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THE LADIES STORE. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

SPECIAL

As announced in our last week's advertisement our Shoe Department is now in complete readiness for the public's inspection. This long-needed department in the ladies' store has been given much time, thought and at no little expense have we sought the wholesale markets and made selections that excel any that have ever been placed on sale in this section.

We have set apart ample space in our large store room for displaying and handling this line, and have competent lady clerks who will be pleased to look after your desires in the shoe line. This department is well supplied with the leading fall styles in

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—FOR—

Ladies, Children, Youths and Misses.

Children's Shoes You will find the infant soft soles in all values—the fat baby shoes, the patent leather hard sole, the red leather hard soles, in fact, any and everything for the little folks for comfort.

Misses' Shoes We have the regular SCHOOL SHOE—something strong and durable—the patent leather for dress and the kid shoes for street wear in all styles and widths.

Ladies' Shoes We have is this line the regular old ladies' shoes for wear and comfort—the gun metal in blucher and the college boot, the newest thing in footwear, and the Colt Patent Leather, the kind that wears. We can fit the most peculiar foot, the narrow as well as the wide ones. Come and see the styles and be convinced of superiority of workmanship.

MILLINERY.

Miss Kate Wheatley, having spent two weeks in Baltimore and Philadelphia in the large wholesale houses, feels that we are in a better position this coming season to fit our many patrons' demands. Our entire line is now ready for your careful inspection where you will find all the newest shades in brown, reds and greys.

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ROCK HALL ITEMS.

The teachers of Piney Neck School invited the patrons to visit them on Friday last, and so many accepted that there was not standing room for all. The visitors made themselves at home and discussed the attendance at the school and suggested methods by which they could secure more punctuality and it was agreed to make a canvass of the district and show the necessity for keeping the present corps of teachers. Refreshments were served and every one enjoyed the innovation. An improvement association was organized and work planned for the future. Moral, "If you want a progressive school cooperate with the teacher and give a helping hand."

Echoes from the storm of Saturday continue to be heard; Capt. Tom Sewell was caught in the blow and was compelled to cut loose his small fishing boats and try to save his vessel, which he succeeded in doing after much damage to his vessel and severe hardships of his crew. He has found boats and nets but it will be sometime before he can resume fishing.

Percy, son of Mr. Marion Downey, while playing on the school yard, was tripped and fell backward, and in his efforts to break the force of falling broke the ligaments of his left wrist. He is doing well at this writing.

Festivals are weekly occasions; the Odd Fellows will hold theirs on Saturday next; the P. O. S. of A. on Saturday, Oct. 20, and the Rock Hall public school on Nov. 3. The bazaar of the M. E. Church was a success and realized a snug sum for paying the debt.

Our merchants have made strenuous efforts to keep up their stock by having their goods shipped to Buck Neck and Tolchester, thereby entailing additional expense and higher prices to the consumer.

The heavy winds have prevented the tongsmen from working. Oysters are bringing good prices, and those who bedded them during the warm spell are reaping the advance.

A packet has been established between here and Baltimore, and is doing a big business in freight.

MILLINGTON MATTERS.

Millington Branch of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, will hold a special missionary service in Trinity M. E. Church South, Sunday, Oct. 14, at 7.30 P. M. A missionary sermon, followed by readings and music. The public is cordially invited.

A musical and literary recital will be given in the hall over Gillespie & Moffett's store, Thursday evening, Oct. 25. Miss Julia M. Baynard, of Wilmington, Del., an elocutionist of no mean ability will recite, and excellent music will be rendered by talented musicians.

Misses Ruby, Lura and Mary Ahern are pupils at Western Maryland College. This is Miss Ruby's fourth year, and Misses Lura and Mary's first year.

Miss Claire Benson has entered Hannah Moore as a pupil for the school term.

Mrs. Wyatt has moved into the property on the corner of Sassafras and Cypress streets recently vacated by Mr. L. A. Vansant and family.

Mrs. Martha A. McWhorter is spending some time with her brother, Mr. John Rolph, at Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. James R. Jones spent part of this week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mollie Rees, at Chestertown.

Mrs. P. P. Turner and daughter, Miss Anna, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Turner, near town.

Miss Etta Jones has returned from a visit of several weeks to friends in West Chester, Pa.

Miss Mary Thomas, of Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Turner, near town.

Miss Clara Ahern attended the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Sunfield, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Sunfield, of Felton, Del., last Wednesday. Miss Ahern was one of the bridesmaids.

Miss Lydia Jones, of near town, has entered Washington College, Chestertown, as a student.

Mr and Mrs. Walter Tolson have moved their household goods to Galena, where Mr. Tolson is in the milling business. They have rented their property to Mr. John Gillespie.

STILL POND ITEMS.

Mrs. Will Cahoon and son Carlton returned to their home in Boston, Mass., after a few weeks visit with Mrs. Sallie Norris.

Miss Elma Biglow, of Melitota, visited Miss Mary Toulson the past week.

Mrs. Agnes Lecates is visiting Mrs. Will Cahoon, Boston, Mass.

Mr. W. Claude Hackett, of Wilmington, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hackett.

Mr. Ernest Briscoe is visiting his parents in Galena.

Miss Lydie Hague and little niece, Elizabeth Hague and Miss Mary and Katie Capps visited in Baltimore the past week.

Miss Jennie Bowers returned to Washington College, Monday.

Mr. Wm. Medders visited Baltimore, during the past week.

Rev. T. S. Holt and family who have been away on their vacation, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. John Mitchelle spent Sunday in Baltimore.

Mr. Jim Serverson returned home, after a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Fletcher Connor, Middletown.

Miss Mary J. Anderson spent Sunday with her parents, in Cecil county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hackett, Sr., visited in Baltimore.

The Epworth League will be led Sunday evening by Mrs. T. S. Holt. Topic, "Who is my neighbor and what of him."

KENNEDYVILLE ITEMS.

Mrs. S. E. Read, from Beverly, N. J., is visiting Mrs. S. E. Barwick.

Mr. Tilgham Shafer made a business trip to New York this week.

Mrs. J. E. Merriken and daughter, Ethel, returned home Thursday from Philadelphia, Pa., after spending a week with Mrs. Merriken's cousin, Mrs. Carrie Brown.

Mr. Charlie Nickerson, from Baltimore, spent last Sunday with his father, Mr. D. T. Nickerson.

Mr. J. E. Merriken spent Thursday in Clayton and Cheswold, Del.,

Mr. Pote from Delmar, Del., is visiting his brother, Mr. W. A. Pote.

Mrs. J. H. Clendaniel spent last Sunday in Philadelphia, Pa.

TRAGEDY ON ELK RIVER.

Capt. Joseph Hilton, of the Golden Light, the Victim.

Thos. R. Wilcraft, 35 years old, of Philadelphia, and Robert B. Ryall, of Salisbury, Md., were committed to Elkton jail on Monday night, charged with the murder of Capt. Joseph Hilton, aged 35 years, of Pleasantville, N. J. The crime took place on Elk river off William Arrant's shore, in Elk Neck, Cecil county, on Monday afternoon. Capt. Hilton, of the schooner Golden Light was bound from Atlantic City to Salisbury, and on board with him were Wilcraft and Ryall, the latter having shipped on Monday at Delaware City.

When several miles from Chesapeake City, according to young Ryall, the captain accused him of stealing his money and a fight ensued. Wilcraft, who is a powerfully built man, came to young Ryall's rescue, whereupon it is alleged that Captain Hilton rushed at Wilcraft with a knife, stabbing him in the left breast over the heart. The latter, then struck the captain, knocking him overboard. Ryall says he jumped overboard and did not see the blow struck that knocked the captain into the river. The two men then ran the schooner aground and, taking a small boat, went ashore. They went to North East and gave themselves up to the authorities. The body of the dead captain has not been recovered. Ryall admits that the men had been drinking and declares Wilcraft committed the deed in self-defense.

The latter has an ugly wound near the heart, and after being placed in jail Dr. John H. Jamer, the jail physician, was summoned and dressed the wounds. Wilcraft refuses to talk of the crime.

Maryland State W. C. T. U.

The 31st milestone of this organization was marked by a fine convention held in Frederick City, Oct. 2, 3 and 4th. Reports showed an advance in work along most lines and finances in shape for still better. A gain in members was noted and extra efforts to secure more before the National Convention was urged, also more subscribers for Union Signal and White Ribbon Herald. Anne Arundel gained 34 members; Talbot county won the L. T. L. banner in a gain of 125. A letter from Rev. C. A. Grice, Supt. of Anti-Saloon League, stated that 47 measures were won at last session of the Legislature, and that there were very hopeful signs for the future. To give that organization the aid of the W. C. T. U., was recommended. Among the resolutions was one urging the practice of medical temperance; another the agitation of anti-narcotics; also, petitions to school boards for the use of oral text books for teachers below 5th grade.

The State officers and most of the Supts. were re-elected. Miss Rebecca Miller, of Montgomery county, was elected editor of W. R. Herald. Miss Florence Hammond, delegate at large to National Convention. The presence of the National President and Vice President added much to the interest of the work of the Convention. Mrs. Stevens in her convention address stated there was never a time of so much total abstinence. Commercialism demands it; the trend of catholicism is towards it. The Lord Mayor of London and family practice it. Our army and navy have abolished the use of liquor and many victories in Maine and elsewhere were noted. A notable event of the convention was a large mass meeting of children at the opera house addressed by Anna Gordon, National Vice President. She illustrated what Jamica Ginger contains by burning it.

In the closing evening, by request, Miss Bell Hearney, of Mississippi, gave one of her forceful talks on prohibition; showing its efficiency, when backed by public sentiment, one-half of the Southern territory being covered by prohibition.

The Mayor of the city of Frederick acted as director of music the last evening and following words of appreciation, rendered a fine solo. This with the royal welcome extended from the city churches and homes, made the convention and stay in the beautiful and historic city of Frederick, highly enjoyable.

Press. Supt.

Letter to J. H. Sides.

Chestertown, Md.

Dear Sir: You know, diamonds don't go by size. So with paint.

We make paint, one gallon of which goes as far as two of another and lasts twice as long; that's four to one.

You know it is true in diamonds; they don't go by the gallon, do they?

If you're going to paint your house, you go first to your painter and say; "I'm going to paint; do you want the job? and what'll it cost?"

If he happens to know, he'll say: "Depends on the paint. I can do it for somewhere about $100 or $200, whichever you like; $100 will make a good job; $200 a poor one."

And you, if you happen to have your wits, 'll say: "I'll take the good one, when'll you do it?"

Painters ought, all, to know about paint; and jewelers ought to be able to get a good job. We do what we can to help both.

One gallon Devoe is better than two of average paint, goes as far—that is, your house will take about 20 gallons Devoe and 40 of average paint—and Devoe will wear a long time; the life of average paint is very uncertain, it may be a year, it may be five.

Why is it that painters don't know about paint? Do jewelers know about diamonds? They know more than they tell sometimes. There are painters and painters; so there are jewelers; so there is paint, and the least-gallon paint is Devoe.

Yours truly

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New Suits, Wraps and Skirts

For Women and Older Girls

In the Salons of Dress, you may see an exhibit that will add tremendously to the fame of the store.

It is the full result of months of study and painstaking effort—and we are proud of it.

It is Fashion at her best—and no one who knows the store would think of disregarding a single hint that is given by costumes, suits, wraps and skirts.

Of all the great gathering, only a few items can get mention.

$12.50 French Voile Skirts, $7.50

Women's Skirts of black French voile; 7-gore panel model, with double inverted pleat between each panel; finish with two wide folds of self material; stitch 12 inches below waist.

$25.00 Broadcloth Suits, $18.50

Women's Tailored Suits of French broadcloth. Coat is 24 inches long and tight fitting; lined with guaranteed satin; buttons go through the material; velvet collar and cuffs. 9-gore cluster pleated skirt. Blue, brown and black.

Women's Black Coats, $25.00, $29.75, $37.50

Women's Dressy Coats of black broadcloth and lightweight kersey; embroidered and trimmed with silk braid; loose and semi-fitted back; lined with satin; velvet collar. 27, 36 and 40 inches long.

Women's Umbrella-Model Coats, $12.50

Women's Seven-eighths Length Coats of all wool cheviot—umbrella model, with fancy patch pockets; collar and cuffs prettily trimmed with silk braid and buttons; body and sleeves lined with satin.

Women's Cravenette Raincoats, $10.00

Women's Raincoats of tan and olive cravenette; double breasted front, with pleats; semi-fitted back, with box-pleats; stitcht collar, trimmed with buttons; coat sleeves, with cuffs.

Women's and Misses' Prince Chap Suits, $25.00

Women's and Misses, Prince Chap Suits of all wool serge. Coat is 24 inches long and double breasted; vestee of white pique; tuxedo collar; lined with satin. 13-gore pleated skirt. Blue, brown and black.

Women's Black Broadcloth Suits, $32.50

Women's Tailored Suits of broadcloth. 20-inch fitted coat, elaborately trimmed with applique, velvet and silk braid; collar and facing of fancy braid; velvet cuffs; silk lined. 9-gore skirt, with cluster of pleats on each gore; trimmed to match coat.

Our Mail Order Department is equipped to give prompt and accurate service.

The McCall Bazar of Fashions will be mailed free every month on request.

Samples of Silks, Dress Goods, Wash Fabrics and so on will be cheerfully sent if you will write for them.

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Seventeen Years in the Business.

We take pleasure in announcing to you that our stock this season will considerably excel our most ambitious efforts in the past. In point of variety, we shall display more styles in each line than ever hitherto, while in the matter of quality we shall maintain the high plane of excellence which has ever been our standard.

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will, as heretofore, be based on the smallest possible profit-margin consistent with legitimate business methods. Thanking you for past favors, and trusting we shall shortly have the pleasure of serving you again, we are,

Very respectfully yours,

T. G. WROTH,

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The only store in town where you can buy the Celebrated W. L. Douglas Shoes for men and boys, and the Stout Snag Proof Rubber Boots. The only genuine snag proof boot on the market. Best selected line of CHILDREN'S SCHOOL SHOES in the county. I know where to secure them. One price. All goods marked in plain figures.

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