HARRY F. JEFERSON.

A Merry Christmas to Everybody!

Your Last Day for Christmas Shopping.

A few suggestions that will help you make useful as well as beautiful Christmas gifts.

A Christmas Package

CAN BE MADE TO LOOK SO MUCH MORE ATTRACTIVE TIED WITH BRIGHT RED OR "HOLLY" RIBBON.

ALL KINDS OF RIBBONS IN GOOD SOLID COLORS, BEAUTIFUL SHADES AND FANCY EFFECTS FOR FANCY WORK WILL BE FOUND ON OUR SHELVES.

GLOVES

Always come in as a most substantial, convenient and useful gift for Christmas.

The H. F. JEFFERSON'S "Special" Glove, name in every pair, guaranteed, at $1.00
Misses' Gloves..... 1.00
Ladies' Black Kid Gloves..... 1.50
"Meriam" Walking Gloves, brown or gray 1.00
"Doe Skin" Gloves..... .50
Golf Gloves for ladies.....25c-50c
Golf Gloves for children.....25c-50c
Ladies' and Children's Mits.....15c-25c

LINENS.

THE GOOD HOUSEWIFE delights in Fine LINENS for her table. Table Cloths, all linen. 50c to $1.50 per yard. Table Napkins, all linen, 75c to $6.00 per dozen.

LINEN BY THE YARD for Dresses, Bureau Scarfs, Tray Cloths, Center Pieces, etc. Handkerchief Linen, 75 per yard.

READY-TO-USE LINENS, Table Covers, Lunch Cloths, Tray Covers.

TOWELS, ½ doz. for 75c. TOWELS, ½ doz. up to $6.00.

Stamped Centerpieces, Tray Covers, Hemstitched Scarfs, Sofa Pillows.

SHIRTWAISTS.

98c—Shirtwaists—98c

White Linen Shirtwaists, plain, with collar attached, good quality, was $1

White Mercerized Shirtwaists, plain or tucked fronts, was $1.25.

White Linen Shirtwaists, tucked, embroidered fronts, was $1.50.

Mercerized Shirswaists, tucked fronts, collar attached, was $1.50.

Flannelette Shirtwaists, was $1.00.

Woolen Shirtwaists, was $1.60.

All go at the same—**98c.**

Christmas Collars.

Nothing brightens up a dress so much as a pretty collar.

A beautiful line for Holiday trade. These are ready to put on.

Fancy Lace Collars, 50c
Fancy Chiffon Collars, with jabot, 50c
Fancy Silk and Chiffon Collars, 50c
Lace Collar and Cuff Sets, 50c, 75c, $1.
Fancy Turnover Collars, 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c.
THE NEW GOLD BELT, 25c and 50c.

HOSIERY.

This line was never more complete nor the variety greater than at present. Women's seamless, black hose, Black Lisle Hose, Black Silk Hose, Black Fleeced Hose, Black Woolen Hose, all sizes.

Special, Fine Ribbed Hose, a genuine bargain at 25c, here for **16c.**

A complete line, all sizes, of "Dog-on-Good" Hose, the best ever offered to the public at **15c.**

CHILDREN'S CAPS.

SPECIAL ATTENTION is called to our complete line of INFANTS' and CHILDREN'S CAPS. The daintiest and prettiest ever shown in town.

Embroidery Silks.

Branierd and Armstrong's.

Filo Floss, skein, 5c, dozen, 5oc: Caspian Floss, skein, 5c, dozen, 50c; Roman Floss, skein, 4c. dozen, 45c: Twisted Embroidery Silk, 5c, doz., 50c.

WORSTEDS.

Columbia Germantown, 4 and 8 fold, per lb., $1.90, per hank, 20c.

Spanish Knitting Yarn, per lb, $1.35, per hank, 18c.

Simple Zephyr, 6c lap.

Needles, Embroidery Hoops, Bone Crochet Needles, Steel Crochet Needles, Bone and Steel Knitting Needles, etc.

MUSLINS.

"A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT."

White Cotton goods of all kinds will be higher. To those who can do so it will be well to invest in these goods.

Our MUSLIN line is second to none.

A few Remnants of the 8c to 22½c values, all white, 1 to 10 yards at 7c.

MILLINERY.

Our MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

during the present season has been working day and night. Beautiful effects have been [illegible] with the finest materials that have [illegible] of our HATS [illegible] because new [illegible] and our trimmer, [illegible] over on the Eastern [illegible] to make a HAT se-[illegible]

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Better goods cannot be had for the money.

Cotton Handkerchiefs. 5c, 10c, 12½c.

Best pure linen Handkerchiefs, 25c, 50c, 60c, 75c, $1.00.

Also a full line of initial Handkerchiefs put up in boxes, ½ doz. to box. Full assortment of Children's Handkerchiefs.

HARRY F. JEFFERSON, Prop.,

UNDERTAKING ROOMS OVER THE NEW STORE, CHESTERTOWN, MD.

The Kent County Horticultural Society will hold a three days meeting in Chestertown, January 16, 17 and 18th. The program of the several sessions is as follows:

TUESDAY, JAN. 16.

FIRST SESSION 1.30 P. M.

Prayer.Rev. W. L. White, Chestertown
Address of Welcome.....
.....Hon. W. W. Bush, Chestertown
Response.....Hon. J. W. Kerr, Denton
Miscellaneous Business
President's Annual Address.....
.....Hon. Jas. S. Harris, Still Pond
Some Lessons from the Peach Orchards of New Jersey.—Dr. G. F. Warren, Horticulturist New Jersey Experiment Station.

SECOND SESSION, 7.00 P. M.

Music.
Some Important Insect Enemies of the Peach.—Prof. A. L. Quaintance, United States Dept. of Agriculture.
What Our Agricultural Colleges Teach and How They Teach It.—Dr. G. F. Warren. Illustrated with lantern slides.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 17.

THIRD SESSION, 9.00 A. M.

Report on Peaches .....
.....Levi Cooch, Cooch's Bridge
The Insects of the Year.....
Prof. T. B. Symons State Entomologist of Maryland.
Fungous Diseases of Plants.....
Prof. C. D. Chester, Delaware Experiment Station.
Controlling Insects and Plant Diseases with Dust and Liquid Sprays.—Prof. C. P. Close, Horticultirist of Delaware Experiment Station.

FOURTH SESSION, 2.00 P. M.

The Value of the Soil Survey.....
Milton Whitney, U. S. Department of Agriculture.
Apples and Apple Culture.....
.....J. W. Kerr, Denton
Pears.....J. L. Soper, Magnolia
Plum Culture.....J. E. Carter, Smyrna

FIFTH SESSION 7.00 P. M.

Music.
Grapes .....Discussion to be opened by W. T. Massey, Smyrna.
Nut Culture...Hon. Geo. Biddle, Elkton
Small Fruits.....Prof. W. H. Hutt, State Horticulturist of Maryland.
How to Make a Fertile Farm.....
Speaker to be announced later.

THURSDAY, JAN. 18.

SIXTH SESSION, 9.00 A. M.

Asparagus.....Frank Cochran, Galena
Vegetables and Market Gardening.
.....B. F. B. Woodall, Milford
Fruit Packages and Implements.....
.....George H. Niver, Wyoming
Some Requirements of the Fruit Markets .....Prof. W. H. Hutt

SEVENTH SESSION, 2.00 P. M.

Cold Storage of Fruits.....
W. T. Robinson, President American Warehouse Association, Phila.
Produce Exchange.....
.....A. J. McMath, Onley, Va.
Transportation....W. F. Allen, Salisbury
New Fruits...Charles Wright, Seaford.
How to Beautify the Country.....
..... J. Otto Thilow, Philadelphia.

EIGHTH SESSION 7.00 P. M.

Music.
The Flora and Other Features of the Yellowstone Park, Puget Sound and Other Parts of Our Country, illustrated with lantern slides .....
J. Otto Thilow.

DISCUSSION:—At the close of each address opportunity will be given for full and free discussion of the topic presented.

QUESTIONS.—Everyone in attendance should come with a pocket full of questions. The following have been propounded:

1. Are Paris green and white arsenic, as usually found on the market, of standard strength and purity?
2. Is arsenate of lead the best insecticide to use against the codling moth?
3. What is the value of scalecide as a remedy for use against the San Jose Scale.
4. Name ten comparatively new varieties of peaches that are worthy of further trial in this Peninsula?
5. What are the best ten varieties of apples for the commercial apple orchard on the Peninsula?
6. How would school gardens help horticulture?
7. Does the lime-sulphur wash prevent the leaf curl of the peach?
8. What is the best remedy for the canteloupe blight?
9. What amount of Paris green per barrel of spray should be used to kill the asparagus beetle?

Ladies are cordially invited to attend this meeting and to participate in the discussions.

All members and visitors are requested to bring samples of fruit, flowers and vegetables. They are also requested to note their experiences and thoughts on the topics presented and so be prepared to take part in the discussion.

For excursion rates over the Pennsylvania Railroad system, address the Secretary, Wesley Webb, Dover, Del.

The Voshell House will make a special rate of $1.50 per day to all in attendance and will be headquarters of the Society during the meeting.

EXHIBITS.—Unusual efforts have been made to secure a representative exhibit of apples and pears, not only from the Peninsula but from different parts of the country, and it is expected that an unusually fine collection will be displayed. Fruit is already in cold storage from Maryland, New Jersey, Missouri and Connecticutt.

There will also be a large exhibit of fruit packages, spraying outfits and implements.

OFFICERS.—President, Jas. S. Harris, Still Pond, Md.; Vice-Pres., Samuel M. Derby, Woodside, Del.; Sec. and Treas., Wesley Webb, Dover, Del.

VICE-PRES. FOR THE SEVERAL COUNTIES.

Delaware—New Castle, Jas. T. Shallcross, Middletown; Kent, F. C. Bancroft, Wyoming; Sussex, Oliver A. Newton, Bridgeville.

Maryland—Cecil, George Biddle, Elkton; Kent, Capt. [illegible] Emory, Chestertown; Queen [illegible] [illegible]; Dorchester, W. [illegible]

KENNEDYVILLE ITEMS.

Miss M. Webb, from Philadelphia, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cleaver.

Mrs. Wm. B. Cleaver and son are visiting Mrs. Cleaver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, near Middletown, Del.

Miss Katie Hessner, from Philadelphia, and Miss Emma Hessner, from Chestertown, spent Sunday and Monday with their mother, Mrs. A. Hessner.

Rev. R. S. Rowe and wife are visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. P. Shelley, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Rev. Jamison and family are visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Miss Bessie Ball, from Chestertown, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ball.

Mr. Herbert Matthews, from near Worton, and Miss Julia Cooper were married in Baltimore Wednesday night by Rev. Jamison of this town.

Mr. Harry Hill and bride, formerly Miss Wilson, of Annapolis, returned Christmas day from their wedding trip and will reside on farm vacated by Mr. J. A. Money. We wish them all success.

Mr. Frank Hill, from Baltimore, spent the holidays with his parents Capt. and Mrs. Daniel Hill.

Mrs. A. D. Melvin has moved with her family to Norfolk, Va.

Mr. Scott Knight moves about eight miles north of Wilmington.

Mr. John Cox and family move to a farm near Wyoming, Del.

Mr. Oscar Lane spent Friday with his father, Mr. Geo. F. Lane.

Wish you all a happy and prosperous New Year.

Miss Annie Melvin is visiting Miss Pearl Griffin, at Denton.

CHURCH NOTES.

Circumstances have arisen which necessitate recalling the appointment to have an opening service at the chapel of the "Holy Cross," in Millington on Sunday (tomorrow) morning. The service is indefinitely postponed.

The members of Betterton M. E. Church gave their popular pastor, Rev. D. J. Ford, a splendid donation last week. A large crowd was present and left the pantries well filled.

Rev. C. T. Denroche, the popular rector of St. Paul's Church, was kindly and lovingly remembered by his loyal congregation last week. A sumptuous supper was served by the Sewing Circle.

Revival meetings at Golt M. E. Church have been closed. Twenty-six new members were taken in on probation.

Chestertown M. E. Church. Preaching at 10.30 A. M., Subject: "Let us go up and possess the land." Sunday school at 2.15 P. M. Watch Night services in the evening, beginning at 10 o'clock. Epworth League Meeting from 10 to 10.30 P. M.; Service of Song from 10.30 to 11.00 P. M., followed by brief address and testimony meeting. Closing service of the old year at twelve o'clock. All are cordially invited.

The Annual Sunday school treat and entertainment of Christ M. P. Sunday school will be held on Monday evening. The christmas carols will be sung by the Sunday school, tomorrow (Sunday) evening.

Emmanuel P. E. Sunday school held its annual Christmas treat and entertainment on Wednesday evening. Chestertown M. E. Sunday school enjoyed its treat and entertainment on Thursday evening: St. James M. P. Sunday school on Wednesday evening; Lynch's M. P. Sunday school on Thursday evening, Chesterville on Wednesday evening, Asbury M. E. Millington, on Tuesday evening, and Rock Hall M. E. Sunday school on Tuesday evening.

Testimony Service at 9.30 A. M. The Sermon-Theme at 10.30 A. M. "A Psalm of Life." Sunday school at 2.30 P. M. The Christmas Choral Service of the children will be held at 7.30 P. M.

W. C. T. U. of Fairlee will please meet on Sat. Jan. 6th. 1906, at Salem Church at 2½ o'clock. All friends of the cause as well as the members welcome.

The vestibule of Christ M. P. Church is being greatly improved this week. A marble window-sill is being put in to replace the old one which had became worn. Mr. James W. Chapman has given to the church a handsome bronze tablet upon which is enscribed the names of the pastor, Rev. D. L. Greenfield, and the building committee of the church. It is a handsome tablet and will be greatly appreciated by the congregation.

An Emergency [illegible]

For sprains, bruises, [illegible] scalds and similiar injuries, there [illegible] so good as Chamberlain's Pa[illegible] It [illegible] gives [illegible] the [illegible] time [illegible]

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By a fortunate purchase in these lines we are enable to place before you a line of garments of the very latest cut at a saving to you of 25 per cent. Compare them with others and be convinced.

Milinery! Milinery!

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