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SMITH & CLEMENTS,
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JAMES A. CASEY, a progressive Rock Haller, is now offering to the people of this county special low prices on his entire stock in order that the bulk of goods now upon our shelves can be reduced. For fifteen years we have been catering to the wants of the trade here, and all during that time we have never thrown out each penny advertisement in order to hoodwink the people but a steady, straightforward plan adopted in the beginning has been continued to the present time, and now for the future we promise greater bargains than have ever been shown in Rock Hall.

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Embraces a general line of goods, and consists of Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Notions of all kinds, including special bargains in Underwear and Hosiery, together with a first-class supply of Gum and Rubber Goods, so extensively used by our oystermen. The approaching holidays get nearer and nearer every day, and don't forget that we are fully prepared to meet your wants, as we can supply you with a complete line of goods at prices unequaled in this community. Our Grocery department receives special care, all the goods being bought for spot cash at headquarters, enables us to place in the homes of our people a line of fresh groceries at prices which are considered rock bottom. In the Boot and Shoe department there are many bargains awaiting you, and a call will convince you that we advertise bargains. Remember, we carry everything to be found in a well-appointed store, and from this time on sweeping reductions will be made, and a number of goods during this month will be closed out at prices that will astonish you. Look out for change of advertisement next month.

JAMES A. CASEY,
Dec. 13, 1894. ROCK HALL, MD.

## JAMES S. BRADLEY

Chestertown, Md., Dealer in

**DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, NOTIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES,**

and a GENERAL STOCK OF MERCHANDISE, embracing everything to be found in a well-stocked establishment. For 20 years our business has enjoyed a steady increase, and to-day we number among our customers some who started with us in our infancy. In looking over our stock we find that we have too many goods at this season of the year. They must move, consequently we have reduced the price. Many useful articles in

### Dry Goods & Boots & Shoes,

are included in this sale, and the advantages to our customers will be more appreciated when they see the goods. GOOD WOOLEN BLANKETS are now in the reach of everybody, as the prices are lower than ever. Our Underwear in Shirts and Drawers are especially cheap, while the complete line of other goods are never higher, but sometimes less than others. Thanking my friends who have dealt with me in the past, I respectfully ask a continuance of the same in the future.

Jan. 10. 1895. JAMES S. BRADLEY, Chestertown, Md.

## Wm. P. Howard to the Front.

Important notice of removal to the stand lately vacated by P. B. Darrel, on Front street. Something remarkable—tender beef in Chestertown. Having secured larger quarters I am now better prepared to handle the general trade. Our stock is New and Fresh, and consists of

### GENERAL GROCERIES,

☞ INCLUDING FRESH BEEF, ☜

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Jan. 3, 1895. WILLIAM P. HOWARD.

**POSITIVE CLEARING SALE.**

## ✦ E. W. F. SIMPERS, ✦

**Front St., Chestertown, Md., Opposite Stam's Opera House.**

1st.—At this season of the year I have too many winter goods on the shelves. They must go. The cut in prices for the next two weeks means our loss and your gain.

2d.—We call special attention to our line of CROCKERYWARE, probably the most complete line, and best assortment in the county. Sets of dishes at moderate cost, and a general assortment of Crockeryware to please most any one.

3d.—HOSIERY, BLANKETS, SHIRTS and GLOVES constitute a very important part of our general stock, and the low prices figure conspicuously. Don't forget this department.

4th.—Best of all—**OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT** is now a household word. Everything is kept fresh and clean. Nothing stale goes over our counters, and the wife is always satisfied because it came from E. W. F. Simpers'. The Sugar Cured Hams are always what you want. Flour in the choicest brands, either by the barrel or sack. The reader knows what a Grocery Department means; it means everything sold in a Grocery store, consequently it is useless to itemize every article. What about the prices? They are all right. Never higher than others, but sometimes a little less. Two weeks later we will have more to say about other lines of goods we are determined to clear out. So keep your eyes open on our advertisement. Resp'y, etc., E. W. F. SIMPERS, Chestertown, Md.

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TO JOHN L. SLEEPER,

Why do you cling unto life, my brother? Why
do you cling unto life, I say?
Why do you weep when the yoke and fetters of
flesh from a dear one drop away?
You know this world is a house of sorrow, you
know this world is a house of sin;
That pain is the Dead sea fruit of pleasure and
will be ever, as it hath been.
Why, then, cling unto life, when over the blue,
transpicuous rim afar
Shineth the walls of the Wondrous City, where
only blessings and blisses are?
Why do you beat your hands with passion and
storm the sky with your plea and prayer
Whenever passes a stainless spirit forever out
of your clasp and care?
You say he goes to a glad, brave kingdom,
over a vague and voiceless sea,
Where never a last goodby is spoken and never
and never a grave shall be,
And where from rapture to perfect rapture,
with crown and lyre, he soars and sings,
The chrism of Christ upon his forehead, the
glory of God upon his wings.
If I thought as you think, my brother, if I be-
lieved in a better sphere
Beyond the grass and the golden lilies that
blossom over a dead man here,
I would tingle with great strange gladness
whenever a friend of mine should die;
I would robe him in festal raiment, and I
would kiss him a gay goodby.
And, oh! when unto me came the hour—the
miracle hour that comes to all—
Never a cypress branch nor blossom should
throw its gloom on my gorgeous pall.
At my funeral should be dancing and dainty
feasting at festal board,
Should be singing and jests and laughter and
gurgle of wine in the glasses poured,
And jubilant bells should rock the steeples
when I was borne to the gay, bright grave,
And rattle of drums and trill of trumpets
blend in a glad thanksgiving stave.
—Will Hubbard-Kernan.

TIN CANS AND OLD SHOES.

**They Well Reward the Italians Who Rake Them Out of the Ash Heaps.**

On every dumping ground where the city contractors of Brooklyn place their ashes one may see constantly Italians working hard leveling the heaps, as load after load is deposited, and carefully placing the tomato cans and other castoff pieces of tinware in piles by themselves. The contractors do not object if the householders put old cans among the ashes, for this insures a careful leveling by the Italians at the dumping grounds at no expense to the contractors. The revenue from these cans that are collected by the hundreds and thousands is a matter of surprise to most persons. A two horse load brings from $6 to $8. It takes several days of hard work to get a big wagon load, but the Italians don't seem to mind the labor of it, for there is money immediately in sight as the piles of tin cans grow. They watch jealously their picking grounds and sometimes make special arrangements with the contractors for the privilege of scraping and raking the ash heaps over.

The tin cans are sold to men with furnaces, who place them in a big caldron, and under a slow fire melt the tin and solder and run that part off for future use and sale. Almost all the tin and solder is saved by this process and is salable for use in making more cans for preserving vegetables. The heat is then made intense, and the iron that remains is melted and cast into sash weights. The demand for these old cans is said to be greater than the supply, and one of the most valuable of the scavenger privileges that the Italians in large cities assume is that of working over an ash dump.

The Italians also collect odd bits of leather in heaps. Old shoes of a large size are always a special delight to them. A wagon load of them is always salable for use in making lampblack. There are other sources of profit in ash heaps, but the chief sources of revenue to those who pull them to pieces are the cans and the shoes.—New York Sun.

RAIN INDICATIONS.

**Why Cirrus Clouds Tell With Almost Absolute Certainty of Coming Storms.**

In order to better understand the role placed by cirrus clouds as rain indicators, we must first discuss the causes of these occurrences. A study of the weather indications and barometrical readings, as they appear in our daily papers from the report of our "Weather Bureau," shows that areas of high or low air pressure are constantly passing over the earth's surface in irregular succession. The areas of high atmospheric pressure—or barometric maxima, meteorologically expressed—stay longer in one locality than the areas of low pressure—the depression or barometrical minima. These last are more or less defined currents of air, which circle in the form of wind around the region of the lowest atmospheric pressure, moving always from north to west or from south to east—the reverse of the hands of a clock. It must not be imagined, however, that the air simply moves around this area of depression, but rather that it is constantly being drawn into its center and is carried upward in great whirls or spirals. As the air rises, it expands and becomes colder. The vapors it contains condense into clouds and finally are transformed into rain. The center of the barometrical depression is therefore marked by cloudy, rainy weather. The wind which encircles the depression becomes more active as the difference of the atmospheric pressure becomes more marked, or, in other words, as the barometer falls.

In brief, therefore, barometrical depressions are caused by huge ascending spirals, or whirls of air, which are carried upward to extreme heights, and from there are wafted in any direction. In these heights the humidity of the atmosphere is frozen and is wafted away in closed forms which are composed of ice crystals. These are none other than cirrus clouds, and they may float several hundred miles from the seat of the depression. It will now be seen why cirrus clouds may be justly regarded as forerunners of rain, even when they make their appearance in clear weather. They tell with absolute certainty of an approaching atmospheric depression, and this is substantiated by a gradual falling of the barometer soon after they make their appearance.—Home and Country.

**Count D'Orsay.**

The most splendid person I ever remember seeing had a little pencil sketch in his hand, evidently intended for publication through Thackeray's good offices, which he left behind him on the table.

It was a very feeble sketch. It seemed scarcely possible that so grand a being should not be a bolder draftsman. He seemed to fill the bow window with radiance, as if he were Apollo. He leaned against his chair, with one elbow resting on its back, with shining studs and curls and boots.—"Chapters From Some Memoirs," Mrs. Ritchie.

**Ace Sad Case.**

Ethel—Don't you think that pair of vases lovely, George?

George (with visions of last night's poker game)—Curse the things! I don't want to hear anything about them.

Ethel has not spoken to George since.—Buffalo Express.

**Clean Sweep.**

"I don't see why they say the De Spug girls got their beauty from their mother."

"They probably took all there was."—Detroit Tribune.

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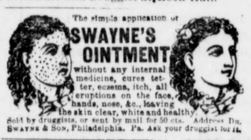


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Music furnished for parties, etc.
Give me a call.
d6-y THOMAS L. SNYDER, Rock Hall, Md.

SAFETY IN WEARING A BEARD.

**It Guards the Throat and Is a Protection Against Facial Paralysis.**

It is to be feared that too many deprive themselves of what Shakespeare calls "valor's excrement" without counting the possible cost. Whether the beard be an ornament to the masculine countenance we must leave the ladies to decide. It certainly has its uses in hiding a weak chin, and in some cases it seems to be cultivated as a vicarious compensation for a hairless scalp. It is not, however, in its cosmetic so much as in its hygienic aspects that the blessedness of the beard—in which term we include the whole of the harvest usually claimed by the razor—is most apparent. That it is a safeguard to the throat is generally admitted. The writers of authority have insisted on its value as a protection against toothache and facial neuralgia. This is a goodly sum of advantages to the credit of the beard.

Dr. Chabbert of Toulouse has, however, yet more to say in its favor. According to this practitioner, the beard seems to be a very efficient defense against that form of facial paralysis which is caused by cold. This affection is far more common in women than in men, though the latter are of course much more exposed to the cause which produces it. When facial paralysis a frigore does occur in men, they are almost invariably individuals to whom nature has been stepmotherly in the matter of beard or have wantonly thrown away the protective covering with which she had clothed their faces. Dr. Chabbert cites the experience of several physicians, in addition to his own, is support of his opinion. Professor Andre of Toulouse has seen several cases of the affection in question in women, but not one in man. He had heard of one indeed which would appear to be an excellent example of the exception which proves the rule, for the patient was a "lyric artist," with the faccia di musico so distasteful to Lord Byron. Professor Pitres of Bordeaux has seen 12 cases in women and only two in men. Both the latter shaved, though as one of them underwent that operation only twice a week his case perhaps does not count for much unless it be held that his face was more vulnerable after these periodical denudations. Similar observations are quoted from Dr. Olivier of Toulouse and Dr. Sude of Carman.

These facts, though hardly sufficient to found an induction on, seem at least to establish a prima facie case for the utility of the beard against facial paralysis of the kind referred to. In these days, when man's traditional privileges are one by one being invaded by the "new woman," he may perhaps be forgiven for making the most of such advantages as may be considered exclusively his own.—British Medical Journal.

**The Cost of Powder Puffs.**

An English journal warns the London ladies that their powder puffs, those airy necessities of the toilet, are heavy with the blood of slaughtered innocents.

It is stated that as many as 20,000 young swans—cygnets, as they are called—are killed every year to supply this dainty fluff, to say nothing of innumerable young birds of the eider duck and wild goose variety. The bulk of these are imported, the swan and geese from the islands of the Baltic and from Norway and Sweden, and the eiders from the northern and more ice bound seas.

One cygnet will make nearly a dozen average sized "puffs," which show how many women must be, to a greater or less extent, addicted to the use of powder.

The puff trade is highly profitable, as may be judged from the fact that the down of a cygnet costs little more than 25 cents, the poor creature often being plucked alive so that it may bear another crop, while the puffs are sold at from 75 cents upward, nicely mounted in bone and blue or pink satin, which adjuncts amount to comparatively nothing.

The ladies of Paris and Vienna are the largest consumers of puffs, owing chiefly to their fastidiousness in casting aside puffs as soon as they lose their pristine delicacy.

NECKTIES ALWAYS NEW.

**Mr. Feathers Learns the Secret of Mr. Ginks' Attractive Assortment.**

"I am somewhat curious by nature," said Mr. Feathers recently, "and some time ago I was struck by the remarkable number of new necktie worn by young Mr. Ginks, who sits opposite me at our boarding house table. I proceeded to study them, and after a week or two I discovered that they were not only always smooth and fresh, but that their appearance was regulated according to their hues. For two days he would wear a black and gray tie, for instance. Then a black flowered red ground affair would creep out from his bosom, and then two or three more combinations would be worn. At last I could restrain myself no longer, and I asked Ginks to explain to me his necktie system. He looked mysterious and beckoned me to a secluded corner.

"'Mr. Feathers,' he said earnestly, 'I feel that I can confide in you thoroughly. The scarfs you have so kindly admired are five in number and are all I have. I wear one until it gets soiled, and then I drop it in gasoline outside of my window. After the liquid has evaporated I take the scarf in, and every sign of dirt has disappeared. By doing this in rotation with the five ties I keep up an appearance that would cost more than I could afford if I depended upon new ones.'

"I thanked the young man for his very interesting information," said Mr. Feathers in conclusion, "and I do not doubt that many others like him know the value of gasoline as a cleansing article and put it to good use. I hope they all use it in the open air, however, as it is a very volatile and inflammable liquid and is liable to explode if exposed in a room where there is a gas light or a fire."—Washington Star.

**For Bicycles.**

An ingenious device is for locking the steering gear for bicycles. By a turn of the key, it is stated, the front wheel of the machine can be locked in any position. If the bicycle is left standing at the side of the pavement with the steering gear locked and a thief jumps on to ride off with it, he will soon find himself in difficulties. The locking apparatus is very small. It adds but a few ounces to the weight of the machine, and unless one looked for it specially it would quite escape notice. The construction is said to be simple and cannot get out of order, and it can be made and applied at a small cost.—Invention.

**Excited His Curiosity.**

The New York Girl—Lord Dumley, did you ever hear the joke about the museum keeper who had two skulls of St. Paul, one when he was a boy and the other when he was a man?

The Englishman—No. What is it?—Life.

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## BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT, JAN. 6, 1895.
LEAVE CAMDEN STATION.

For Chicago and Northwest, Vestibuled Limited Express daily 10.10 a. m. Express, 7.00 p. m.

For Cincinnati, St. Louis and Indianapolis, Vestibuled Limited Express daily 2.25 p. m., Express, 11.00 night.

For Pittsburg and Cleveland, 10.10 a. m., 7.30 p. m.

For Washington, week days, 5 00, x6 15, x6 25, 6 30, x7 20, x8 00, 8 35, x10 10, (10 35 a m, 12 00 noon, 45 minutes) 12 15, x2 10, x2 25, 2 50, (3 45, 45-minutes) x4 10, 5 00, x6 00, 6 18, x6 40, x7 00, x7 30, x8 00, 9 15, x10 20 x11 00, 11 30, p m. Sunday x6 25, 6 30, 8 35, x10 10, (10 35, a m, 12 00 m, 45-minutes) 1 05, x2 10, x2 25, (3 45 45-minutes) 5 00, 6 18, x6 40, x7 00, x7 30, 9 15, x10 20, x11 00, 11 30 p m.

For Annapolis, 7 20, 8 35, a. m., 12 15 and 4 10 p. m. On Sunday, 8 35 a. m. and 5 00 p. m.

For Frederick, 4.00, 8.10 a. m., 1.15, 4.20 and 5.30 p. m. On Sundays, 9.35 a m. and 5.30 p. m.

For Luray, Roanoke and all points in the South via N. & W. R. R. 10.20 p. m., daily. Through Sleeping cars to Roanoke, Chattanooga and New Orleans. For Luray, 2.25 p m daily.

For Lexington and points in the Virginia Valley, x4 00, 10 10 a. m. For Winchester, x4 20 p.m. Mixed trains for Harrisonburg x4.00 a. m.

For Hagerstown, x4.00, x8.10, x10.10 a. m., x4.10 p. m.

For Mt. Airy and Way Stations, *4 00, x8 10 x9 35 a. m., x1 15, (x4 20 stops at principal stations only,) *5 30, *6 25, *11 10 p. m.

For Elliott City, *4 00, x7 00, x8 10, x9 35, a. m., x1 15, x3 30, x4 20, *5 30, *6 25, *11 10, p. m.

For Curtis Bay, week days, 6 28 a. m. Leave Curtis Bay, week days, 5.45 p. m.

Trains arrive from Chicago and the Northwest, daily, 3 15, and 6 00 p m; from Pittsburg and Cleveland, *8 30 a m, *6 00 p m., from Cincinnati, St. Louis and the West 5 15 a m; 1 00 p m daily.

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For Atlantic City, 5 25, 10 48 a m, 12 55 p m. Sundays, 5 25 a m, 12 55 p. m.

For Philadelphia, Newark, Wilmington and Chester, week days, 5 25, 8 50, (10 48 stopping at Wilmington only, Dining Car) A