R. F. PARKS

To the Public.

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Remember These Facts.

Our January and February

Cash Clearing Sales

must and shall attract attention! Special spot cash values to special spot cash buyers,

Are Worth

Your Immediate Attention.

Values Unprecedented. 1 to 200 yds. Ladies' Dress Cloths, all wool. Among this lot are Remnants of goods formerly sold for 50c., 75c. and $1 per yard. Choice now 30 and 35c. per yard.

5 to 50 per cent. Saved. Sizes 16 to 20 Child's Merino Pants and Vests. 15 to 20 doz. Choice of this lot of plain (not ribbed) 15c. each

Values Unequaled. 50 to 60 pairs Boys' Fine Shoes, sizes 3 to 5½ that were $1.50 to $3.25 per pair. Your choice for $1.25.

NOT TRASH. Solid Throughout. 40 to 50 pairs Hand Welt Lace Bals. and Gore Gaiters, $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00 Shoes. Your choice during this sale $2.50.

30 per ent. Saved. 15 to 20 Remnants all wool and all wool filling, extra super Carpets in lengths varying from 10 to 20 yds. During this sale your choice for 50c. per yd.

Anti-Trust Priees. Red Table Damask, 20c. value for 16c. per yard. Red Table Damask, 25c. value for 20c. per yd. Red Table Damask, 30c. value for 25c, per yard.

18 Cent Values. Bed Ticking—Holds Feathers without soaping. 200 yards 18c value for 13c½.

25 per cent. Sved. 200 yards 4-4 Brown Muslin for 5¼c. from now till February 20th.

00 yards 16c. Quality. 500 yards Jointless Fancy Mattings, bought ror spring sales. Your choice for 12½c. from now till February 10th.

White Blankets,
Bed Comforts,
Lap Robes,
Horse Blankets,
Robes, Etc.,

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25 Cents per pair. Lot Child's Shoes with heels. Were sold at $1.00 and $1.25 per pair. 30 to 40 pairs 5 to 7. Your choice for 25c.

Soap, 3 for 10c. One Thousand Bars to dispose of thus. 1 Bar Aromatic, 1 Babbits, 1 of Circus for 10c.

40 per Cen.. Under Price. Lot Ladies' (Medium Low Cut Sandals) Boston and Bay State Rubbers. Your choice.....33c.

A Bargain. 5 Bars Fairbanks Soap, 1 Package Gold Dust, 4 lb Package, 25c

Half Price For 25c. we will sell you one lb., 5 Quires Fine Note Paper and 1 Lead Pencil, all for 25c

Carriage Whips 33⅓ per Cent. Saved Best Carriage Whips in the State for 10c. during this sale

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A good Bed Ticking; Will hold Feathers, for	12
About 400 yards of 4-4 Brown Muslin, extra quality. While it lastt, at	5
A fine line of hosiery, all shades and sizes, per pair, from 5c. up to 43c. per pair.	
Ladies $1.00 Kid Gloves, (all shades) at per pair	89
For an honest fit at an honest price, try our Honesty Corset, at	47

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$1.00 Silk Fronts, at	73c
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Ark Soap, 2c. cake. Floating Toilet Soap, 1½c. Cake. Same size as Ivory.	
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Coal Oil, per Gal. (Anti-Trust)	11
Coal next week, (must be ton lot) 2240 lbs., per ton	$5.25

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MANAGER BROWN REPLIES.

The Washington College—Hopkins Base Ball Affair Explained.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—On Saturday, April 21, the Johns Hopkins base ball team landed at Tolchester, where they expected to find conveyances to Chestertown. The Washington College base ball team agreed to have carriages at Tolchester to meet the Hopkins men and a game was to have taken place that afternoon between these two clubs. The carriages were not there because, through the stupidity of the liveryman, they were sent to Betterton instead, and this is the whole story.

Sunday's issue of the Baltimore *Herald* contained a very remarkable account of the affair. It stated that it was impossible to communicate through phone with the college club. This is absolutely false. Our Mr. Burris talked through phone with Mr. Strouse of the Hopkins team, and explained the whole matter. Moreover, Mr. Burris did his best to secure teams to bring the Hopkins men to Chestertown, but was unable to do so. The reason for that was that the county court is now in session in Chestertown. During these sessions the livery stables are over run with transient custom. To make room for visiting horses, the liverymen send to the country all horses except those necessary for their regular trade, and as a consequence no horses could be gotten. Again, the Washington College team is accused of "*premeditated neglect.*" In law, before a man is accused of a crime, his accusers generally seek for a motive. What motive the college could have had for intentionally failing to meet the university men, has yet to appear. On the contrary, the boys at Washington College love to play base ball; were very much disappointed at the outcome of the day's anticipated sport, and made that liveryman's life a burden to him for a while.

The author of the account in the Sunday *Herald* was either wofully ignorant of the circumstances surrounding the case, or else, to speak plainly, prevaricated with "*premeditated malice.*" We hope we can arrange another game with the Hopkins team, and can assure them of prompt and safe passage to and from Chestertown, a run for their money in a game of ball, and good treatment while here.

H. S. BROWN,
Mangr. W. C. B. B. C.

"A SCRAP OF PAPER."

A Delightful Comedy to be Presented on Next Friday Evening by the W. C. Athletic Association.

The Athletic Association has selected for its annual dramatic entertainment, a play entitled "A Scrap of Paper." Possibly more time and pains have been taken to make this entertainment successful than have ever been taken on any of the previous entertainments so successfully presented by the Association.

Many of those taking part will appear for the first time on the stage, but by constant study and practice they have brought themselves to rare perfection in their parts.

Miss Whaland, who will take the leading lady's role, has already caught the attention of the Chestertown public by former successes, and in this piece she has a part specially well-adapted to her talents.

The other female characters will be taken by Misses Munnikhuysen, Dutrow, Mills, Childs and Jones, all of whom have shown in rehearsals fine appreciation of their respective roles.

Prof. Clarke will play the leading male part, and the other male characters will be assumed by Messrs. White, Anderson, McDorman and Carmine.

The recent trip to Baltimore by these college amateurs to see "A Scrap of Paper" presented by the Lyceum Stock Company, was greatly beneficial, and the association hopes to equal, if not surpass, the effort of the Baltimoreans.

It is to be hoped that the puplic will patronize the entertainment, as the funds of the association are quite low and must be replenished in some way.

A Bible Worth $1500.

A rare copy of the first edition of the Bible in English, translated by Myles Coverdale, and printed at Antwerp in 1535, was sold at the famous London auction, Christie's, the other day for £300.

No absolutely perfect copy of this original English edition is known; that sold on Monday had several leaves in facsimile. Otherwise it is in fine condition.

It realized £600 at Sir William Tite's sale in 1874.

The Fickle Maid.

"Why do you go to Vassar?"
I asked of my heart's own queen.
"Because," she said, "I want to be
A little vassarline."
But she changed her mind, the fickle maid,
As she'd done many times before;
"Twas not, she confessed, that she liked
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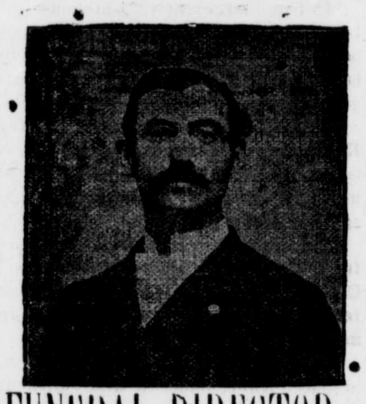

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