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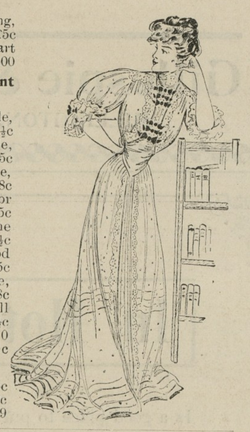
SPRING BARGAINS

New Spring White Goods. New Spring Dress Goods. Later styles nor more tempting prices you scarcely find, even in the large cities.



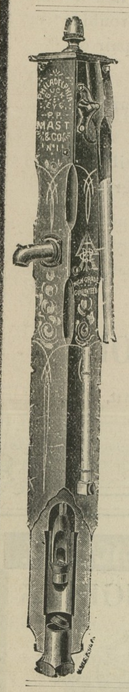
Beautiful line New Spring Suiting, 36 inches wide.....25c
Rich Line All-Wool Suitings, start at.....39c, 50c, $1.00

White Goods in Great Assortment at Unusual Savings.

15c White Waistings, 36 inches wide, only.....12½c
20c White Waistings, 36 inches wide, only.....15c
25c White Lawns, 40 inches wide, only.....18c
Beautiful line Fancy Waistings, for only.....25c
Large stock of New Percales, all the newest patterns.....10c, 12½c
7c and 8c Dress Ginghams, all good patterns, only.....5c
10c Dress Ginghams, good value, only.....8c
Beautiful line of Dress Ginghams, all the new stripes and checks.....12½c
Heavy 10c Uubleached Muslin, 2 to 10 yard lengths.....7½c

Special Values in Table Linen

30c Bleached Table Damask.....25c
59c Bleached Table Damask.....50c
$1.25 Table Napkins, dozen.....$1.39



Pumps Pumps

We carry a large stock of the famous P. P. MAST & CO.'S SHALLOW AND DEEP WELL PUMPS. We own these pumps at 20 per cent. less than present market value. Our customers get the benefit. Price for 6 ft. top stock, **$3.50.**

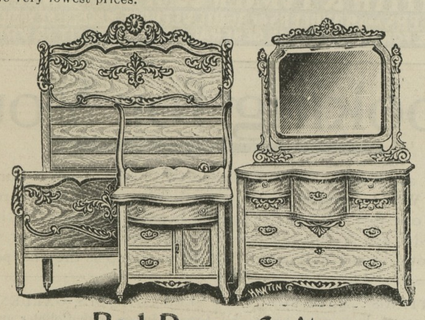
Pittsburgh
Perfect Steel Fence

We carry a large stock of the Pittsburgh Perfect Steel fence. The only Electrically Welded Steel Fence. No wraps to get loose or hold moisture and rust. Has stays that will not slip. Will conform to the most uneven ground and can be erected over hills and through valleys as well as on level ground.

It will pay you largely to investigate this fence as it has solved the question of fencing against horses, hogs and cattle. Write us for prices.

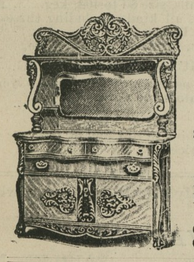
Furniture Bargains

Our Winter Trade carried off every suite we had in stock. Our SPRING DISPLAY is all new and the very latest style and finish at the very lowest prices.



Bed Room Suites

Just opened a Handsome Quartered Golden Oak Finish, Highly Polished Bed Room Suite, 3 pieces, large German Mirror, a beauty; you should see it.....$27.50
Beautiful New Suites, with Oval Mirrors.....$21.00
Solid Oak 3-Piece Bed Room Suites.....$16.50
Cheap Suits, imitation Oak.....$10 25, $11.90
Strong, Well-made Bedsteads.....$2.25 to $4.75
Fine line Iron Bedsteads, finished in White, Green and Blue Enamel.....$2.75 to $4.95



New Buffets

Large Golden Oak Buffets.....$10.98, $13.90
FineP late Glass Buffets, Swell Front, Extra Large.....$17.50 to $20.00
$4.00 Sideboards, now.....$3.19
Extra Large Sideboards, with Mirror, $4.50 to $6.25
Provision Safes.....$2 90, $3.00
Beautiful Line of Rockers, all prices, $1.19 to $4.00
Chairs, per set.....$3.90 up
Call and examine our Furniture Stock.

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STILL POND, - - MARYLAND

STILL POND NOTES.

Mrs. Josephine Clark died at the home of her husband, Mr. William Clark, in Still Pond, early last Sunday morning, of consumption, aged 31 years. Funeral services took place from her late residence Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Still Pond cemetery. Undertaker Wm. H. Krusen in charge.

Miss Alice Ogden of Baltimore has been the guest of Miss Jessie Crewe.

Mrs. John Robinson Jr., son Ben, and daughter Ethel, visited her mother in Hanesville.

Miss Daisy Severson is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fletcher Connor, of Middletown.

The program given by the W. C. T. U. Sunday morning in the Sabbath school was very interesting. Opening Temperance Song by school, Scriptures read by Mrs. J. C. Rasin, Mrs. S. E. Severson, Mr. Willie Ford, Mrs. Lizzie Pentz, Mr. Albert Jervis, Miss Florence Harper, Mrs. W. D. Pennington, Miss Alice Hackett, Mrs. W. G. Rasin, Mrs. Leonard Price, Miss Marion Hackett and Mr. Ernest Horsey. Solo by Miss Alice Hackett, Reading, what is a pledge? Why sign it? by Mrs. Walters. Address and unveiling of the portroit of Miss Francis E. Willard and presentation to the Sunday school, by Rev. T. S. Holt; Vote of thanks, by Sunday school. About twenty five of the young men and ladies of our Sunday school signed the Temperance pledge.

Mr. Carl Norris who was the guest of friends in Galena has returned home.

Mr. Pen Norris, of Baltimore, visited his brother, Mr. Thomas Norris.

Those on the sick list this week are Mr. Samuel Coleman and Mrs. Amelia Jones.

The Epworth League will be led Sunday evening by Mrs. Mary Wilson. Topic Serving with Christ.

Mrs. S. E. Severson, our milliner, was in the city this week, buying a large stock of spring and summer millinery. Mrs. Serverson will have a display shortly and she will undoubtedly please her many customers as she has always done heretofore. Call and see her.

Miss Lillian Busick, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Joseph W. Harper.

Mr. William Cooper spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Senior.

Mr. Frank Ford, of Illinois, is the guest of his brother, Mr. Edward Ford.

A meeting for Bible reading will be held every Wednesday evening in the private homes. Quite a number were present last Wed. evening and all expressed themselves as having enjoyed and benefited by being present. We will meet at the home of Mr. F. H. Harper next Wednesday evening. All are cordially welcome.

FAIRLEE ITEMS.

Everybody around is very sorry to hear of the death Dr. J. H. Hessey, he has been a benefactor in many families in this neighborhood

Rev. C. F. Denroche has been very sick, but at this time we are glad to report him better. All regard Mr. Denroche with the highest appreciation and when he is confined to his home by illness all miss his good cheer and noble example for good and right.

Mrs. Walter F. Sparks has been sick for some days, and indeed quite ill, she is reported at this writing as convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza P. Foreman gave a sumptuous one o'clock dinner to a number of friends on Friday of last week. We learn that the menu consisted of turkey, swan, roast beef, new country ham and all appendages thereto.

Weather conditions are still unfavorable to rapid progress of work.

Rev. James K. Easly moved into his new home at the parsonage on last Thursday, and he has taken up the work as pastor of the Fairlee charge, composed of Salem, Fairlee and Worton churches.

Our former pastor Rev. W. E. Habbart preached in Fairlee church last Sunday to a large and appreciative audience. He removed from Fairlee on last Thursday to Kenton, Del., where he has been assigned as pastor for the next conference year.

Our fishermen are very sorry that they could not get their desired fish legislation. They are very much handicapped by not being able to set their nets beyond 800 yards.

Mr. Walter F. Sparks is still busy sawing lumber. Mr. Earle Nicholson is hauling some fine white oak logs to the mill.

MILLINGTON ITEMS.

Mr. T. K. Dukehart, of Baltimore, spent several days this week with his family here.

Mr. F. P. Barnhart attended the funeral of his grandmother at Wilmington, Del., Tuesday.

Mr. Walter Foraker spent several days this week with his parents in Wilmington, Del.

After being in Wilmington for the past few months Mr. Harry Lee has returned home and accepted a position with Mr. B. W. Duling. Mr. Lee is a first class carpenter and Mr. Duling is fortunate in securing his services.

The official board of the M. E. Church at a meeting held at the parsonage Monday evening decided to put the church through a thorough repair. The upper room will have a new steel ceiling the side walls are to be painted, the seats re-varnished, a choir platform built and a new carpet will also be gotten. The lower rooms were refurnished several years ago, some repairs will also be put on the exterior. This is a wise move on the part of the official board as further delay would add to the expense.

The base ball boys are holding a festival again this evening over Gillispie and Moffett's store. The proceeds will go toward buying new gloves, bats, etc. Come out and help the boys along.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ahern, of Wilmington, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lockerman last week.

Mrs. Clarence Comegys and son will start for Gunberry, N. C. Tuesday of next week where they will join Mr. Comegys who has a position at that place.

Mr. C. W. Briggs, of Philadelphia, has accepted a position with Messrs. Ahern & Tonkin as stenographer and book keeper.

Miss Mayse Hall, of Centreville, is the guest of Miss Bessie Hurlock.

Mrs. J. E. Woodall is spending several days in Philadelphia.

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FULL LINE OF PAINTS and OILS

Special Single Harness, $10

SEED POTATOES $2.75 bbl Northern grown

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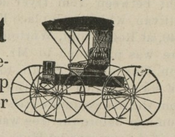

In the carriage line we have just received as fine a stock of Surreys, Top Buggies and Runabouts as was ever placed on sale in Kent county.

It will be wisdom on the part of prospective buyers to see our line and get our prices.

SEE OUR LINE OF HARNESS Made to Order especially for us. Reasonable Prices.

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WE BUY DIRECT FROM THE GROWERS. WRITE FOR PRICES

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4TH and French Streets, WILMINGTON, DEL.

ROCK HALL ITEMS.

On Friday evening of last week the P. O. S. of A., of this place, celebrated the anniversary of the institution of their camp with oratory and feasting, Col. James H. Marine, and Mr. Heaph, prominent officials of the order of Baltimore, made splendid addresses. A sumptuous supper was served. About fifty of the membership and their families were present.

On Monday evening Mr. Wm. T. Harrison was tendered a surprise by the young men of south Rock Hall. It was the 61st anniversary of his birth, a large assembly participated, and the affair was hugely enjoyed. Four young ladies threatened to spank the host, but we do not know if they carried out their purpose.

Poultry and unoccupied dwelling houses are being spirited away piece meal at a lively rate in our section. Suspicion is centered on certain ones, but so far, it is difficult to get a "bead" on them.

Our watermen seem to be all on nettles of discouragement and despair, by reason of so much blustery weather. They can neither work at oystering and fishing, nor at their homes. The long continuation of stormy weather, has been productive of clearing out the immense oyster glut in the city, as a consequence, prices are somewhat better, and the outlook now is for better prices the remainder of the season, but the time is so short and oysters so scarce that there is little chance of doing anything beyond a mere sustenance from now out.

Some of our farmers are experiencing difficulty in procuring labor for their farm operations.

Mrs. G. T. Sewell, of Sparrows Point, spent several days the past week among her relatives and former neighbors in this section. She reports that her husband and son are doing well in the employ of Sparrows Point Steel company, which is pleasing news to their many friends here.

On Wednesday our fishermen were as busy as could be, various crews could be seen all day going in all directions, prosecuting their preparatory operations for spring commencement.

On Monday next an exodus of fishermen will take place, some for the upper bay and others for Kent Island shore &c. Capt. Frank Satterfield left here with his yacht on Wednesday to prepare for an Easter cruise.

Improvements.—The Prudential Insurance Company has one of the handsomest offices in town. Mr. W. L. Fowler did the work.

John S. Vandegrift has repapered his tonsorial parlors in the latest style. Mr. Walter Needles did the job.

Mr. M. E Baker has been repainting the law office of H. W. Vickers, Esq., and a decided improvement is noted.

PLANT white corn is the advice of the Baltimore Pearl Hominy Co. as advertised elsewhere in the NEWS.

SASSAFRAS ITEMS.

Mrs. E. W. Staats returned home on Sunday, after several months sojourn in the South very much improved in health.

Mr. Robert Griffith and wife will remove from Pennsylvania again to Sassafras on Wednesday of this week, he will receive a warm welcome.

Mrs. Edward Purnell, of Elkton, who has been visiting Mr. John F. Ernest and family, returned to her home at Elkton.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Tarbutton entertained for several days last week his sister Mrs. Ackerson and son, Burnett, of below Millington.

Mr. John Lockwood formerly of Middletown, who moved from his beautiful farm "The Meadows", near here to Chesterville, about fifteen years ago, moved back to the old family homestead near Middletown on Wednesday.

After a most delightful sojourn for the past fortnight in Pennsylvania, Lancaster & Altoona, Mrs. John F. Ernest and sister Mrs. John R. H. Price, returned home on Tuesday, and we all were delighted to welcome them back again, and don't say we did not miss them.

Capt. Fredrick W. Shibles, of New York, who died after an illness of only two days from blood poison from a prick of a needle in his thumb was buried on Tuesday afternoon last, in Woodland cemetery, the most beautiful cemetery in America, beside his lately deceased young wife. Capt. Shibles was only 45 years old and generous to a fault and will be greatly missed, he leaves a devoted mother and one sister who live up in Massachusets, and one brother Edward Shibles, a well known business man of New York city, and two dear children a daughter not yet 15 and a son not 12. His untimely death is a great shock to his aged mother and other relatives and sad indeed.

Reading of scriptural lessons and devotional exercises opened one of the most beautiful and appropriate exercises ever held in the Sassafras puplic school and our teacher Miss Elizabeth Anderson, was untiring in trying to make this Maryland day a marked success in every particular and succeeded in a most excellent manner in every feature and our town feels proud of the program rendered on Friday afternoon last.

LYNCH ITEMS.

Mrs. Clark is the guest of her son Mr. Thomas Clark.

Mr. Wm. Edwards was the guest of Mr. A. Cranor Sunday.

The C. E. Meeting was well attended Sunday evening, Master Charlie O'Neal had charge of the meeting.

Master Linwood Morris is quite sick at his home near here, Dr. Barwick is attending him, we hope Linwood will soon be out.

Messrs. R. Rash, G. Wirts, Jesse W. Morris were entertained last week at the home of Mr. Carroll Loller, in Worton.

Ruth Copper is also on the sick list.

Home Made

Have your cake, muffins, and tea biscuit home-made. They will be fresher, cleaner, more tasty and wholesome.

Royal Baking Powder helps the house wife to produce at home, quickly and economically, fine and tasty cake, the raised hot-biscuit, puddings, the frosted layer-cake, crisp cookies, crullers, crusts and muffins, with which the ready-made food found at the bake-shop or grocery does not compare.

Royal is the greatest of bake-day helps.

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THE LADIES STORE—H. F. JEFFERSON—CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Economical Purchasing

From a sufficiently large number of special items to fill the entire page we have chosen two colums of those which seem to give the best representation to the various lines of the store, while at the same time being of greatest interest to the public. Practically the entire space is devoted to news of seasonable merchandise at economical figures as being of the most direct benefit to our customers right now—new fashions—new ideas—things not seen before. The brightest, most interesting store on the shore.

MILLINERY

Our Miss Wheatley has just returned from the Spring Openings of the leading New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore Millinery Houses where she purchased a large and varied stock of the very latest and nobbiest things in Millinery effects that will go in the making of our quality hats—These will be offered to the wise purchasing public at economical figures.

Ready-to-Wears To Go

Late Winter and Early Spring Ready-to-Wear Hats—excellent styles are now marked at extremely low figures for immediate clearance.

98 Cents

Prices were double and more. In a week or two the Millinery store will be in a full Spring bloom; everything that savors of winter must be out of the way. ☞Rear of Store. We take pleasure in announcing that we have secured the services of Mrs. Hitch for the Spring season. Nothing need be said in reference to her trimming as the many products of her handiwork—last season—are standing recommendations of her ability to please. Those who were fortunate enough to obtain one of her hats and the public generally will be pleased to learn of her return.

Ladies' Spring Wraps

Our entire line was purchased early and consignments are arriving daily—they are here in loose and close fitting backs—with and without collars—satin lined all through. Call and look them over and be convinced that we have the right things for warm season—You save money trading here.

Spring Dress Goods

There's always something fascinating about the sudden burst of warm Spring sunshine through the chill of Winter—you've felt it—and there's always something fascinating about the airy dainty, light Dress Goods found in this up-to-date department.

Crepe de Paris
In all the new shades of the season—Alice Blue, Resede, Pearl, Grey and Black—suitable for evening wear.

Mohairs
In all widths—all colorings—These seem to have the lead for general spring wear.

Wool Taffeta
Something entirely new this season — very popular — all weaves—varied colors—44 in. wide—inspect and meditate.

Wash Goods
Things point to the greatest season ever experienced in the Wash Goods Department, Linens are in favor. 10-4 Linens for Suits and Waists. 10-4 Linens for Suits and Waists.

India Linens
Our stock of India Linens are arriving daily. The economical figures placed upon them speak for themselves.

Wash Chiffon
Very sheer and dainty, suitable for evening dress — all prices. Persian Lawns, Paris Muslins, Victoria Lawns and Organdies.

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Here you will find the most complete line ever exhibited—city stores seldom show a more varied line—why pay traveling expenses and hotel bills when JEFFERSON has the things you need at economical figures.

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