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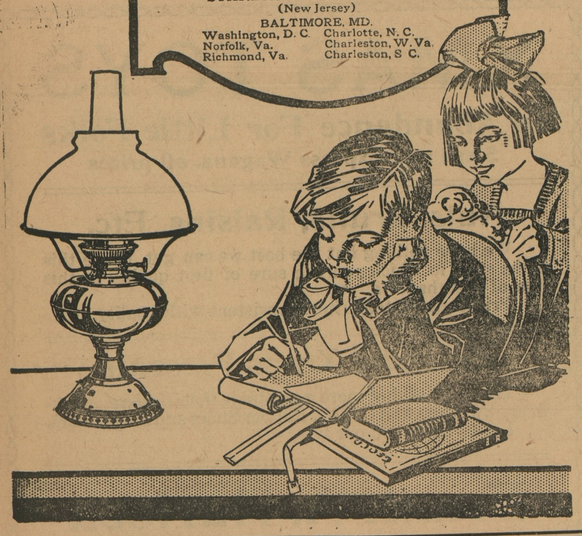
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As I woke to Christmas carols and the chime of distant bells.
O'er the fields I hear the piping of a lone, contented, bird,
Just the same as when in childhood these same melodies I heard;
But I heed not the enchantment, blissful Yuletides are no more,
There's a yearning, deep and constant, for the happy days of yore.
For the days that knew no sorrow, brought no thought of care or need,
When the voice I hear no longer was to me both balm and meed;
I forget the world about me—I again am at her knee—
And the little prayer she taught then "keeps a comin' back to me."
Yes, 'tis Christmas brings rejoicing, but to me past years recall;
I must live in staid reflection—read "the writing on the wall."
Yet, a voice of comfort thrills me—saintly prayers again arise—
And the echo seems to reach me from the blue and boundless skies.
I can feel those dear caresses—yes, her hand is on my brow—
Hark! the night winds still my musing,—do I hear her whisper now?
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$12.50 Suits, Xmas price,	9.98

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$15.00 Overcoats, Christmas price, $12.48
$12.50 Overcoats, Christmas price, $9.98



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$1.25 Underwear, Xmas price	98c
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The order of Patrons of Husbandry, popularly known as the Grange, celebrated in Washington, D. C., a few days ago, its Golden Jubilee, having rounded out fifty years of usefulness. This is the only national farmers' organization which has existed for so long, and it would be almost impossible to enumerate its many accomplishments in that time If we undertake to make any estimate of the moral, social and mental development that has been brought to us by Grange influence and Grange teaching we are lost in the magnificent results obtained. It is absolutely impossible to give any intelligent estimate of the development of the noble principles of manhood and womanhood in the millions of people who have been connected with this order, and of the millions of other people with whom they have been associated. Thousands of farm homes have been made happier and better and the members of farmers' families have been reaping the highest enjoyments of life through the mental abilities quickened by Grange influence.

The Grange has always been unselfish in its labors, and has worked for the good of the community and country instead of just its members. Rural delivery of mail and parcel post are two of its greatest material accomplishments, yet the rural mail carrier does not ask you for the password every time he stops, nor the postoffice clerk require the "grip of a patron" before he accepts your deposit. Establishment of state experiment stations, creation of secretary of agriculture as a cabinet officer, establishment of the inter-state Commerce Commission and the famous Supreme Court decisions that all railroad franchises were subject to the power that granted them, all had the influence of the Grange in back of them, and possibly would not have become realities had there not been a farmers' organization to father them.

Nearly every state in the Union has felt Grange influence in its legislation. The Grange was the first organization to admit women on an equality with men, and it still stands for equality in all things. If you are not one of the 277,000 members in the Middle Atlantic States you can well ask yourself, "What have I done toward securing laws helpful to agriculture?" If you are not satisfied with your answer, why not join the Patrons of Husbandry and become a part of the great organization that has done and is doing so much to improve the conditions of agriculture.

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Again we shall have the pleasure of seeing one of the best stock companies that visit the Eastern Shore, the Columbia Stock Company. They were with us over a year ago, and were well liked at that time. Since then they have been working steadily and have added a number of new plays to their already extensive repertoire, and they are going to give us six of their very best plays.

Some of the members of the company that were so well liked here on their last visit are still with them and in addition to that, several new members that are also well known here, being formerly seen here with the Mattice Stock Company, namely, Mr. Chance Brockway and Mr. Jack Werner Corbin. Both will be remembered for their very clever work.

The Columbia Stock Company is stronger than ever this season, having even a better line of plays, and all new scenery, on account of their other scenery being burned recently in a theatre fire in Cambridge.

The opening play this season is a very strong one, "Thorns and Orange Blossoms," a play that is a dramatization from the novel of the same name, and the plot in the play follows the story in the book very closely, except for several comedy characters, which have been introduced to brighten up the more serious scenes. Some georgeous gowns will be worn in this play by the ladies of the company, notably among them being Miss Stella May's recently imported ones and Miss Anna Davis' one, all of these gowns being creations of art and will no doubt delight the lady patrons.

"Thorns and Orange Blossoms" is one of the best plays the Columbia Stock Co. has ever used. It has lots and lots of comedy of the higher class, it tells a good story, as all readers of the book know, and, above all, is absolutely clean, as are all the other plays that the Columbia Stock Company uses.

The prices will be the same as last year, 10, 20 and 30 cents and no advance for the feature play on Friday night, which will be "Barriers Burned Away," E. P. Roe's novel play. The rest of the plays will be announced each evening.

Remember the Columbia Stock Company only comes once a year, and never repeats plays from one year to another. Any play you miss is gone, so you better see them all. The price is so low that you can afford it and the plays are all good, one just as good as the other, just depends upon the kind of a play you prefer. Always remember, that when you see the Columbia Stock Co. you not only always see a good show, but you will always see a clean show, fit for your mother, wife, sister or sweetheart to see and hear. They like to see a good show too, now and then, so don't forget the ladies.

IN MEMORIAM

MRS HARRIETT R. CREW, widow of the late J. Lewin Crew, departed this life at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Horsey, at Betterton, early Wednesday morning, Nov. 29, aged 77 yrs. Funeral services were held at her late residence on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. R. P. Nichols officiating. The bearers were her sons and grandsons. The deceased was the daughter of the late Sam'l A. and Rachel W. Hurley, of Virginia. She leaves seven daughters and five sons to mourn her loss. Also a brother, Abadiah R. Hurley, of Va. The floral tributes which were both numerous and beautiful testified to the tender love and thoughtfulness of her many relatives and friends. Her fondness for flowers amounted almost to a passion, and it was most fitting that she should be carried to her last resting place amid the beauty and fragrance of these silent messengers of God.

Mrs. Crew had been an invalid for six years, and for the past two years was confined to her room. During this time she had the loving services of her faithful children, especially those of her two daughters, Miss Dolly and Mrs Horsey, who were untiring in their efforts to alleviate her suffering and comfort her last days. Mother is gone! The home seems so lonely without her; yet how comforting it is to know that she has gone where there will be no more suffering and no more sickness. Fain would the angel of death have claimed her for his own long er this, but loving devotion and fond attention warded him off from time to time But the tired spirit longed for rest and as calmly sinks the setting sun, so her weary spirit winged its flight to God.

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Broken Candy	11½c
Baker's Chocolate	34c
Mother's Home-made Mince Meat	10c
Best Dates	7½c
Best Layer Figs	15c
Cluster Raisins	15c and 18c
Whole Cocoanuts	7½c
10c Can Cocoanuts	7½c
Any kind Sugar	7½c
Davis' Yeast Powder, in bottles	5c
Oranges, ranging up from	20c
Lemons, per dozen	20c and 25c
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