4c
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All kinds of 5c Yeast Powders 4c
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Boys and Children's Overcoats of all

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Yourself and Children can enjoy your Xmas holidays by purchasing at ABE COHEN, Sandy Botton Department Store, Sandy Bottom, Md.

Wanted 1000 Dozen Eggs every week at 34c per dozen, subject to market change without notice, higher or lower. These prices are postively for cash.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the estate in Kent county, Md., of

HORACE B. CONSTABLE,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouches thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 18th day of June, 1905, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber

Given under my hand this 13th day of December, 1904.

Dec. 17 1904—4t. WILLIAM W. BECK, Administrator

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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WM. H. SPRY,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

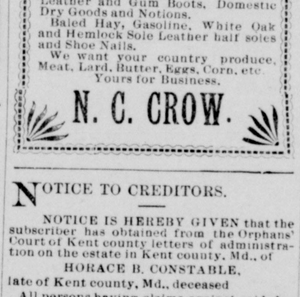
All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 6th day of June, 1905, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 6th day of December, 1904.

Dec. 10, 1904—4t. ORAH J. SPRY, Executrix.

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Happy Christmas to all our readers

The Constable Murder.—John Holland and William Hopps, col., were indicted by the Grand Jury, of Cecil Co., on Friday, for the murder of Hon. Albert Constable. The presentment was made by the jury after a thorough investigation into the case and the examination of about 60 witnesses. Holland and Hopps, the former of whom resided near the scene of the murder, were arrested shortly after the crime was committed and were placed in the county jail, where they have since been held. The case was reviewed by the grand jury at the September term, but an adjournment was made without the men being indicted. It is presumed that the State has come into possession of some very important additional evidence.

Asks For A Change.—Rev. J. W. Easley, pastor of Harrison Street M. E. Church, Wilmington, Del., Tuesday evening at the third quarterly conference of the church, announced that he desired a pastoral change at the end of the conference year in March and therefore did not wish to be returned to Harrison Street Church. Mr. Easley is finishing his third year at Harrison Street Church and has had marked success spiritually and financially in the face of conditions that at first were not promising. Mr. Easley is well known in Chestertown and has many friends here. He was some years ago pastor of the M. E. Church, this town.

Capt. Thompson's Scheme. — The Philadelphia papers have the following interesting item concerning our former fellowtownsman, Captain Joseph W. Thompson: "A scheme by which the thousands of conductors and motormen in this city can be given millions of dollars each year by regular riders has been suggested by J. W. Thompson, a West Philadelphian, and already started by him and his friends. The plan outlined by Mr. Thompson is this:—

"If 400,000 out of 1,000,000 people who ride on the street cars every day and buy exchange tickets will give the conductor 10 cents and tell him to keep the change on their first ride each day it will mean $8,000 per day, or, counting 300 business days to the year, it will mean $2,400,000 a year to be divided among the 7,000 or 8,000 conductors and motormen of Philadelphia."

The idea originated with Mr. Thompson, who then started to put it into effect without the knowledge either of the men or the officials of the Traction Company. Mr. Thompson who lives at No. 4705 Hazel avenue, and who was formerly a Captain of a Chesapeake Bay steamer, in which capacity he had in his care the safety of hundreds of people every day, says that few people stop to consider the great responsibility on men in whose charge rest the safety and even the lives of men, women and children. The scheme is now spreading to every section of the city. Many people residing along the region traversed by the Angora and Chester avenue lines have taken up the movement, are now handing the conductor a dime for an exchange ticket every day, without taking the change, and are also interesting their friends to do the same."

Road Building.

With the conclusion of work in Prince George's County, Anne Arundel County, Baltimore and Frederick Counties, over twenty miles of road petitioned for under the provisions of the new State aid road law shall have been surveyed, and the specifications and estimates will be prepared this winter for the work next spring. Over 150 miles of State road have been petitioned for in all, more than twice enough to utilize the amount of State and County appropriation, and nine counties out of twenty-three in the State have filed petitions for these roads, all but one of these desiring to take up the total allotments.

Effort has been made by the Counties to file their petitions before January 1, 1905, in order to obtain the road surveyors, specifications, and estimater free of cost. Wherever this is not done, one half this cost must be borne by the County. Petitions have already been made for so much road that it will be impossible to have all these roads surveyed this year. Queen Anne's County; heads the list with petition for 50 miles Baltimore county, 47½ miles; Harford, 16; Talbot, 19; Allegany and Washington, 4 miles each; Anne Arundel, 2, and other counties are moving in the matter.

Kent county tax-payers should consider this question and take action early. A convention could be called by the county commissioners and the plan explained by informed speakers. Then if it is thought advisable a resolution to this effect could be passed and the improvement started. Kent county tax-payers are burdened with debt and if a method can be devised to decrease this burden it should be adopted at once.

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Solid Silver Ladies' Watches from ($2.75 and up) $2.75
Solid Silver Boys' Watches from ($3.75 and up) $3.75
20-year Gold Filled Gentlemen Watches from (7.50 up) $7.50
20-year Gold Filled Ladies' Watches from ($7.00 and up) $7.00
14k Solid Gold Watches for Ladies from ($16.50 up) $16.50

Diamond Rings, Diamond Jewelry, Solid Gold Spectacles, and Eye Glasses, Fine Bracelets, Necklaces, Neck-chains, Silver Thimbles, Brooche Pins, Scarf Pins, Gents' and Boys' Watch Chains, Silk Fobs, Solid Gold and Filled Fobs of the very latest styles, Gents Signet and Set Rings in all styles, Sacred Lockets and Hearts for necklaces, Gents' Watch Charms, Rogers Tableware, Silver Plated Holloware.

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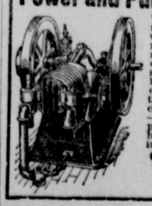
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Stacks and Heaps of New Fall Goods are waiting you here. Variety sufficient to please every taste. Prices to meet the ideas of the most economical.

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FURS! ✱ FURS!

There are but very few jokes older than the one concerning the fur trade and it being a regular skin business, and yet is it not a fact in more ways than one? Furs are bought and sold "on honor" by the great public; none but an expert being able to tell much about them. If you buy furs at a reliable store you will get your money's worth. Our furs are sold with guarantee. Your money back if they are not as we recommend.

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