H. F. JEFFERSON & BRO.,

THE LADIES' STORE,

Opposite Stam's Hall, CHESTERTOWN, MD.

—TWO BIG WEEKS—

THE FAIR
The Last Week of August.

THE CHAUTAUQUA
The First Week of September.

This is the place for the ladies to do their shopping. Come in the mornings and inspect a line of goods which is unsurpassed in a country town as to quality and assortment.

A visit here will be of advantage to you for two reasons:

1st—You will see some new, stylish Fall Goods.

2nd—All Summer Goods will be sold at Clearance Sale Prices.

The reputation of our store stands behind all merchandise we distribute.

WASH SKIRTS

A lot of Wash Skirts in Linene and Corduroy, values $1.25 to $2.00—Clearance Sale 98c.

The better quality in all pure Linen and Corduroys, values $3 to $4.50—Clearance Sale $2.75.

LOW SHOES

ALL LEATHERS. Ladies' and Children's Shoes at VERY LOW PRICES.

Summer Underwear

Ladies' Gauze Union Suits, $1.25 values for.....$1.00
" " " " 1.50 values for..... 1.25
" " " " .75 values for..... .60
Gauze Vests at SPECIAL PRICES.

LAWNS

Figured Lawns, worth up to 18c, all on sale 5c

VOILES

ALL SHADES, regular 25c value on sale .....19c yard

LINENS

Large assortment of Linens at SPECIAL PRICES!

35c values at.....25c
25c values at.....19c
90c values at.....75c
SPECIAL PRICES ON LINEN TOWELING.

EMBROIDERIES

CLEARENCE SALE PRICES will prevail with all Embroideries, from Flouncings to the Narrow Edge and Insertion.

LACES

A box lot of assorted Laces, from 2-in. to 10-in. wide, values up to 60c yard, on sale 15c yard.

GINGHAMS

Beautiful patterns of Dress Ginghams in remnants, 2 to 10 yds.
12½c value on sale 9½c

TRUNKS AND SUIT CASES

Large Trunks, Steamers, Suit Cases and Bags are here in abundance. You will be pleased with the assortment and the prices.

HATS below cost

Ready-Trimmed Summer Hats are selling below wholesale cost. Look them over. We have plenty of sailors.

H. F. JEFFERSON & BRO.
The Ladies' Store,
Chestertown, Maryland.

Mr. Bryan at Chautauqua.

Kent county, for the first time in its history, was honored by a visit from the Great Commoner, Secretary of State Wm. Jennings Bryan, on Monday night, when he came somewhat unexpectedly to deliver his great lecture, "The Signs of the Times" at the Chautauqua. Mr. Bryan's coming was not definitely known until about ten o'clock on Monday morning, as Dr. Pearson, the Chautauqua manager, was unable to get a definite engagement with Mr. Bryan until Monday. He telephoned the chairman of the local committee, Mr. Fred G. Usilton, on Monday morning at ten o'clock, that Mr. Bryan would be here, and immediately telephones got busy and his coming was advertised as extensively as possible. Somewhat secret arrangements were made for Mr. Bryan's coming to Kent, and not even the platform manager, Rev. Dr. Perry, was taken into the confidence of those who sought to make Mr. Bryan's coming here a partisan political event. Of course Mr. Bryan was perfectly ignorant of any political arrangements, as was also Dr. Perry. Dr. Perry went to Tolchester in an auto to bring Mr. Bryan to Chestertown, and lo! and behold when he reached the wharf, he found it crowded with Organization candidates and Organization leaders, who had planned weeks ahead secretly that they would make it appear that Mr. Bryan was coming here as an aid to Senator John Walter Smith's followers in Kent. Mr. Bryan reached Tolchester in a private yatch, and not a single one of the guarantors knew anything of his coming until Monday morning, except those who were either candidates on the Organization ticket, or who were identified with the Organization. It is unfortunate that Mr. Bryan's first coming to Kent should be used without his knowledge or consent to further the interests of a political faction when he came as a Chautauqua lecturer, and there should have been absolutely no political significance to his visit. There were many people who had never heard Mr. Bryan speak, and those who knew of his coming availed themselves of the great opportunity. Of course Mr. Bryan's speech was great. He never says anything that is not great. He is one of the most forceful speakers on the American platform to-day and the good he is doing for the moral, social and political uplift of his fellowmen will live long after Mr. Bryan is dead. There is no question of his marvelous popularity. A man thrice defeated in his life's ambition, yet even more idolized to-day by the American people because he is a good man, he is a sincere and honest man, and he is a reformer who is fighting the people's battle against reactionary ideas in our affairs of government. An audience of about one thousand people heard the great Commoner. Mr. Bryan reached Chestertown at 7.20 o'clock, in Mr. Herbert Skipper's machine, accompanied by Mr. S. Scott Beck and Mr. C. L. Dodd, and was taken to the home of Mr. Wm. W. Beck, where he was tendered a light luncheon. He returned to Tolchester after the speech in Mr. Skipper's machine, and everyone regardless of political affiliation was delighted at the opportunity to hear America's most popular citizen. 1,298 people heard Mr. Bryan's lecture.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

Rock Hall, Aug. 18, 1913.

MESSRS. EDITORS—DEAR SIRS:—As I received a pamphlet recently under cover stating the Organization campaign committees of the districts in the county and another showing the difference between honest government and the Organization faction of the Democratic party, I wonder if they think they can fool the people of this county with these pamphlets and get them to vote for Howard Turner. The people of this county know better than to trust him, especially in the 5th District, when he has fought their interests all his life and with all his energy, and we still bear in mind the kindness of the Organization over our roads when our taxes are not enough to fill a shovel full of dirt in the holes in the roads.

They speak sharply of the raise of 10 cents for boarding the prisoners. They shouldn't say a word; they have kept prisoners in there that should not have been there, and that for a purpose, and they know that is true.

We notice that they head their ticket with Mr. Turner as a specialty, and that is enough to tell the people that they should be afraid of him. And the meanest thing of it all is they are trying to ride him in over the back of an honest man as Henry Thompson, when they don't care what becomes of him in the end. They have said the same to others.

This pamphlet of comparison sounds so much like Urie that it has a little Republican smell, for I don't think the Organization could afford such, knowing how deep in the mud they stand.

FIFTH DIST. ANTI-DEMOCRAT.

Chestertown, Md., Sept. 1, 1913.

DEAR SIRS: You ask me what I think about the nomination. I am no politician and I don't know. Mr. Barroll is the oldest and has had more experience and has more interest in the people than any three politicians in the county, and the people will look at it in that light, and will vote accordingly. I shall for one.

Yours respectfully,
OLD TIME DEMOCRAT.

OUR DEATH RECORD.

MISS ANNIE ELMER RASIN.

Miss Annie Elmer Rasin died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. H. McKee, on Tuesday afternoon, after a lingering illness, aged 40 years. The deceased was the daughter of the late C. C. B. Rasin, and was born and raised in this town. She was a frithful and devoted member of Christ M. P. Sunday School and during her years of good health she never failed in her attendance. She received the kindest attention from her sister and family, and she bore her suffering with patience and resignation. Funeral services were held from the residence of her sister, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Dr. W. R. Graham. Interment was made in Chester cemetery. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson had charge of the funeral arrangements. The active pall-bearers were:

Sheriff W. H. McKee, Messrs. Chas. McKee, Harry J. McWhorter, Deputy Sheriff Adam Startt, John T. Jester and J. E. Ferguson. The deceased was a member of the Daughters of America, and six members of that order served as honorary pall-bearers. They were Mrs. Maggie McIntire, Mrs. Wm. Elliott, Mrs. Horace Reed, Mrs. Alfred Crew, Mrs. Etta Holston and Miss Daisy Barnes.

NUPTIAL EVENTS.

HEBBLE—HARTENSTINE.

Miss Argeline Minor Hartenstine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hartenstine, of Principio Furnace, and James Grant Hebble, of Newport News, Va., were married in Baltimore on Tuesday of last week by Rev. C. M. Eyster. Mr. and Mrs. Hibble will reside in Newport News. The bride is a relative of Mrs. H. Benge Simmons, of this town.

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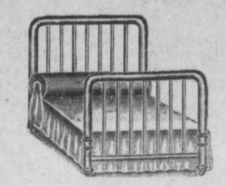
SPECIAL ATTENTION TO TELEPHONE ORDERS

Wm. Medders & Co.

FALL FURNISHINGS!

A real Furniture store is now at your service.

White Enamel Beds



All White Heavy Enamel Beds (made in all widths.)
No wear out to a good White Enamel
Prices $4.50, $5.50, $7.50, $9.50.
Cheaper Beds at $1.98, $2.98, $3 98.

BUY Guaranteed Springs



A bad spring is not cheap at any drice. We are now selling—
$4.00 Rome Link Springs at.....$2.90
$6.00 Lace Woven Springs at $4.90
Cheaper Springs at.....$1.98 and $2.50

Try a Felt Mattress



The most wholesome Mattress of all. We are selling good Felt Mattresses with select 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

Odd Bureaus



Can match or go to make up a pretty suit.
Made in Golden Oak, White Enamel or Imitation Mahogany.
Prices $10.00, $12.50, $15.00 up.
Cheaper Bureas at $5.50 up.

New Low Buffets



Made in fine quality Oak and built for beauty and service.
Prices $22.50, $25.00, $29.00.
Cheaper Buffets at $12.50, $15.00 up.

New Oak Box Seat Diners



The New Golden Oak Box Seat Diners are made strong.
Prices.....$9.00, $10.00 and $12.50 set

Oak Dining Chairs

$6.50 Oak Diners, half dozen $5.50
Extra Values..... $5 50, 6 50, 7.50
$5 00 Wood Seat Chairs $3.90
Cheap Kitchen Chairs, 50, 65c 75c each.



Good Couches Cheap

Special value in $15.00 Fine Velour Couches, quartered oak frames and new steel spring base; price.....$12.50
$12 50 Large Velour Couches, with steel spring base, only.....$9.85
$10.00 Large Velour Couches, only $7.85
$8.50 Oak Frame Couches, only.....$6.85

Next Wednesday SALE ON Glass Tumblers

One Dozen 9 Cents.

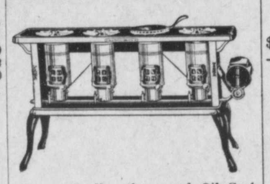
On next Wednesday we will have a big sale on Good Glass Tumblers, the kind with a horse-shoe in the bottom, full size and good quality, and you take a full dozen for only 9 cents.

Only one lot to a customer same as heretofore and price 9c doz.

This will be a treat to our farmers and house-keepers, as they all want a dozen good Tumblers, and the price for next Wednesday is only 9c for twelve.

Don't overlook this sale.

THE NEW PERFECTION!



We are sending these good Oil Cook Stoves all over the county.
Now is the season for their great service in canning, etc.
2-Burners New Perfection.....$5.90
3-Burners New Perfection..... 7.90
4-Burners New Perfection..... 9.90
Legs extra 35c set.
$2.50 Double Ovens, $1.98.

$1.00 Dish Pans 50c.



Large 17-quart, Blue Agate Dish Pans with White Enamel Lining. Sold for $1.00. Sale price 50 cts.

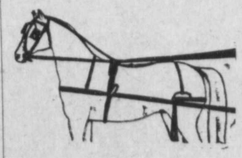
$1.00 Flat Irons, 69c



The best Mrs. Pott's Flat Irons, complete set on sale, 69c

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 1¾-inch heavy traces and good breechings, straps and chains, now $13.90.

Our Special Wagon Harness, made as above, 1¾-inch heavy traces, but without breechings, only $9.50.

Household Goods

Many things can be bought here at a saving.



Bissell's Cyco-bearing, $3.00 Carpet Sweepers on sale at $2.50.

Every Bissell Sweeper is guaranteed or money back.

New Couch Covers



Rich assortment and in the new weaves & colorings. Prices $1.25, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50 up.

Tapestry Table Covers.

All new stock just in. Prices $1.25, $1.50, $2 50 and $3.50.

Bed Blankets A SPECIALTY.



We shall offer the best line of Bed Coverings in the county and at prices to encourage your visits.
$5.00 Wool 11-4 Blankets $3.90.
3.50 Wool 11-4 Blankets $2.90.
2.50 Large 11-4 Blankets $1.98.
2.00 Large Bed Blankets $1.50.

Our line of Blankets begin at 98c and run to $7.50 pair.



Good Suit Cases

We make sale on a lot of good Traveling Cases at $2.50, $3.50, $4.50. Cheaper Cases at $1.50 and $1.98.

Strong Made Trunks



All Iron Bound and Braced and with good, strong leather straps. Prices $4.50, $4.90, $5.90.

Cheaper Trunks at $2.75, $3.75.

SHOE DEPARTMENT

Worth Visiting.



The WEAR-WELL SHOES for Men, guaranteed for service; price $2.50.

THE SELZ "FOOT-FORM" SHOE, made on the straight last, A Shoe that is hard to find.



"THE ROYAL BLUE."—We sell the Selz "Royal Blue" Shoes for Men. The best shoe known for wear and comfort. The "Foot-Form"—price $3.75.

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