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Being through making our invoice, we find we can offer some very LOW PRICES on lots of useful articles. These goods are worth your attention before buying.

$5.00 Horse Blankets **$4.25**	$2.00 Rain Coats **$1.50**	12½c Dress Gingham **9½c**
$2.00 Horse Blankets **$1.25**	$2.25 Gunning Coats **$1.90**	25c Indian Linen **18c**
$1.25 Stable Blankets **95c**	50c Dress Shirts **39c**	15c Percales **12c**
30c Floor Carpet **20c**	10c Men's Hose, 6 pr **50c**	10c Bleached Muslin **8c**
$1.50 Rugs **$1.00**	50c Overalls **39c**	Apron Gingham **5c**
98c Cedar Tubs **65c**	15c Men's Hose **10c**	10 and 12c Outing **8 & 9c**
$2.25 Toilet Set **$1.98**	15c Misses' Hose **10c**	12c Flannelettes **9½c**
69c Lamps **40c**	15c Ladies' Hose **10c**	25c Towels **15c**
35c Lamps **29c**	15c Men's Collars **10c**	9c Unbleached Muslin **6½c**
$5.00 Toilet Set **$3.89**	39c 9-4 B Sheeting **29c**	8c Toweling **5c**
$2.50 Umbrella Stand **$2.00**	7—8c Gray Calico **5½c**	6c Cambric Lining **4½c**
25c Men's Suspenders **19c**	7—8c Light Calico **5½c**	12½c Madras **9½c**

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One of our county merchants wrote us he would like to sell his stock of merchandise. He was tired of business, so we made him an offer and bought the whole stock at a very low price.

Will give our trade the advantage of it.

Men's $3.00 Shoes, **$2.10**	50c Dress Shirt, **35c**	10c Can Corn, **7½c**	50c Shovels, **35c**
$2.50 Shoes, **$1.75**	25c Horse Brush, **19c**	10c Prunes, **7½c**	35c Agate Coffee Pot, **19c**
$2.25 Shoes, **$1.50**	15c Curry Comb, **10c**	Corn Starch, 4c lb.	75c Axe and Helve, **29c**
Boys' $2.50 Shoes, **$1.60**	5c Axle Grease, **3c**	75c Agate Dust Pan, **49c**	$2.50 Iron Bed, **$1.75**
$1.50 Shoes, **$1.00**	50c Lantern, **39c**	Gravely Tobacco, 49c lb.	$6 00 Ladies' Coat, **$4.50**
Ladies' $2.50 Shoes, **$1.75**	Clothes Pins, 1c Dozen.	Kite Tobacco, 29c lb.	$4.00 Lady's Coat, **$2.98**
$2.00 Shoes, **$1.40**	25c Boys' Pants, **9c**	25 Envelopes, **3c**	$10.00 Men's Suit, **$7.75**
$1 50 Shoes, **$1.00**	$5.50 Plush Robe, **$4.25**	5c Writing Tablet, **3c**	$12.50 Ladys Coat Suit **$9.50**
Child's $1.25 Shoes, **75c**	$3.25 Blanket, **$2.00**	Needles, 1c Paper.	$2.50 Clocks, **$1.98**
75c Shoes, **40c**	10c Can Tomatoes, **7½c**	50c Forks, **35c**	8 Quart Galv. Bucket, **10c**

Bring us your Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Potatoes. All kinds country produce wanted.

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BALTIMORE SUN SOLD.

Former Baltimorean, Mr. Chas. H. Grasty, Secures Control and will be the Directing Head.

Ownership of a majority interest in the Baltimore Sun, hitherto entirely the property of the A. S. Abell estate, is now held by Charles H. Grasty, managing owner of the News prior to its purchase two years ago by Frank A. Munsey. Final arrangements for the transfer of the majority interest in the Sun to Mr. Grasty were made late Saturday afternoon, according to an authoritative statement made on Sunday. The Baltimore Sun was established many years ago by the late A. S. Abell, who developed the plant and the paper into one of the largest and best journals in the country. Since the death of the editor, Mr. Abell, the ownership of the paper has been vested in the children of the deceased. During the life of Mr. A. S. Abell, the paper was one of the staunchest Democratic papers in the country. It was its conservative policy and its strong advocacy of Democratic doctrines that won it a place in the affections of the people of Maryland and the South that time has not been able to destroy. Of late years, however, the political policy of the paper, especially upon national questions, has not been so conservative, and its prestige has suffered in consequence. It is still a great power in politics, and exercises a great influence over legislation in this State. Just what will be the political policy of the paper in the future remains to be seen. Under the management of Mr. Grasty, who will now conduct the Sun, the Baltimore City News was independent in politics, and it is safe to say that the Sun will cut loose from many of its old moorings and pursue an independent course in politics, looking to pure methods and clean men to manage the affairs of State. If such be the case, the Democratic party is up against a strong proposition. There will be no straightout Democratic daily in the State, and the party must either secure a clean and straight daily, or there must be such changes and reforms in the management of the Democratic party as will merit and secure the support of the independent journals. We are not advised as to the price paid for the paper, but we are informed that the price is $3,000,000.

New Primary Bill.

The new primary election bill, drafted by Attorney-General Straus, has been introduced in the Legislature. Its principal features are as follows:

All candidates for public offices, all delegates to conventions, members of managing bodies, precinct, ward, city, county and State executives, must be nominated and elected by the vote of the people.

Nominations by conventions are prohibited, as is the selection or appointment of a party official, executive or manager.

Judges and clerks to be named by the Supervisors of Election.

Both parties, Democrat and Republican, must hold their primaries on the same day, and at the same places, with provision for separate ballots of different color and separate ballot boxes for each party.

Voters must be registered in the regular registration books, and provision is made for the recording of their party affiliation. This system is to apply to elections throughout the State.

If this bill becomes a law as it is drawn, it means that all candidates for office, party managers, executives, delegates to conventions, members of State Central Committee and other party boards will have to be chosen by popular vote. This reform has been strongly urged by Governor Crothers, who says a better electorate will follow the adoption of the bill as it has been drafted by Attorney-General Straus.

Senate Committees.

President Arthur P. Gorman has named the Senate Committees and his selections have given general satisfaction. Senator Slay, of Kent fares well, and besides being the chairman of one committee, which entitles him to a committee room, he is given other important assignments. He is on the following committees:—

Article 3, Section 24, of the Constitution, Chairman.

Insurance, Fidelity, Securities and Loan Companies.

Judicial Proceedings.

Pensions.

Public Buildings at Annapolis.

Retrenchment of Expenses of State Government.

Roads and Highways.

Senator Isador Rayner was unanimously re-elected United States Senator on Wednesday by the Democrats, and Hon. Murray Vandiver was re-elected State Treasurer. The Republican vote was cast for Mr. Wm. P. Jackson, for United States Senator. The business of the Legislature has begun in earnest, and many bills have been introduced during the week.

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Millington Items.

Mr. Ford Phillips' little baby, who died Jan. 14 in Wilmington, Del., was brought from that city Saturday, Jan. 15, and buried in the Millington cemetery.

Mrs. John L. Smith entertained Rev. Mr. Moore and family at a turkey dinner during Xmas week.

Mrs. Ray Taylor and little daughter are visiting in Frederick City, Md.

Miss Mary Wilson is attending the new Millington Store during the absence of the proprietor in Baltimore.

Mrs. Julia Mallalieu spent last week with her son.

Mrs. Wm. Mallalieu, as soon as the new property of Mr. Wm. Price was ready for occupany, moved into it. It is a fine home, modern in every respect. Mr. Hollins, the Hub proprietor, will occupy the left side of the same.

Mr. Bradford Dudley has moved into the Smith home lately tenanted by Mrs. Julia Johnson.

Miss Addie Vansant has returned from a visit to her mother in Delmar.

Mr. Spencer Merrick's store was entered one night last week and money amounting to twenty dollars and several articles of value taken. So far no clue is known of the party who committed the robbery.

Mr. Hollins' family are in Baltimore.

Mr. Oscar Allen spent Sunday in Laurel, Del.

Mr. Glen Anthony has resigned as miller at Mr. J. E. Higman's, and moved on the Anthony farm near No. 10.

Miss Julia Ferguson has returned to her position in Baltimore.

The festival which was to be held during the holidays has been indefinitely put off, owing to the inclement weather.

The Misses Power are yet in Philadelphia, owing to the illness of Miss Helen.

Mrs. Stille, of Cumberland, Md., formerly of Chestertown, is quite sick at her brother's home in Cumberland.

Mrs. Frank Vansant is in Wilmington, Del., with her daughter, Mrs. Ford Phillips.

Mr. Wm. Price and son, of Philadelphia, spent part of last week at Central Hotel.

Caroline Road Law Indorsed.

The Kent County Pomona Grange, at its quarterly meeting in Kennedyville last week, indorsed the Caroline County Road Law, and instructed its secretary, Mr. Samuel Comly, of Locust Grove, to draw up petitions and forward them to our representatives in the Legislature praying them to adopt the road law as it is in use in Caroline county, for this county. A similar resolution was adopted by Fairlee Grange at a recent meeting, and the tax payers of the grange, all prominent Democrats and Republicans, were enthusiastic for the adoption of the Caroline Road Law as the best means to take the roads of the county out of politics. The Pomona Grange is composed of between 400 and 500 members, many of whom are among the county's largest and most representative citizens and tax-payers, and this petition from the grange should have great weight with our delegates in the Legislature.

The hen's Winter diet is lacking in egg-making material. More of her food must be used in keeping her body warm. Egg production, naturally falls off. Fairfield's Egg Producer supplies the egg-making material, increases egg production and prevents disease.

Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Horses Only neutralizes poisons produced by undigested foods fermenting in the intestines. It strengthens digestion, purifies the blood, perfecting the health and increasing the animal's working ability.

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The extra vitality required to digest the Cow's winter foods is drawn from her milk secreting organs, weakening them and cutting down the milk supply. Fairfield's Milk Producer makes winter foods digestible, strengthens all organs and increases milk in quantity and quality.

Make your hens lay their eggs while you can get good prices. Fairfield's Egg-Producer makes the hen keep up her summer average in the winter by supplying egg-making material and stimulating the egg-producing organs.

To rid a horse of worms without putting him out of commission, use Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Horses Only. It acts in Nature's way, perfecting digestion and nutrition, purifying the blood and expelling all poisons and impurities.

Undigested and fermenting foods interfere with the hen's production of eggs, and often cause cholera and other poultry diseases. Fairfield's Egg Producer stops fermentation, strengthens digestion, eliminates waste and increases egg production.

Roup is prevented and cured by the regular use of Fairfield's Roup Remedy in fowls drinking water. It purifies and cleanses the parts affected and destroys the germ. Four oz. bottle, 25 cents.

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