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While all departments are brimming full of the season's best articles, lack of space prevents giving each special mention, and we direct your attention to the thing mostly needed at present, viz.: Dress Goods, Silks, Shoes and Millinery and suggest that you read carefully what we have to say on these lines then journey hither and inspect, and we feel assured that the goodness of these articles will be recognized with a glance.

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HIGH SCHOOL AVERAGES.

Following are the averages of the pupils of Chestertown High School for the month of November.

Eleventh Grade.—Margaret Brinsfield 96, Anna Smyth 96, Mary Layman 93, Galen Vansant 91, Mary Miller 90, Gilbert Jarman 88, Harold Matthews 88.

Tenth Grade.—Josephine Wheatley 95, Pauline Copper 94, Elizabeth Russell 94, Marghuerita Dodd 94, Blanche Kendall 94, Emma Brown 93, Winifred Grey 93, Lester Baldwin 93, Susie Frazier 91, Estelena Derringer 90, Josephine Hicks 89, Gladys Aldridge 96, Robert Moffett 82, Mary Smith 80.

Ninth Grade.—Stephanie Ford 96, Virginia Little 93, Robert Loud 91, Genevieve Dixon 90, Maggie Davis 90, Hope Hudson 89, Mildred Davis 88, Reba Davis 88, George Baldwin 88, Ringgold Strong 88, Arthur Shipper 86, Rebecca Aldridge 85, Edith Dunbracco 85, Ida Smith 84, Della Price 83, Eddie Blackway 79.

Eighth Grade.—Philip Wilmer 90, Jesse Robinson 89, Elsie Blyman 89, Hallie Cooper 88, Albert Duyer 87, Carleton Leverton 87, Merle White 87, Nellie Westcott 86, Elizabeth Connelly 85, Colin Duyer 85, Lawrence Russell 85, Clayton Wright 85, Romaine Morris 84, Price Rolph 84, Jessie Wink 84, Brice Fountain 82.

Seventh Grade.—Frederick Ford 89, Norman Hirons 89, Annie Lewis 87, Barbara Elliott 86, Lewin Deputy 86, May Duyer 86, Madge Pennell 85, Willie Davis 84, Charles Smith 84, Leon Hicks 84, Tylden Brice 79, Horace Clothier 77.

Sixth Grade.—Rosalie Cain 93, Carmeta Russell 93, Russell Wheatley 92, Stephen Collins 92, Kathryn Paterson 91, Maude Robinson 89, Lee Robinson 89, Helen Boyd 89, Irving Sparks 88, Polly Westcott 88, Ruth Lambert 88, Allan Harris 87, Carey Jarman 87, Julian Duyer 87, Lillie Davis 86, Rebecca Toulson 86, Marion Dixon 85, Sue Miller 85, Lucy Frazier 85, Frank Connelly 85, Percy Willis 84, Frank Jarman 84, Robert Robinson 84, Massey Hines 83, Charlie Drinkwater 83, Herbert Usilton 83, James Coleman 82.

Fifth Grade.—Mary Rouse 93, Delia Brown 93, Frances Howard 92, Clara Smith 91, Mabel Cleaver 91, Clara Coleman 91, Albion Bailey 91, Rebecca Davis 91, Gladys Hatcherson 91, Anna Story 90, Harry Rouse 90, Louise Armstrong 90, Harold Wink 90, Evelyn Getshall 90, Caroline McKee 90, Charles Ford 89, Pearl Kennard 86, Rouse Story 89, Barbara Bartley 89, Mildred Middleton 88, Alvin Coleman 88, Hope Barroll 87, Cecil Robinson 87, Elsie Whiteley 85, Loureine Smith 84, Mary Lambert 84, Eli Elliott 84, Louise Nugent 84, Lillian Hicks 84, Allie Blyman 84, Dumont Lambert 82, James Blackiston 81, Arthur Cooper 82, Lee Gill 79, Duncan Derringer 79, Mason Latham 79, Preston Woodall 78.

Fourth Grade.—Louise Russell 96, Martha Skipper 96, Roy Barnett 93, Lillie Truitt 92, Lida Hendrix 91, Henry Lambert 91, Naomi Reed 91, Margaret Jarman 90, Richard Collins 90, Walmsley Davis 90, Lillian Raleigh 90, Frances Miller 89, John Collins 89, Nathan Blum 89, Cora Robinson 88, Clarence Willis 88, Nellie Kennard 87, Leroy Simpler 87, Anna Newton 86, Edward Duyer 82, Wille Embert 82, Wilbur Hubbard 81, Colin Stam 80.

Third Grade—Ethel Fowler 94, Evelyn Russell 94, Edward Cain 93, Helen Russell 90, Margaret Smith 90, Alice Smith 89, Helen Kendall 89, Emily Ford 88, Anna Little 88, Willie Willis 88, Rebecca Truitt 88, Wm. Davis 88, Elizabeth Lurty 88, Garrett Copper 86, Amelia Roland 85, Louise Strong 85, Louise Rawleigh 82, Ruby Graham 81, Wm. Miller 80.

Second Grade—Charles Davis 97, Edna Kirby 97, Allan Rouse 96, Alice Skipper 96, Annie Duyer 95, Rudolph Mehl 94, Grace Nickerson 94, Walter Pippin 93, Sophia Brodie 92, Rebecca Kendall 92, Miriam Jones 90, Ernest Chambers 90, Emily Hendrix 89, Kitty Chambers 88, Helen Connelly 88, Sallie White 86, Daniel McKee 86, Myrtle Patterson 86, Horace Needles 85, Edith Roland 85, John Willis 85, William Hendricks 84, Fred Davis 83.

Third Grade—Helen Brown 97, Margaret Wright 96, Willie Henry 96, Edgar Chaires 93, Alice Akers 92, Grace Lurty 91, Kay Middleton 91, Henry Gill 85, Mary Burke 81.

Second Grade.—Charles Armstrong 96, Edward Robinson 95, Lillian Cooper 95, Natalie Mehl 95, Minnie Thompson 95, Harry Blum 94, Bertie Blyman 94, Alice Johnson 93, Pearl Thompson 93, Argus Robinson 92, Jessie Kennard 90, Hilda Rawleigh 89, Thomas Perry 84, Mary Morris 81.

First Grade.—Laura Storkes 98, Mary Whitely 95, Harvey Rychkman, 95, Urie Latham 93, Bates Chaires 93, Gertrude Mehl 90, Clara Latham 89.

First Grade.—Clyde Lynch 96, Virginia Ryckman 96, Emily Lusby 95, Margaret Jones 95, Clark Davis 94, Margaret Atkinson 94, Elizabeth Reed 94, Bradford Hirons 94, Dudley Orem 93, Olive Kent 92, Elizabeth Elliott 92, Louise Whiteley 92, William Smith 92, Janette Middleton 90, Jane Miller 90, Grace Bennett 89, Robert Pippin 88, Arthur Coleman 88, Bertha Patrick 87, Roselmer McKee 87, Clarence Lurty 84, Irene Kirby 83, Helen Rouse 83, Clarence Armstrong 83, Esta Wink 81.

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RAISED HIS WAGES.

The Way an Employer Got Square With a Faithless Assistant.

A story is told in Milwaukee concerning an elderly German who conducted a good sized manufacturing plant on the south side. He had an engineer at his factory who had been with him for fifteen years and the old gentleman had implicit confidence in him. It was with a profound shock that he discovered finally that the trusted engineer was "grafting" most shamefully.

The proprietor thought it all over for a long while and then sent for the engineer. When that functionary arrived the following dialogue took place:

"Ah, John! Good morning, John. How long haf you been vorking by this place?"

"Fifteen years."

"Ach, so. And vot are your wages?"

"Twenty-five dollars a week."

"M-m-m. Vell, after today it vill be $5 a veek more."

The engineer thanked his employer profusely and withdrew. A week later the old gentleman sent for him again and the same conversation ensued, ending with another $5 a week raise. The third Saturday he sent for the engineer again, and after the same questions and answers he raised his salary another $5 a week.

On the fourth Saturday the engineer was again summoned before the boss.

"How long have you been vorking here, John?" asked the proprietor.

"Fifteen years," replied the engineer, who by this time had grown to expect the weekly question and salary raise as a regular thing.

"And how much vages are you getting?"

"Forty dollars a week."

"Ach, so? Vell, you are fired."

"Fired!" exclaimed the engineer, almost fainting. "Why, you have been raising my salary $5 at a clip for the last three weeks."

"Sure I have," roared the Teutonic boss, all his indignation flaring out at once. "And the reason that I did it vas that it shall make it harder for you for vhen I fire you, you loafer!"—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

SILVER KING OF THE SEA.

The Feats That a Tarpon Will Perform When Hooked.

If you have never seen a tarpon imagine the Mediterranean sardine that you take from the box for lunch lengthened out to six or seven feet. Give it two enormous staring black eyes, a supercilious lip of the most grotesque shape coming down and twisting up again, a mouth that can be thrown so wide open that thirty feet distant when the fish is in the air you can see blue sky down its throat and out through the arched gills. Give the fish a greenish back and a long spine at the dorsal, a powerful sardine-like tail and equip its belly and sides with scales which look more like newly minted trade dollars than anything else, dollars often twice their natural size, into which the purest molten silver has been dropped, scales that flash thousands of rays in every direction, scales that gleam, corruscate and in the full glare of the sun form so many sunbursts to dazzle the eye and confuse the excited angler.

I have taken the "sabalo" under various circumstances and have seen it leap along the outer Florida reef and down by the Rio Grande, where it forms in gigantic schools and moves south in winter, and everywhere it is the same sensational equilibrist, the same air climber and sky scraper when hooked or snared. What the sensations of the tarpon are when hooked it would be difficult to say, but I fancy it is frightened and leaps in the direction away from the pain center, and no two leaps are alike.

It may go directly up into the air, carrying a big wave with it, and lash the air, or it may go out of the water head first, rising like a ray of light ten or fifteen or more feet, then fall gracefully. Every possible position I have seen the frightened tarpon take from standing on its tail as upright as a soldier to exactly the opposite direction, and an old angler informed me that he had seen a tarpon make a lateral leap of thirty feet.—Charles F. Holden in Recreation.

A Little Too Original.

"You New Yorkers are wonders," said the man from the west here for a brief stay and seeing everything from the Bronx to the Bowery. "Nothing is impossible here—at least I saw vines twined across the sky last night. It was in a restaurant in Forty-second street," he continued. "The ceiling is painted sky blue, and there are little electric lights set to look like stars. Also there are the clouds floating about, but then there are the vines that kill the otherwise very neat illusion. Originality is all right, but vines hitched to a sky is too much for a man from the west."—New York Globe.

The Main Point.

Mrs. Scrapleigh—They say, my dear, that the new rubber plant, the Ficus pandurata, is extremely beautiful. It has a glossy veined leaf— Mr. Scrapleigh (who has strained his back lugging the house plants around)—I don't care anything about its glossy veined leaves. What does the dum thing weigh?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Great Financier.

Cholly—Harry is a great financier. Chappie—Yass! Cholly—He borrowed sixpence from me yesterday to take him to the city to see a man that he knew he could borrow a pound from and with that pound he flew off to stand a dinner to another man whom he borrowed a hundred from.—London Telegraph.

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12½c Bleached Muslin	10c
11c Bleached Muslin	9c
10c Bleached Muslin	8c
6¾c Bleached Muslin	5½c
9c Unbleached Muslin	7c
6¾c Unbleached Muslin	5½c
Bleached Table Damask, worth 30c, now	22c
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Toilet Sets, Dishes, Etc., All Reduced.

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90c Wash Bowl and Pitcher	69c
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6-ft. Oak Extension Tables	$5.25
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$5.75 Cane Seat Dining Chairs, per set	$4.50
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$1.95 Wood-Frame Bed Springs	$1.45
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$1.50 Tapestry Rugs now	$1.00
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