Wm. Medders & Co. | SPECIAL ATTENTION TO TELEPHONE ORDERS | Wm. Medders & Co.

## NOW FOR THE DOG DAYS!

August is the month of clean-ups, and we can rightly call it "Dog Day Bargains." All sorts of things is Summer goods will go now at special close-out prices, and a visit this month will be doubly profitable.

**FINE WHITE GOODS 12½c.**

Choice of a lot of fine white goods and fancy waistings, worth 25c yard, your pick of entire lot for only 12½c yard.

Pretty Lawns, New Voiles, Fine Ginghams } ALL **9c**

Quite a collection of fine wash goods, all on one table, and you take your choice for only 9c yd.

**Oxford Ties $1.98**

Ladies' fine $2.50, some $3.00 Oxfords and Pumps, large assortment. Your choice $1.98.

**Ladies' Oxfords $1.50**

The $2.00 and $2.50 ladies' Oxfords on sale at $1.50.

**Straw Hats 98c.**

Entire lot of Men's Dress Straw Hats, $1.50 and $2.00, and your choice for 98c.

Next Wednesday

SALE ON

**Fine Blown Tumblers**

FOR 9 CTS.

HALF DOZEN.

On next Wednesday we will have on sale a lot of Fine Blown Thin Shell Tumblers, and you take your pick of half dozen for only 9c.

One set to go to a customer, and no more, same as heretofore.

Do not fail to get a half dozen of these good tumblers, price 9c.

**NEXT WEEK**

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**Crimson Clover Seed W.**

We have a large stock of Fancy Crimson Clover Seed and can fill quick orders.

Good seed are getting scarce and market will go higher. Phone or write us without delay and place your order at once in order to get the benefit of our low prices.

**Colgate's Toilet Soap, 3½c**

The Colgate Toilet Soaps have no equal, and we offer a large variety in this July sale at 3½c cake.

**15c Colgate's Talcum, 10c**

The 15c Colgate Talcum Powder in Cashmer Bouquet and Violet, on sale 10c can.

**Air-Float Talcum Powder on sale, 6c**

The best 10c quality of Talcum Powder now in this sale at 6c can.

**15c Pillow Cases, 10c**

All Hemmed and of Fine Muslin, full size Pillow Cases, extra value, 10c.

**60c Bed Sheets, 39c**

Made of Good Muslin and nicely hemmed, sale 39c.

**$1 Bed Sheets, 69c**

Best New York Mill Sheets, extra large and fine quality, sale 69c.

**15c Gauze Vests, 9c**

Ladies' Fine Rib Gauze Vests and Silk Trimmed and Silk Tape, sale 9c.

**35c Ladies' Hose, 19c**

Ladies' Silk Mercerized Hose, extra quality, sale 19c.

**$1.00 Men's Shirts, 75c**

Large collection of Men's $1.00 and $1.25 Dress Shirts, sale 75c.

☞Five Big Wagon Loads of July Agateware Just Arrived. Never had such Bargains to offer you.

## Summer Boarders Are On The Way!

**White Enamel Beds**



All White Heavy Enamel Beds, made in all widths. No wear out to a good White Enamel Bed.
Prices.....$4.50, $5.50, $6.50, to $9.50
Cheaper Beds at.....$1.98, $2.98, $3.98

**Buy Guaranteed Springs**



A BAD SPRING IS NOT CHEAP AT ANY PRICE.

WE ARE NOW SELLING—

$4.00 Rome Link Springs at.....$2.98
$6.00 Lace Woven Springs at.....$4.90
Cheaper Springs at.....$1.98 and $2.50
Heavy Wood Cots at.....$1.50
All Iron Spring Cots.....1.98

**New Felt Mattresses**



The most wholesome Mattress of all. We are selling good Felt Mattresses with setect ticking at quite a saving.
$12.50 Double Mattress, 2 parts....$10.00
$10.00 Double Mattress, 2 parts.....$8.50
$9.00 Double Mattress, 2 parts.....$7.50
$7.50 Double Mattress, 2 parts.....$5.50
Cheaper Mattresses at.....$2.75 up

We sell the single and the three quarter Mattress at less prices.

## Carriages, Runabouts and Surreys

ALL REDUCED IN PRICES



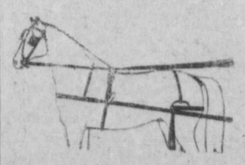
A GOOD MEDIUM GRADE CARRIAGE—This is what many people want and we are making a speciality on this line—something we can sell with a full guarantee for good service and satisfaction. Carriages that hold up.



THE REAL NEED FOR EVERY FAMILY—We have the Surrey you are looking for. A nice, neat, two-seat, light-running Surrey for one horse. High-grade work.

## GOOD HARNESS Worth Coming For.

(Big saving on each set.)



Harness made of good, clean stock and the best value in Buggy Harness on market now on sale at only $10.00.

Special $14 Harness, full track saddle, made of select stock and a real bargain at our special price, only $12.50.

The $16 Kay Saddle Harness, very neat and pretty, and made of fine stock leather, on sale at $14.50.

The $18 Kay Saddle Harness, genuine rubber, fine finish and a very stylish set, with black or russet reins, only $15.50.

## WAGON HARNESS



The best $15 Wagon Harness, made 1¼-inch heavy traces and good breechings, straps and chains, now $13.90.

Our Special Wagon Harness, made as above, 1¼-inch heavy traces, but without breechings, only $9.50.


### After Road Engineer in Cecil.

That the present road law in Cecil county is a cause for much criticism is manifested by the following statement clipped from the Cecil Democrat last Saturday:

"A number of citizens and tax-payers of the Democratic faith, from the several election districts of Cecil county, met at the Howard House, in Elkton, on Wednesday evening to consider local conditions and looking to the betterment of the same. The conditions of our roads, bridges and taxes were discussed, as well as the unpopular road engineer law. It was the sense of the meeting that the road engineers have not given satisfaction, and that the cost of maintaining an engineer is not justified by the great expense to which the taxpayers are subjected. That any condition, which makes it possible for any road engineer to saddle a verdict upon Cecil county (as was the verdict rendered last week in Kent county) is an intolerable state of affairs, and that steps should be taken at the next session of the Legislature either to curtail the power of the road engineer or to abolish the law. A determined effort will be made at the coming primary to obtain officers who can be relied upon to remedy the conditions complained of."

The same situation exists in Cecil as exists in Kent. Incompetent management is responsible for this condition. It will be remembered that Mr. James G. Harris tried his hardest to secure the repeal of Kent's farcical law in the last Legislature, but Mr. Wm. W. Beck, the Organization representative, refused to pass the bill. The Organization is bound to a continuance of Gibbsism. They dare not turn Gibbs out, or seek to repeal the law, for fear of their political chances. Turner and Shallcross are bound hand and foot to the road engineer. Messrs. James G. Harris and Charles W. Kibler, the Anti-Organization candidates for the Legislature, are pledged to the repeal of the Gibbs Road Law, which is the only way to rid the county of Gibbsism and bad road management.

### Effect of Publicity.

Woodrow Wilson is President of the United States. He is the highest executive in our land and this fact alone makes his thoughts and utterances at all times worthy of thought and consideration.

As to publicity and its effect on politics our chief executive says:

"Publicity is one of the purifying elements of politics. The best thing that you can do with anything that is crooked is to lift it up where people can see that it is crooked and then it will either straighten itself out or disappear. Nothing checks all the bad practices of politics like public exposure. You can't be crooked in the light. I don't know whether it has ever been tried or not; but I venture to say, purely from observation, that it can't be done.

"And so many people of the United States have made up their minds to do a healthy thing for both politics and big business. Permit me to mix a few metaphors. They are going to open doors; they are going to let up blinds; they are going to drag sick things into the open air and into the light of the sun. They are going to organize a great hunt and smoke certain animals out of their burrows. They are going to unearth the beast in the jungle in which when they hunted they were caught by the beast instead of catching him. They have determined, therefore, to take an ax and raze the jungle, and then see where the beast will find cover. And I, for my part, bid them Godspeed. The jungle breeds nothing but infection and shelters nothing but the enemies of mankind.

"And nobody is going to get caught in our hunt except the beasts that prey. Nothing is going to be cut down or injured that anybody ought to wish preserved.

"You know the story of the Irishman who, while digging a hole, was asked, "Pat, what are you doing—digging a hole?" And he replied, "No, sir; I am digging the dirt, and laving a hole." It was probably the same Irishman who, seen digging around the wall of a house, was asked, "Pat, what are you doing?" And he answered, "Faith, I am letting the dark out of the cellar." Now, that's exactly what we want to do—let the dark out of the cellar."

### Block Carnival Great Success.

The Block Carnival held by the ladies of Washington avenue and Kent Circle last Friday evening was a splendid success financially and socially, the net proceeds being $56.11. To Mrs. Wm. E. Moody much of the credit is due for the success of the occassion. She planned the affair, arranged the details and had the following band of willing workers: Mrs P. A. M. Brooks, Mrs. A. M. Culp, Mrs. Walter T. Pippin, Mrs. Gilbert Taylor, Mrs. J. H. Sides, Mrs. W. Frank Jarrell, Mrs. William A. Smith, Mrs. T. D. Bowers, Mrs. Garrett Foxwell, Mrs. J. S. Kreeger, Mrs. C. S. Smith, Mrs. Harvey Culp, Mrs. Fred G. Usilton, Mrs. W. B. Copper, Mrs. S. E. Ford, Mrs. J. B. Burchinal, Mrs. Merrick Clements, Mrs. A. Parks Rasin, Mrs. S. A. Jones, Mrs. Harry Hodgkins, Mrs. Vernon Barnett, Mrs. S. P. Townshend, Mrs. James Brice, Mrs. William W. Chapman, Mrs. Wm. H. Lambert, Mrs. Louis Sheets, Mrs. Ollie Estes; Misses Leonora Wilmer, Grace Brooks, Gussie Cannon, Flora Wheatley, Loureine Smith, Nellie McWhorter and Miss Cain.

The two avenues were beautifully decorated with lanterns, flowers and flags. Automobiles owned by William E. Moody, P. G. Wilmer, J. H. Sides, P. A. M. Brooks, Merrick Clements and W. Frank Jarrell, all residents of the avenue and circle, carried children and others about the town and out the State road. Miss Lourinne Smith had a gypsy tent on her lawn, and imitated a gypsy queen to perfection.

The money was sent by Mrs. Moody to the Sun's Baby Milk and Ice Fund to help make the little folks happy during the hot summer. It was one of the most successful affairs to be arranged with so little trouble ever gotten up in the town, and every one co-operated with Mrs. Moody in making the carnival attractive as well as successful.

### A Progressive Institution.

The new catalogue of the Western Maryland College, at Westminster, Md., which is conducted by the Rev. T. H. Lewis, D. D., LL. D., is ready. Although one of the oldest institutions of its kind in this part of the country, it has always kept the pace with modern progress and methods. This college is co-educational, although individual classes are confined to members of one sex, and the dining rooms and dormitories are in opposite wings of the college building. At the same time, frequent opportunity is afforded for social intercourse under proper chaperonage. Thus this college offers not only the highest educational advantages, but it provides that atmosphere of refinement and culture that is of necessity, present when men and women work side by side. Already a large number of enrollments have been received, and the excellent location, splendid equipment, and superior faculty of this institution make its selection almost irresistible, and Dr. Lewis is convinced that this will be the banner season for his college.


## H. F. JEFFERSON & BRO.,

THE LADIES' STORE,

Opposite Stam's Hall, CHESTERTOWN, MD.




THE PICTURES IN THESE COLUMNS show some of the new LADIES' HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS to be found at this store.

And, too, we have all the kinds of materials you could wish for to be made into dresses according to these designs and many others. You will find our prices moderate and quality of goods the best.




## Sale of CHILDREN'S SHOES

Our special sale of Children's Shoes was well-patronized last week, and we will continue the reduced prices for another week.

$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 Values for.....$1.00 pair
$1.75, $2.00 and $2.25 Values for.....$1.25 pair
Some broken lots up to $1.50 value for.....75c

This is a rare chance to fit up the children for the summer.

This special sale is employed to relieve the overstocked condition of our Children's Shoe Department. DON'T MISS IT.

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