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Easton, Maryland, Saturday, October 1st, 1898.

For Representative from First Maryland District to the 56th Congress:

Wilbur F. Jackson,

OF DORCHESTER COUNTY.

WE ACKNOWLEDGE the receipt, from the publishers, of the book entitled "The Temple of the Rosy Cross" by F. B. Dowd. The book is 12-mo., printed in clear type, on good paper, bound in cloth and gilt, price $1.00, Temple Publishing Company, Denver, Colorado.

The author has deftly handled a subject which is entirely new to ninety-nine hundredths of the average readers of the land; and for depth of thought, it borders on the superpsychical. He appears to anticipate that but few will endorse his reasoning, and opens his artillery upon them with such terse and telling force that they will either be compelled to coincide or retreat in acknowledgment of his superior strength.

The book is not written for children nor for the light reading of the thoughtless; but for the aid of the deep thinkers and investigators after the gems of truth beneath the rubbish that confounds them. The author writes with a fearlessness that suggests superior wisdom in a school which he has been a life pupil. He deals with the supernatural, Life, Spirit, Mind, Knowledge, Soul, Will, etc., with the mien of an adept, confining his observations to no creed or religion. To him truth lived before the Christian or any other era and he endeavors to show how it may be found even in this life.

The author has a beautiful, clear style, and when he states what he asserts as an axiomatic truth he does not attempt to support it with argument. For instance this is a sample:

"The extremity of grief is the beginning of joy. The last throb of pain is the first throb of pleasure. Ecstacy is close upon the confines of despair. The extreme woes of hell vomit out souls purified by fire. Extreme knowledge strips a man naked of his egotistical garments and shrouds him at the gate as if for burial."

Altogether, it is one of the most striking, terse, and unique books ever brought to our attention, and no reader could carefully go through it without feeling greatly broadened in mental and spiritual scope.

HON THOMAS F. BAYARD died last Wednesday at "Karlstein," the summer residence of his daughter, at Dedham, Mass. His death was without pain. The body will be conveyed to Delaware and funeral services will be held in the old Swedes Church, at Wilmington, this afternoon.

Thomas Francis Bayard was born in Wilmington, Del., on October 29, 1828. He came of a most distinguished ancestry, his father, grandfather and one of his uncles having represented Delaware in the Senate of the United States. His father had been also minister to Belgium and his grandfather was appointed minister to France by President Adams, but declined the appointment. The family was prominent both in the State and nation almost from the very beginning of the government, and the long and brilliant career of Mr. Bayard has rounded out a family history with which few others in America can compare.

THE conference of Gov. Holcomb and Colonel Bryan, at Washington, has added to the belief of the republicans that Nebraska is coming back into the republican fold this year. The following, from Mr. E. P. Meyerhoff, is a fair sample of the talk of Nebraska republicans seen in Washington:

"There is a very decided decline in the free silver sentiment in Nebraska, and I do not think the state could be carried again on that issue. Mr. Bryan, too, I think, lacks a great deal of having his former popularity, and many men who voted for him in '96 would not support him if he should again head the democratic ticket." It is believed that Gov. Holcomb told Col. Bryan that he feared the republicans would carry the state, and that if they did, his chances for again heading the democratic Presidential ticket would not be promising.

THE laudable efforts of Bowman's Orchestra to give a benefit entertainment for the use of the Town Clock fund, should receive ample support and tickets should be bargained for in advance, so that after enough are sold to pay actual expenses, the boys would be encouraged to proceed. Otherwise it might result in loss which they should not be asked to sustain.

THIS generally favored section of the country is again passing through a most delightful fall. September closed with being most perfect in temperature and enjoyable atmospheric conditions. October is considered by many to be the most delightful month we have. The leaves have not yet begun to turn and the first frost of the season is still before us. Farmers are viewing with each other in their ability to prepare their ground for the fall seeding. Their fields present a most beautiful appearance, made so by the use of improved machinery upon mellow and yielding soil. We should rejoice in living in such a favored climate and section of creation.

THE managers of the democratic party are afraid to endorse the absurd charges that individual democrats have been making concerning the conduct of the war. The campaign book issued by the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, which is supposed to state the party's attitude on all the issues of the campaign, does not even mention those charges. This shows as plain as it can be shown that the democratic managers feel that before election day the commission, which has already begun the work of taking testimony, will have made it perfectly plain to everybody that there was nothing in the general conduct of the war that was not creditable to the republican administration.

NOTHING could show the attitude of President McKinley towards the investigation of the conduct of the war, just started, more fully than his own words to a member of the investigating commission, "I feel that the American people have committed those boys to my hands and if anybody has wronged them I want to find it out."

THE TALBOT TIMES reaches its fourteenth anniversary this week. The paper is newsy and endeavors to reflect the community in which it is published as an honest mirror—without distortion or undue refraction. May it continne to flourish.

WE GIVE on page two a three-column advertisement relating to bribery at the coming election. What a step forward we shall have made when this evil can be eliminated from the body politic!

WASHINGTON ... CORRESPONDENCE

NOTHING more than amusement is felt in Washington about the story that Aguinaldo, the head of the Philippine insurgents, intends to drive our army out of the Philippines and turn the islands over to Germany. Admiral Dewey and General Otis are not men to be driven by the rabble which composes the insurgent army, is too ridiculous to be entertained for a moment, and that Germany has any idea of openly assisting the insurgents in any movement against the Americans is not at all probable.

Nothing official has been given out on the subject, but it is known that the request of the Spanish Military Commissioners to make a six months job of evacuating Cuba, has been very positively refused. The Spaniards have been courteously, but firmly told that the evacuation of Cuba must begin not later than October, and must be completed before the end of December. It is probable that a considerable body of American Soldiers will be in Cuba before the first of November, and that the entire army of occupation will be there by the first of December.

Capt. R. W. Austin, U. S. Marshall for the Eastern District of Tennessee, now in Washington, said of public sentiment in his state: "The most popular man with Tennesseeans is President McKinley, whose course in the war won for him the approbation of men of all parties. The idea of retaining every acre of conquered territory is favored in our state, The opening up of Cuba and Porto Rico will be of immense advantage to the South, for it will give us a splendid market for our coal and iron, flour and other products. To a man we are in favor of building the Nicaragua canal, the construction of which will add millions to the revenues of the Southern states."

AMONG OUR ADVERTISERS.

A National Authority Comments on the Gazette's Announcements and Able Advertisements.

The GAZETTE has taken occasion before to refer to the advertisements appearing in its columns weekly of S. A. Meintzer. Two of those recently published were sent to *Printers' Ink*, the highest authority on adveytising matters in the world, with the result that the two were not only commended, but were reproduced and offered as examples for others to follow. The reviewer says: "I am receipt of a letter from Mr. Wm. C. Meintzer, of Easton, Md., inclosing clippings of advertisements and asking me to criticise them. Mr. Meintzer is associated with his father in the ice cream and confectionery business. It is seldom I come across a business of this kind that is intelligently advertised as this concern seems to be. I will reproduce the two advertisements for the benefit of others who may like to see them." This coming from such a high authority and the unmistakable increase in Mr. Meintzer's business only shows that proper advertising in the proper paper pays.

Martin M. Wright, the popular young groceryman, has adopted a very unique style of advertising in the GAZETTE which he tells our reporter pays him nicely. He uses a bold-face letter for a catch line with an old-style italic for the body matter. What he has to say he says in brief, catchy form—the kind which draws the attention of the reader and holds it. See his ad. on page 5 of this issue.

Another advertiser whose methods are pleasing is Mr. A. H. Matthews. He says that he is better pleased with his advertisements in the GAZETTE than he has ever been before. His style is to give the price of what he has to sell, something the bargain hunter likes to know. He keeps his agents always on the lookout for bargains, and then tells his patrons through the GAZETTE what he has just received. His ad. is changed every week, with rare exceptions; it never runs over two weeks, and consequently he always has a fresh announcement.

Mr. M. B. Nichols branches out this week by taking a half page of the GAZETTE announcing his annual cloak opening. Mr. Nichols is too old an advertiser in this paper for the people not to know his style of building up trade. See his ad. on page 3.

T. H. Hollingsworth & Co. have a quarter-page ad. on page 8 of this issue, written and arranged in such manner as to attract immediate attention. They announce their semi-annual millinery opening for Oct. 8th. See their new ad. next week.

WANAMAKER'S

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, September 26, 1898.

Elegant Dress Goods—a delightful showing.

Fabrics that have won admiration from beauty-loving eyes. But there is another gathering that will be pleasing to know about—the plainer stuffs, at more modest prices, that only leave the shelves to be shown to inquirers.

Fabrics of every day need in a fine range of colorings, and at little costs. This hint of them—

At 18c—Two-toned Chevron Suitings, Five styles. Usually 31c.
At 22c—Illuminated Coverts. Usually 37½c.
At 25c—All-wool Cheviots. Twenty styles. Usually 37½c.
At 28c—42 in. Two-toned Armure. Eight styles. Usually 50c.
At 31c—36 in. All-wool Navy Blue Serge. Usually 40c.
At 30c—42 in. All-wool Navy Blue Sail Cloth. Usually 50c.
At 37½c—Fancy Cotton-and-wool Suitings. Twenty styles.
At 45c—All-wool Checks. Five styles.
At 45c—All-wool Bouretted Fancies. Twelve styles.
At 50c—39 in. Illuminated Coverts. Six styles.
At 50c.—50 in. All-wool Navy-blue Cheviots. Usually 75c.
At 50c—Novelty Suitings; neat effects. Nineteen styles.
At 50c—46 in. All-wool Diagonal; beige colors. Usually 75c.
At 60c—56 in. All-wool Lady's Cloth. Sixteen colorings.
At 75c—45 in. All-wool Oxford Mixtures. Five colorings.
At 75c—48 in. All-wool Two-toned Cheviot. Seven mixtures.
At 75c—44 in. All-wool Granite Cloth. Nine colorings.
At 75c—44 in. All-wool Crepe Cloth. Five colors.
At 75c—50 in. All-wool Fancy Suiting. Seven colorings. Usually $1.

Blankets and Comfortables.

How cosy and delightful are warm inodorous bed-coverings. No aroma is so pleasing as scentless purity—and this is the keynote of endeavor in our gathering of blankets and comfortables.



We have chosen Blankets that come from makers who are most thorough in purifying their wools. Our Down Quilts are made in our own factory, of down steamed and blown to absolute purity under our own watchful inspection.

These Blankets and Quilts are warm, luxurious and handsome—and the pink of purity. And prices most reasonable. These to judge by—

At $2.25 a pair—Good, strong, well-made white Blankets; size 70x80 in.; weight 5 pounds.
At $3 a pair—Large, warm white wool Blankets, with cotton warp; size 70x80 inches; weight 5 pounds.
At $4 a pair—The Physicians' Favorite White Blankets; pure wool-filling on light spool-cotton warp; size 72x84 in.; weight 5½ pounds.
At $5 a pair—Very handsome pure wool White Blankets, with pink and blue borders; size 74x84 in.; weight 6 pounds.
At $2.50 a pair—Gray Blankets; full size for double beds; made from well-scoured wool; 5½ pounds to the pair.
At $3.50 a pair—Scarlet Blankets of pure wool; fast colors; double-bed size, 70x80 inches.
At $5 each—Fancy Blankets of Jacquard patterns; for making wrappers; for use on a couch, or an extra throw for the bed; size 72x84 inches.

DOWN QUILTS—

At $3.75 each—Six feet square of luxurious bed clothing. Coverings are of fine figured American sateen and filled with odorless down.
Heavy winter-weight Cotton Comfortables with chintz or sateen coverings; tufted with wool or quilted, as you wish, at $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $2.75 each.

Undergarments for women—new arrivals; comfortable sorts for fall wear. All are neatly and serviceably made. Liberal in size and good in quality. These prices—

DRAWERS—

At 40c—Drawers of canton flannel with deep hem.
At 45c—Drawers of canton flannel trimmed with cambric ruffle.
At 50c—Drawers of canton flannel trimmed with embroidery. Same style, with better embroidery, 75c.

NICHT GOWNS—

At 85c—Gowns of muslin; yoke of 28 fine plaits and 2 rows of insertion; neck trimmed with embroidery.
At $1—Gowns of muslin; yoke of fine plaits, trimmed with double row of embroidery; ribbon at neck.
At $1.50—Gowns of muslin or cambric; Empire style, trimmed with embroidery and ribbon.
At $1.25—Gowns of flannelette; pink-and-white and blue-and-white; collar and cuffs trimmed with satin ribbon.
At $1.50—Gowns of flannelette, in pink-and-white and blue-and-white stripes; yoke, collar and cuffs featherstitched.

CORSET COVERS—

At 35c—Corset Covers of cambric; round neck; armholes and neck trimmed with embroidery.
At 50c—Corset Covers of cambric; V neck, trimmed with embroidery.
At 55c—Corset Covers of cambric; square neck; yoke of 4 rows of insertion and fine plaits; neck and armholes trimmed with embroidery.
At $1—Corset Covers of cambric; V neck, trimmed with embroidery and ribbon.

John Wanamaker.

IN THE FALLOW FIELD.

We are now ready to mop the prespiration from ous faces, and go with you into the fallow field, with the

SOUTH BEND CHILLED PLOW

A full line of which we now have on hand and they are the finest made. Their excellent work is without paralell, and the price so very reasonable that we are anxious to bring about an introduction.

Rambler, Crescent, Stormer, Ideal.

We sell more bicycles than all competitors combined. The bicycle hunter generally comes this way, because quality, price and terms and some other considerations pay well to do it.

OBERS' FERTILIZERS.

Now taking orders for Ober's Fertilizers, so well known wherever used. Among which is the ammoniated Super Phosphate of Lime, Farmers Standard, Farmers Mixture, South Carolina and Potash, Dissolved Raw Bone and South Carolina Rock. Call and see samples.

FULL LINE OF CARRIAGES.

If you wish something fine and cheap in a CARRIAGE, SURRY, BUGGY or ROAD CART, just call and see our large stock recently received. We can positively save you money.

Unparaled Stock of Paints, All Co ors.

Our great sale of paints is an assurance that we lead the trade.—Longman & Martinez, John Lucas & Sons' and other celebrated paints we keep in all colors and in any quantity you may want. Ask for color cards.

The Auburn Farm Wagon.

has no eqoal in the market. Built for business. Guaranteed the greatest. See them. They are winners.

Cultivators, Drags, Eield Rollers, Harrows and other Field Implements at vero low prices

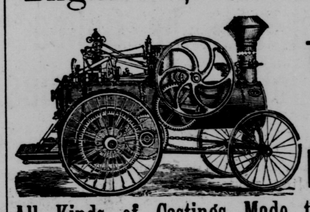
Bargains in Refrigerators, Lawn Mowers, Screen Doors and Windows, Buggy Umbrellas, Carriage Harness, Preserving Kettles, Leather Fly Nets, Lap Dusters, Ice Cream Freezers, Hammocks, Lawn Swing Chairs and Oil and Gas Stoves, besides numerous other seasonable goods. Be sure and call and see us.

YOUR FRIENDS

Shannahan & Wrightson Hardware Co.

RITTENHOUSE & BIERY,

Engineers, Founders and Machinists.



AGENTS FOR

The Noted Frick Engines and Threshers ..,

BICYCLES REPAIRED CHEAP.

All Kinds of Castings Made to Order and at Short Notice, and Machinery and Boilers Put in Thorough Repair.

We have on hand for sale and in first class order: 1 second hand Steven's Thresher, 1 second hand Peerless Thresher; a two horse Boiler and Engine; a 10 horse Watertown Engine. Anyone desiring a new threshing outfit would do well to enquire of us at once. 3-1-6m

Office and Shops, Old Foundry, S. Washington St., Easton, Md.

Public Sale

of a Fine Lot of

Personal Property,

Including

Household Furniture and Utensils.

Intending to discontinue my residence in Easton in the near future, I will offer without reserve at public sale at my home on Railroad Avenue

*** SATURDAY, ***

The 8th Day of October,

beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. the following household and parlor furniture, dishes, etc.:

One Fine Parlor Suit, One Hall Piece, Dining Room Table, Two Bed Room Suits, Dishes and other Articles.

Terms are cash on day of sale. No property to be moved until terms are complied with.

EDWARD ROBERTS.

Jas. A. Roe, Auct.

.. BAYNE FIELDS ..

FIRST CLASS SHAVING PARLOR

BEST SERVICE

Established 1844.

FRANK C. BOLTON, LEE B. BOLTON

BOLTON BROS.

Paints, Oils, and Glass.

Prize Medal Ready Mixed Paints:

Elaine, The Family Safeguard Oil

MACHINERY OILS, TAR OAKUM AND PITCH, ENGINEERS, MACHINISTS, STEAMSHIP AND RAILWAY SUPPLIES.

418, 420, 422, 424, E. Pratt St.

yrto-feb8-98 BALTIMORE, MD.

Jos. H. White & Son.

Manufacturers of ...and dealers in...

Bricks and Drain Tile.

Bricks vs. Terra Cotta Pipe

Hundreds of Dollars leave Talbot every year to purchase Terra Cotta pipe for drains and culverts. We contract to put in brick culverts from 15 inches and upward for the cost of Terra Cotta of the same dimensions. We also have a large stock of

Terra Cotta Pipe,

Fire Clay Chimney Pipe

Lime, Hair, Cement,

Patronize Home Manufacture.

JOSEPH H. WHITE & SON.

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