KILBOURN & BRAMBLE

Fairlee, Maryland.

To make room for our large Christmas stock, we are going to give our customers the benefit of a Thanksgiving week cut-price sale.

MATTING

JAPANESE AND CHINA MATTING.

25c Japanese Matting, per roll $6.90

LINOLEUM AND OIL CLOTH.

40c 4-4 Linoleum, per yard 20c

A large line of RUGS in Crex and Axminster.

FURNITURE

Our line consists of Bedroom Suits, Bureaus, Washstands, Couches, Buffets, Dining and Kitchen Chairs, Rockers, Center Tables, Enamel Beds, Bed Springs and Mattresses.

Rockers, each 98c
One-half dozen Good Wood Chairs, each 25c

CLOTHING

A large line to select from. Ten per cent. off on all Men's and Boys' Suits and Pants.

50c Canvass Leggings 25c

LADIES', MEN'S AND MISSES' RAIN COATS.

$6.00 Man's Rain Coats $3.50

LADIES' COATS AND COAT SUITS ½ PRICE.

$6.00 Ladies' Coat Suit $3.00
2.00 Dress Skirts 1.00
Bed Blankets and Comforts ..... 65c to $9.00
Special Wool Blankets 2.75
50c Wool Crib Blankets 39c

A full line of HATS and CAPS. UNDERWEAR all sizes for Men, Women and Children.
$1.00 Men's Heavy Fleeced Underwear, per suit 75c

DRY GOODS

Large line of Canton Flannels, Muslins and Dress Goods.

25c Dress Goods, per yard 19c
12½c Dress Ginghams, per yard 10c
10c Dress Outing Flannels 8c

Ladies' and Children's Trimmed Hats.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Rice & Hutchins' line. The Educator, the most comfortable shoe for Men, Women and Children. Water King, the best winter shoes. Frank & Adler line of Men's and Boys' factory shoes.

RUBBER GOODS.

Lambertville, Goodyear, Ball Band and Puritan Short and Hip Boots. Full Duck Boot, $3.50; Duck Vamp, $2.85.

HARNESS—All leather has advanced. We have a full line at the same low price.

SPECIAL—$12 Harness, $10.50; $85 Double Harness with Collars, $27.50. Horse Blankets and Robes. $12.50 Bear Skin Robe, $10.00; Blankets 75c to $6.00.

GROCERIES

Patapsco Superlation Flour, bbl	$5.65	4 Bars Octagon Soap	25c
100 lb Ground Oyster Shell	40c	7 10c Cans Chip Beef	25c
1 doz. Box Matches	8c	7 Box Sea Gulf Y. P	25c
Sugar lb	5c	3 " Mothers Oats	25c
Coil Oil gal	9c	3 " Corn Flakes	25c
Flour, bag	22c	6 packages Smoking Tobacco	25c
Washing Soda lb	1c	8 5c cuts Chewing Tobacco	25c
1 25c Glass Chip Beef	19c		

Our 4-Quart Enterprise Lard Presses, $2.50; 500 No. 12 Gun Shells, per box, 30c. One DOUBLE SURREY, $20.00.

KILBOURN & BRAMBLE Fairlee.

SCHOFIELD'S BIG STORE

at Still Pond, Md.

1912 1912

The name of Schofield on a Christmas gift insures quality. This is surely the most satisfying Christmas store on this Shore. Our seal of confidence applies just as strictly to all Christmas novelties as to our year-round stock. No matter how great your hurry or how great the throng may come, you are always sure to be properly waited on. Our holiday goods have been arranged with studied care for your comfort—things are easy to find, and are marked in figures.

There is always fun in Toyland, but the best values are early in the month, before they are picked over. Up until the gong sounds on Christmas Eve there'll be hurrying and skurrying and childish excitement in Toyland. But there won't be the good, well arranged assortment of Toys to choose from, nor the special values that reward the early shopper. Just now the Toy store is one grand, big, jolly place, that, to the children, seems to have sprung up over night, just to afford a playground for their special use and pleasure. To them it is a great wonderland—Schofield's big store for the little folks, with dreams of Santa Claus and a special Toy in mind. But the force back of this land of Toys has also been busy looking to the interest of the buyers of Toys—getting good Toys at little prices so that all little folks may share them and preparing special values that often put the coveted Toy within reach.

Santa Claus says that he prefers this store as his headquarters because the attendants are willing and courteous, maintaining the highest average of efficiency to be found in any store.

Large Iron Wagons.	Xmas Cards, Xmas Seals.
Small Iron Wagons.	Xmas Suspenders.
Large Wood Wagons.	Xmas Neckties.
Small Wood Wagons.	Xmas Tree Ornaments.
Large Iron Sleds.	Large Sweet Oranges.
Small Wood Sleds.	Good White Grapes.
Very Best Mince Meat.	Best English Walnuts.
Salad Dishes, Celery Dishes.	Best Butternuts.
Carving Sets, Cut Glass.	Best line of Candy on the Eastern Shore.
Fancy Box Paper, Cards.	

WE ALWAYS PAY MORE FOR EGGS AND BUTTER THAN ANY OTHER STORE.

SCHOFIELD'S BIG STORE
at Still Pond, Md.

After any Sickness

nothing so rapidly restores health and vigor as *SCOTT'S EMULSION.* It is the essence of natural body-nourishment, so medically perfect that nature immediately appropriates and distributes it to every organ, every tissue—feeding, nourishing and restoring them to normal activity.

SCOTT'S EMULSION is not a patent medicine, but is nature's body-nourishment with curative, upbuilding properties and without a drop of drug or alcohol. It contains superior cod liver oil, the hypophosphites of lime and soda with glycerine, and is so delicately emulsified that it enters the system without digestive effort—builds, tones and sustains.

After croup, whooping cough, measles and other child ailments it is nature's ally in restoring health.

After grippe or pneumonia it imparts strength and health, and for colds, coughs, sore, tight chests and throat troubles *SCOTT'S EMULSION* gives the greatest relief known.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Bloomfield, N. J. 12-59

CHURCH WORK.

Preaching services at the Presbyterian churches as follows: Westminster at 10.30 A. M., Grace at 3 P. M., Worton at 7.45 P. M., Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 A. M. at Worton.

Christ Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. W. R. Graham, pastor. Services on Sunday and sermons by the pastor at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M.; Sabbath school 2 30 P. M., Junior meeting at 6 o'clock, Christian Endeavor service 6.45 P. M. Mid-week service Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

The Presbytery of New Castle, embracing the entire Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Peninsula, made a number of ministerial changes at a meeting held in Hanover Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, Friday afternoon. Rev. J. H. Crawford, of Wilmington, the moderator, presided.

Rev. John R. Henderson was transferred from Georgetown and Cool Spring, Del., to West Rockville, Md. He is succeeded at the former charge by Rev. E. J. Hopkins, of Elsmere, Del. Rev. W. B. Rushbridge was transferred from Ocean City, Md., to Delaware City, Del.

Rev. Dr. U. Franklin Smiley, of Camden, N. J., was received into the Presbytery as pastor of West Church, Wilmington. The latter charge pays $3,000 a year.

Rev. Dr. Henry Martin was also admitted to the body from Chester (Pa.) Presbytery. He will become minister of the church at Rehoboth, Del.

The meeting of the Presbytery was held for the purpose of making these changes.

$22 was raised by Christ Church Sunday school on Sunday afternoon at its regular monthly missionary meeting for the benefit of the Western Maryland College endowment fund.

St. Mary's Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Fifth district of Cecil county, is one of the 24 churches in Maryland that is in possession of silver vessels that were in use during the colonial period. This is in accordance with the statement of E. Alfred Jones, the famous silver expert of England, who came to this country at the instance of the Society of Colonial Dames to gather material for his book on The Old Silver Vessels of American Churches. Mr. Jones, who was a recent guest at St. Mary's rectory, has visited all the churches of the State that are in possession of a silver service that dates back to colonial times, giving location, donors and dates. The service still in use in North East Church dates back to 1717, with Queen Anne the donor. In point of age it ranks eighth among the 24, Old Trinity Church, in Queen Anne county, having the oldest, dating back to 1689. St. Mary's Church also has a Bible which was sent from England early in the eighteenth century, and is still in good condition, it being bound in heavy leather.

Chestertown M. E. Church, Rev. L. E. Barrett, D. D., pastor: Services next Sunday, Dec. 15th, as follows: 10.30 A. M., preaching by the pastor; subject "The Great Revelation," 2.15 P. M., Sabbath school and pastor's bible class; 7.00 P. M., Epworth League song service followed by preaching by the pastor, subject; "Jacob".—All invited.

Salem M. E. Church—Sunday school 9.45 A. M., preaching 10.45, subject; "Scenes in the Home at Bethany." Revival services Sunday and Thursday evenings. There were 14 received on probation during extra meetings. A class of probationers will be received into full membership on Sunday morning. 3 P. M., Union Church. Special service. All members and friends are requested to be present.

Wealth of the Farm.

The most effective move toward the reduction of the high cost of living is the production of greater crops.

This has been the most productive of all agricultural years in the country.

Based on the census of wealth production on farms, the grand total for 1912 is estimated at $9,532,000,000, more than twice the amount of wealth produced on farms in 1859.

During the past 16 years the wealth production on farms, according to census items, has reached the grand total of more than $105,000,000,000.

There has been an uplift of agriculture and of count life.

Estimated value of 1912 crops: Corn, $1,759,000,000; hay, $861,000,000; cotton, $860,000,000; wheat, $596,000,000; oats, $478,000,000; potatoes, $190,000,000; barley, $125,000,000; tobacco, $97,000,000; flaxseed, $39,000,000; rye, $24,000,000; rice, $20,000,000; buckwheat, $12,000,000; hops, $11,000,000; all cereals, $3,000,000,000; sugar, $117,000,000.

Livestock Products—Poultry $570,000,000; wool, $55,500,000; animals, $1,930,000,000.

Rural Mail Statistics.

The result of the count of the work done by the Rural Carriers during the past two months from the Chestertown office was: Route No. 1, Queen Annes county, D. B. Kendall carrier, 12,227 pieces, weighing 1275 lbs.

No. 2, Fairlee, Tolchester Route, returning by way of Sandy Bottom, St. Paul's and John Morris's. Thomas Willis, carrier; 14,771 pieces weighing 1789 lbs.

No. 3, Quaker Neck Route, Col. Chas. E. Woods, carrier; 18,962 pieces, weighing 2144 lbs.

No. 4, to Robt. G. Nicholson's, Fancy School, Alms House, Broad Neck route, returning by way of Brice's Mill and J. R. Byron's; Fred S. Russell, carrier; 13,427 pieces, weighing 1514 lbs.

SUGGESTIONS AVAILED NOTHING

The committee from the Farmer's Club of Kennedyville consisting of Messrs. E. B. Pennington, John C. Redmile, S. G. Roseberry, Arthur Harris and F. H. Cornelius appointed at a previous meeting of the club made a report at the meeting last week and declared that the present manner of working the roads was deplorable and recommended that the system be changed.

The News published a few weeks ago Mr. Harris' report from this club and his opinion found an echo in most of the people. This is an old question and the News, as the spokesman for the whole people, will be glad to receive opinions and suggestions on this matter. Of course everyone will admit that roads cannot be worked without money, without system or competent officials. These three things are the first essentials.—Kent News last Saturday.

The TRANSCRIPT accepts the invitation of the News to express our opinion. It is this. The old Organization has had warnings without number as to the folly of such a road law as they passed and for which they are responsible, and from one end of the county to the other complaints of the system of working our roads have come, and you have had suggestions and petitions asking for its repeal, but you would not. You have kept this burden on the people, when you know in your hearts that it is an outrage to use the tax-payers money as it is being used at present, and all the suggestions that have been made are of no avail. Is your conscience beginning to trouble you at last?

COVINGTON IN HIGH FAVOR.

The Eastern Shore Congressman's Ability Being Recognized.

Representative J. Harry Covington, of Maryland, is being prominently mentioned by a number of his Democratic colleagues in the House of Representatives for appointment to one of the four Democratic vacancies on the Ways and Means Committee, which will exist at the end of the present session of Congress. This movement is so definite that it was disclosed in a number of ways in conversation in the lobbies and cloak rooms last week and grows out of the popularity of Mr. Covington as a member of the Hoase and his ability as a member of the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee. Some of the leaders of the House have been impressed with Mr. Covington's mastery of intricate detail displayed during the last session of Congress in connection with the consideration of the Panama Canal toll legislation. On that occasion Mr. Covington drafted the amendment which was finally adopted relative to the use of the canal by railroad-owned ships, and the amendment as drafted by Mr. Covington enabled his colleagues on the committee, Republican as well as Democratic to reach a common ground for compromise and agreement.

Whether Mr. Covington would accept a place on the Ways and Means Committee is quite another matter. Mr. Covington would not himself discuss the matter because, he explained, he did not care to place himself in the ridiculous attitude of discussing the acceptance or rejection of a place that had not been offered to him. But the fact remains that Mr. Covington is being seriously considered for one of the ways and means appointments and will be urged by many of his friends to accept. The position of Mr. Covington on the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee is one of the important places in the House, as that committee not only handles all legislation affecting the canal zone, but likewise is mainly concerned with the preparation of all legislation affecting interstate or foreign commerce. It handles all legislation relating to interstate railways, the Interstate Commerce Commission, pure food legislation, and similar matters.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Mr. John W. Thomas and wife, of Cheswood, Del., are guests of his sister, Mrs. W. T. Smith, near Smithville.

Mrs. Cushing, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of Mrs. J. Arthur Bradley, on Front street, during the week.

Deputy Register of Wills, Thomas A. Matthews, was on a business trip to Sabillasville from Thursday to Saturday of last week.

Miss Anna Smyth has been in Wilmington during the past week.

Mr. John Duyer, one of our oldest and most highly respected citizens will be 80 years of age on January 1. His esteemed wife will celebrate her 79th birthday this month. Should both live to see the middle of January 1913, and we sincerely trust they will, they will observe the 59th anniversary of their happy wedded life. Mr. and Mrs. Duyer are perhaps the oldest married couple now living in the county, and our community should take much pride in their presence and good influence among us for so many years.

Mrs. Wentz, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Mrs. W. R. Graham at Christ Church parsonage during the week.

Dr. Horace W. Nicholson, of Baltimore, was the guest of his father and family over Sunday.

Miss Dickinson, of Pocomoke city, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Edward J. Clarke, on Washington avenue during the week.

Dr. John M. Toulson, of Salisbury, was a member of a committee of Salisbury citizens who tendered Senator William P. Jackson a banquet upon his arrival home from Washington on Saturday.

Mr. William Denny, of Virginia, has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hall Denny, during the week.

Mr. James S. Bradley has been visiting his sister in Philadelphia during the week.

Mr. Harold Matthews, of Wilmington, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Matthews this week.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Benge Simmons had as their guests last week: Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Jackson, of Havre de Grace; Mrs. Herman Jackson, of Wilmington; Mrs. John Jackson, of Perryville; Mrs. John Hasson, of Port Deposit; Mrs. James Little and Miss Debbie Jackson, of Perryville.

Mrs. Sarah C. Crewe, of near Betterton, is spending the early winter with friends in New York.

The report which appeared in one of the Centreville papers last week that Mrs. Thomas Massey, of Massey, had been seriously injured in an automobile accident is incorrect. Mr. Massey was in Chestertown on Wednesday and stated that it was not his wife, nor does he know who it was.

Mrs. James W. Cain gave a charming tea at her home on College Hill last Saturday afternoon in honor of her debutante daughter, Miss Virginia. Miss Cain assisted her mother in receiving the guests.

Misses Hettie and Emily Hicks, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Hicks, left this week for North Carolina, the former going to Wilmington and the latter to Fayetteville, to enter hospitals, one to engage in, and the other to take a course in trained nursing,

Miss Miriam Leaverton, one of the efficient teachers of the High School faculty, was on the sick list a part of this week.

Miss Minnie Nusbaum, of Union Bridge, Md., is visiting Miss Jessie Middleton at the home of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Jesse K. Middleton, on Sharp street, Rock Hall.

THE LADIES' STORE. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

H. F. JEFFERSON & BRO.,

OPPOSITE STAM'S HALL.

APPROPRIATE XMAS GIFTS!

The season for giving is at hand. Nowadays the task of selecting and preparing gifts is an easy one, for the giving of USEFUL articles has come into the best favor.

Your wants for this kind of gifts can be fully supplied from our varied and complete stock.

We Mention a Few Useful Articles:

J. and K. Shoes, (Fashion's style leaders), $3 to $5,

Monogram Shoes, Misses' and Children's fine shoes, $1.50 to $3.00.

Skuffer, the best school shoe, $1.50 to $2.00.

Hosiery, guaranteed holeproof, by the box for Men, Women and Children. Silk and Lisle Hose by single pair.

Underwear, the better kind---all prices.

Neckwear, fancy and plain, splendid variety.

Gloves, gauntlets, dressed kid, and walking gloves.

Draperies, Lace Curtains, material by the yard.

Linens, Towels, Guest Toweling, Table Linen and Napkins to match.

Doilies, Shams, Scarfs, Handkerchiefs, etc.

Suits and Coats, the largest stock in Kent county to select from. Good quality and stylish.

Millinery---Beautiful Hats for mother and daughter, too.

Sweaters, 50c to $5.00.

Blankets, 50c to $7.00.

Quilts in Cotton, Wool, Down, $1.00 to $10.00.

Trunks, Suits Cases and Bags. Splendid line with prices according to value.

Fashion's Authority Styles.

WE are now showing the advance style creations of the famous J&K designers—the leading makers and originators of fashion footwear for young women.

J.&K. Shoes of Indivaidulity.

All of the latest up-to-date models — in the most popular shapes and leathers—are represented in our varied assembly of J&K style leaders.

We invite an early inspection while the line in complete.

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