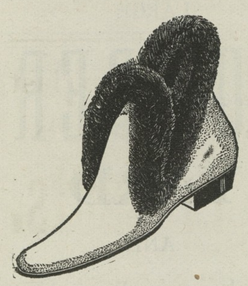
Slippers Make Ideal Xmas Gifts



Of course some one is down on your list for a gift of slippers, and whether they're for man, woman, boy or girl, you'll find the right kind here in plentiful assortment.

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Mens' Red Flannel All Wool Shirts or Drawers.....$1.00
Mens' Medium Weight Shirts or Drawers.....50c to $1.00
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Boys' or Mens' Heavy Wool Sweaters, $1.00 to.....$2.50
Colors, White, Grey and Green with Red Trimmings.
"Sox" Blue, Green, Wine, Tan, Lavender and Black, regular 2 for 25c values for only.....9c, 3 prs for 25c
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LOCAL MATTERS

Elected Organist.—Mrs. Mary Beck Roberts has resigned as organist in Emmanuel P. E. Church, and Miss Olevia Wilkins, of Baltimore, has been elected her successor. Miss Wilkins will take charge January 1.

Engagement Announced.—Mr. and Mrs. Solomon S. Loewner, of Baltimore, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Gussie Loewner, to Mr. Max. Alexander, a prominent and popular merchant of Rock Hall.

Successful Orators.—Preliminary contests were held at Washington College on Thursday to determine the four successful candidates among the seniors who will deliver the orations next Tuesday before the student body. The honors fell to the lot of Messrs. Carl N. Bordley, B. A. Johnson, James L. Madden and Calvin T. Ryan.

A Fine Concert.—The Johns Hopkins Musical Clubs, of Baltimore, will give a fine concert in William Smith Hall on Wednesday evening, Dec. 28th. This will be a rare treat for the people of Chestertown, and we shall give next week an extended account of the concert. This is one of the best musicial organizations in the country and everyone should hear it.

A Real Santa Claus!—The children who saw "Old Kris" at Medders & Co. this week will not soon forget the merry sight and the jolly treat. Everybody seemed happy—even the old folks enjoyed it as much as the children. *Old Kris* has promised to re-appear some time next week at the same place. *Look out* for him. Medders & Co. have a great Christmas this year, better than ever, and people are going to their place for miles. These people serve hot coffee and good lunches to the distant trade, which seems to be much appreciated.

State Oyster Police Force May be Reduced.—Commander T. C. B. Howard, of the State fishery police, conferred with Governor Crothers on Monday relative to a proposed reduction in force of men under him. The Governor said he approved Capt. Howard's plan to economize and would stand by him in such steps as he might make to that end. Capt. Howard explained that oysters had become so plentiful that there is no longer need for so much police work. "Things have changed in the last few years," said the captain. "We don't have any fights with pirates. When oysters can be found almost any where the dredgers do not risk arrest by going on forbidden grounds."

TOLD IN BRIEF.

—The Third National Bank has placed a handsome brass raised letter sign over the entrance to its banking house.

—Coasting parties have been quite popular on College Hill during the beautiful moonlight nights. Young and old have been enjoying the fun.

—The public schools of the county will close for the Christmas holidays, next Friday, December 22nd. They will reopen January 2nd.

—Does any one think about feeding the birds while the ground is covered with snow? Some of you sportsmen would do well to think about this matter.

—Mr. John Jarvis' fine trotter dropped dead on the course during a sleighing carnival in Still Pond, one day this week. The horse was a valuable animal, and is a great loss to Mr. Jarvis.

—The Kent County Land Company has paid the holders of the Preferred Stock, the regular semi-annual dividend. The company is offering an excellent 5% investment for those having idle funds in hand.

—The teachers and pupils of Galena school will "open" a country store tonight. Prof. Maddox will be "floor walker," while his assistants, Misses Frances Scott and Rose Duyer will be "solicitors."

—Last Friday morning was the coldest morning so early in the season since 1876. The thermometer got as low as 6° in Chestertown and in some places in the county it reached 0°. A number of the boys enjoyed skating on Barroll's Hollow on Saturday.

—The Christmas number of the Washington Collegian is a most attractive one. The editor, Mr. Harland W. Huston, and Mr. B. A. Johnson, business manager, are making the paper go with a vim this year. It is the best ever gotten out by the student body and every student and alumnus should be a subscriber.

—Mr. George Rash's sleigh and Mr. John E. Morris' carriage collided on High street at the Voshell House corner on Tuesday afternoon. The sleigh was upset, both Mr. and Mrs. Rash being thrown out, and Mrs. Rash sussustained a sprained ankle. The shaft of the sleigh was slightlydam aged.

—A part of a carload consisting of 32 Navajo horses were sold at public sale at McWhorter's stables Saturday, and brought from $1.50 to $18 apiece. These horses were a part of a load offered for sale here a month ago and of which Showman Robbins, of Philadelphia, purchased 12 to be used in his Wild West show. The balance of the load were taken in charge by Mr. Andrew Vansant, a farmer near Chesterville. They were sold Saturday at the above prices.

—The Cecil County Commissioners have appointed Thomas Walmsley, of Fredericktown, keeper of the Sassafras River Bridge.

—The big store of Mr. A. L. Sparks is one of the most handsomely decorated in town. Mr. Emerson Sparks was the artist, and his work shows real taste and merit. The decorations, with the handsome show cases which have recently been installed, make the interior of the store beautiful in its Christmas garb.

—Among other features at the moving picture show on Friday evening for the benefit of the firemen, the Dutch dance, executed by Miss Marghuerita Dodd and Mr. Morris Barroll elicited rounds of applause. It was splendidly done. Mr. Roland Matthews sang a fine bass solo, and Messrs. Harrison Finley and Mulligan rendered a fine banjo and mandolin duett.

—We have received a letter from Old Kris, and he asks us to inform the boys and girls through the TRANSCRIPT that he will reach Chestertown about midnight Sunday night, and will fill the stockings and leave the presents at your homes from midnight to five o'clock Monday morning. He says he does this in order to give everybody the chance to go to church morning and evening, on Sunday.

—Miss Gertrude Kramer has resigned as fourth grade teacher in Rock Hall High School to take a college course. Miss Kramer is regarded as a competent teacher and is highly esteemed by the parents and children of Rock Hall. She felt the need of higher education however, and decided to resign. She will be succeeded by Miss Cora Moffett, who has been teaching at Flatlands. Flatlands' has not yet been supplied.

—On Friday last Prof. L C. Robinson principal of the Millington High School, was called to the bedside of his brother, Mr. Wm. Robinson, who was critically ill at his home near McGinnis' Corner. Mr. Robinson's illness is due to the injures which he sustained in an accident at the Millington railroad station when his horse became frightened at the train. He was taken to a hospital in Baltimore on Saturday and at present is much improved.

—Mr. E. H. Beck, the well-known real estate broker, and wife, of Middletown, Del., narrowly escaped serious injury in a runaway accident in Middletown last Friday. While driving down Main street in a sleigh, a dog in some manner got under the horse's heels and was run over by the sleigh. The horse began to kick and both occupants were thrown upon the snow. Both escaped unhurt, though Mrs. Beck received a severe nervous shock.

SOCIETY REALMS.

Other society realms found on page 2.

Miss Carrie Hughes, who has been visiting Miss Annie H. Stam, left yesterday morning for her home in North Carolina.

Miss Emily Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Hicks, left yesterday morning for the Emergency Hospital, Annapolis, where she will take a course as a trained nurse.

Miss Maude Duyer's Sunday school class gave a very enjoyable "Weighing Social" at her home on Queen street last evening.

We are very glad to state that Miss Agnes Estes is very much improved and she is expected home from the Hospital, Baltimore, on Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Bacchus has been visiting Miss Nannie Gale, in Baltimore this week.

A Fine Minstrel Show.

The show given in Stam's Hall on Wednesday evening by the White Rose Minstrels drew a big crowd, and the performance was a most creditable one in every respect. The show was under management of Mr. Philip Wilmer, Jr., and those who took part were Messrs. John Nelson, Millard Maslin, Leslie Duyer, Duncan Derringer, End Men, and Daniel H. Hall, Merritt Brown, Julian Carter, Jewel Armstrong, Robt. Hendricks, Laurie Hackett, Circle; John E. Barnes, Middle Man. Joseph N. Wheatley, Jr., kept the crowd laughing with his blackface display of wit and humor. The jokes were all clean and laughable, and the singing and playettes were of a high order. The quartette, "Under the Yum-Yum Tree," rendered by Julian Carter, John Barnes, Leslie Duyer and Merritt Brown, would have done credit to Lew Dockstader's troupe. Nearly 200 people attended the show and a nice little sum was realized.

More About Hogs.

Noting the report of Mr. B. Meredith's pen of hogs, given in the last issue of the TRANSCRIPT, Mr. S. J. Comly, of Locust Grove, turned in the following report of his killing: He had a pen of fifteen hogs, out of which he sold, early in November, two on the hoof, weighing 200 lbs. and 240 lbs, at 8c per pound. The third of the present month he killed the remaining thirteen, which dressed him 3,294 lbs. From this number he sold three, weighing 700 lbs, for $70. These, with the two previously sold on the hoof, gave him a return of $105.20 from five hogs, and still left him 2,594 lbs for his own use. In the matter of feed the pen of hogs received the same as Mr. Meredith's—three bushels of shelled corn per day—in addition to which they were kept well supplied with a mixture of charcoal, ashes and salt, which is sai d to keep a hog's digestive organs in good shape.

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If you desire to give something substantial, select one of our $5.00 steamer Trunks, or a Suit Case from $4.00 to $8.00 (we have then as low as 79c); or even a good Leather Traveling Bag—say $4.00. We have just received a large shipment of all the above.

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25c and 50c. Everybody needs one.

BEDROOM SLIPPERS-COMFY.

Handsome ones—85c to $1.50.

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Ladies' and Children's Shoes—all prices. Our Shoe trade is steadily increasing. Get in line.

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