SPRING Fashion Display of J&K SHOES

# NOT THROWING BOUQUETS

at ourselves, ladies, but if you'll come to our store and see a pair of the swagger J. & K. Pumps with style stiching all over them, you'll admit we have cause to be proud. Come in and slip on a pair, and yo'ull feel proud too.

We have not overlooked the needs of the children for fine footwear this season. Patent, dull leather and White Pumps and Oxfords are here in excellent quality and most appropriate styles. Satisfaction is guaranteed.

Every child should have a pair of our Skuffer Play Shoes.

All prices very reasonable.

## Washable Corduroy.

One of the most popular novelties for skirts and jacket suits is Washable Corduroy. You, of course, can find the new things at Jefferson's, and we suggest that you place your order for at least a skirt of this new material.

Prices 75c and $1.00 per yard.

## A New Crepe de Chine

We have about one dozen pretty shades in a Silk Crepe de Chine which will be sold at a very special price next week.

36 in. wide. 50c per yard.

## Vacuum Cleaners

Now is the time for a good vacuum sweeper. We have the Livingston for sale. There are about two dozen of these sweepers already in town, and you can make sure of its merits by asking your neighbor who owns one. Price $10.00.

## Summer Goods

This store has a very complete assortment of Voiles, Crepes, Linene, and in fact, about all the new things in wash goods which you need now for spring and summer wear. It is really needless for you to make a visit to the city to buy goods in our line. Come in and make your selections. By patronizing liberally your home store, you encourage us to keep still larger assortments, and thereby serve you even better in the future.

## TO THE FARMER'S WIFE.

We give the highest price for Eggs in trade. A crate of eggs is an easy way to pay for your HAT. And, too, there are so many things you can trade for here.

## JEFFERSON & BRO.

The Ladies' Store.

CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

THE J&K SHOE FITS THE ARCH


## ADORNDED BENCH FOR THIRTY YEARS.

### Judge Joseph A. Wickes Dead at Chestertown.

**Maryland Jurist of the Old School Who Abandoned the Pursuit of Medicine for the Profession of Law—Served in Legislature and in the Constitutional Convention—Retired in 1897.**

Former Judge Joseph A. Wickes died at his home on High street Tuesday afternoon of the infirmities of age.

Judge Wickes was born in Chestertown, September 27, 1826, and was the son of Colonel Joseph and Elizabeth Chambers Wickes. He received his preparatory education in Washington College, Chestertown, and afterward entered Princeton, from which he was graduated in 1845, taking one of the honors in a class of more than 80 members. He then studied medicine in the University of Maryland, from which he graduated in the spring of 1848. Under the direction of his father, he later studied law, and was admitted to the bar in 1852.

In 1848, he married Anna Maria, daughter of William C. Tilghman, and granddaughter of Richard Cooke Tilghman, of the hermitage, Queen Annes county. She died April 2, 1864, leaving five children, of whom three by the first marriage are living (Anna Tilghman Houston, of Wilmington, Del.; Hester Van Bibber, wife of Thomas L. Hines, of Baltimore, and Caroline Barney). By his second marriage, to Mrs. Benjamin Chambers Wickes, he leaves one child (Josephine Wilkins, wife of Dr. Thomas Henry Wilkins, of Portsmouth, Va.) By his third wife, he leaves two children (Gladys Wickes, and Joseph A. Wickes, Jr., of Princeton University.)

The public life of Judge Wickes began very soon after his admission to the bar. In the summer of 1852, he was nominated by the Democratic party of Maryland as one of the electors of the president and vice-president of the United States. Associated with him on the electoral ticket were Robert McLean, Judge Alvey, Carroll Spencer and Charles M. Gwinn, with whom he canvassed the State. The Democrats were successful, and the electoral vote of Maryland was cast for the candidates of that party.

Desiring a wider field for the practice of his profession, in January, 1854, he removed to Cumberland, where although an entire stranger, he was kindly received by the people, and met with gratifying success.

In the summer of 1855, during his absence from the county, and without his knowledge, the Democrats nominated him as a candidate for the House of Delegates. It was supposed at that time that the American, or Know-Nothing party, had enough members enrolled and sworn in its secret lodges to carry the State. An active canvass was made by the Democrats, and the result was that its candidates were elected. The Legislature assembled in Annapolis in January, 1856, and Mr. Wickes took his seat as a member of the House, of which William D. Merrick, Benj. G. Harris and Judge Stone, also Democrats, were members. He participated in the debates, and was a member of the judiciary committee.

After the legislature adjourned, he returned to Cumberland and resumed the practice of his profession. Owing to the dampness of the climate and confinement to his office, his health declined and became so much impaired that in the spring of 1856, he was compelled to relinquish a lucrative practice, and abandoned his profession.

He returned to Chestertown and passed the remainder of the year in recreation and open air exercise, hoping thereby to regain his bealth. This hope was realized, and in 1859, he opened an office in Chestertown, where he resumed the practice of his profession.

Judge Wickes was a brother of Pere L. Wickes, of Baltimore. He also was a member of the Contitutional Convention in 1867. He was elected, in 1868, judge of the Second Judicial Circuit, on the Eastern Shore, and was re-elected at the end of his term. He served 30 years on the bench, and retired in 1897. He was president of the Board of Visitors and Governors of Washington College until about ten years ago, when he resigned on account of failing health.

Judge Wickes leaves a large estate, estimated at about $200,000.

Funeral services were held at his late home on High street on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Dr. H. B. Martin, rector of Emmanuel P. E. Church. Interment was made in the family lot in Chester cemetery. Undertaker Chas. L. Dodd had charge of the funeral arrangements. The pallbearers were: Deputy Clerk of the Talbot Court Henry Hollyday, J. D. Bacchus, H. Clay Lusby, James W. Crouch, Lewin W. Wickes and Thomas Hines. Members of the local bar attended in a body, as did the Bench of this circuit as well as former Judge James A. Pearce, the court officials, representatives of Washington College faculty, Hon. J. Frank Turner. of Easton, former Clerk of the Court of Appeals, Stenographer John J. Hartnett and Col. Edward Hartcastle of Easton. The floral tributes were exquisite.

### Grange Notes.

Fairlee Grange held a very interesting meeting Wednesday afternoon and evening, it being the last special meeting of the season. Several visitors were present, who entertained us by some interesting talks. Miss Pritchard gave us a delightful half hour on home economics. Miss Anna Smyth, of Chestertown, treated us to a solo. The Grange Garner, read by a mere man, Dr. F. W. Smith, was greatly enjoyed, being very spicy. Mrs. Walker, of Church Hill Grange, told us how she raises her incubator chicks and with proper attention how healthy they are. Miss Ida Crew gave one of her choice selec ions, "A Perfect Day." This was followed by a talk from Mr. Walker. of Church Hill Grange, telling how invaluable the demonstrator is to Queen Annes county. The Festal season is now closed, but we look forward to our special meetings to commence in the fall, when we hope to continue with our good work.

HOPD H. BARROLL, Attorney.

### Ratification Nisi.

Robert D. Grier, et at,
vs.
Frederick A. Grier, et al.

*In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.*

No. 1807.

ORDERED, this 20th day of May, 1915, by the Circuit Court for Kent county, in equity, that the second auditor's account and report, stated and reported by Lewin W. Wickes, auditor, in the above entitled cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 26th day of June next;—provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of two successive weeks before the 7th day of June, next.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
m22-3t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

Are you in "Kent County And Those Who Make It"?


# Wm. Medders & Co.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO TELEPHONE ORDERS

# Wm. Medders & Co.

**50c Table Damask, 35c**
Pretty Mercerized Table Damask, 50c quality; sale 35c yd.

**$1.50 Bed Quilts, 98c**
Extra values in Large $1.50 White Bed Spreads to go in this sale, 98c.

**Fruit of Loom Muslin, 7¾c**
Best Fruit Muslin, yard wide, fine bleached, in this sale at 7¾c.

**Lancaster Apron Ginghams, 6½c**
Best quality Apron Ginghams to go on sale at 6½c yd.

**New Lawns on Sale at 10c, 12½c, 15c yd.**

Next Wednesday
SALE ON
**Large BERLIN KETTLES**
EIGHT-QUART SIZE
For 9 Cts.

On sale next Wednesday will be large 8-quart Heavy Agate Berlin Kettles, full seamless with cover and bale handle. You take your choice of these good Cooking Pots for only 9c.

One to a customer and no duplicates, same as heretofore.

These Berlin Kettles are of good grey agateware, first-quality, and run clean and smooth. Don't overlook this sale. Price 9 cents.

**Ladies' 15c Gauze Vests, 10c**
Fine elastic rib and extra quality gauze, sale 10c.

**Men's 25c Underwear, 18c**
Men's Best 25c Underwear, shirts and drawers, sale 18c.

**Men's 50c Underwear, 38c**
Men's Best Quality 50c Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers, all to go in this sale, 38c.

**30c Window Screens, 19c**
Ash Frame Window Screens, 24 inches high, extra values, 19c.

**Linen Window Curtains, 19c**
Spring rollers, linen cloth, fast colors, guaranteed, sale 19c.

**Large Galvan. Buckets, 10c**
Extra Large and Heavy 18c Galvanized Buckets, sale 10c.

**India Linen, 10c**
Pretty Sheer India Linen, cheap at 15c yard; sale 10c.

**7c Pearl Buttons, 3c**
Lot Fine Pearl Buttons, all sizes, 1 dozen on card; sale 3c.

**Ladies' Fine "Onyx" Hose**
Best 35c quality, in Black; to go in this sale, 25c.

**Men's Work Shirts, 38c**
Men's 50c Work Shirts, good styles and patterns, all sizes; sale 38c.

**Suspenders, 18c**
Men's Best 25c Suspenders, extra value and all clean, new stock; sale 18c.

**Men's Hose, 10c**
Men's Good 15c Stockings, extra value; sale 10c.

**Safety Pins, 2½c**
Best 5c Safety Pins, now 2 dozen for 5c.

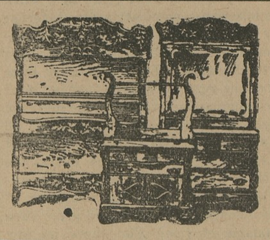
**25c Matting Rugs, 12½c**
Japanese Stenciled Rugs, good size; sale 12½c.

**10c Shoe Polish, 6c**
Best 10c Shoe Polish, Baby Elite, only 6c.

## Special Sale on Matting and Crex Rugs Next Week!

25c China, 19c } "WE CAN AFFORD TO SELL CHEAP." { 25c Jap'se, 19c
30c China, 25c } Mattings Lower This Season! { 30c {Finest Warp}, 25c

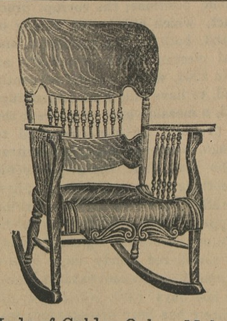
House Furnishings of All Kinds—A Real Furniture Store at Your Service.
Our "Free Delivery" Brings These Goods Direct to Your Place.



**BED ROOM SUITS**
Large Line to Select From!
$15.00 Imitattion Oak Suits only...$12.50
$20.00 Oak Suits, plate mirror, only $17.50
$25.00 Oak Suits, shaped Bureau, $22.50
$30.00 Oak Suits, big bevel mirror, $25.00
Fine Oak Mirror....$27.50, $29.00, $33.00

**BUY GUARANTEED SPRINGS**

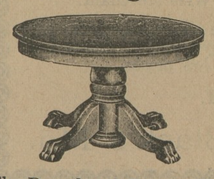
A bad spring is not cheap at any price. We are now selling—
$4.00 Rome Link Springs at $2.90
$6.00 Lace Woven Spring at $4.90
Cheaper Springs at $1.98 & $2.50



Made of Golden Oak or Mahogany. Also the Solid Oak Saddle Seat Rockers.
Prices $2.50, $3.50, $4.50.
Large collection of new style Rockers at $2.50, $3.50, $4.50 up.

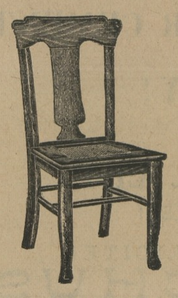
**New Low Buffets**
Made in Quartered Oak and built for beauty and service.
Price $22.50, $25.00, $29.00.
Cheaper Buffets at $12.50, $15 up.

**Oak Dining Tables**



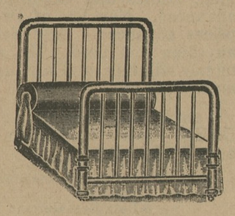
The Round and Square Heavy Oak Extension Tables at $10.00, $12.50, $15.00.
Cheaper Square Extension Tables at $5, $7.90, $3.90 up.
Kitchen Tables, $1.98, 2.50, 3.50.

**Oak Box Seat Diners**



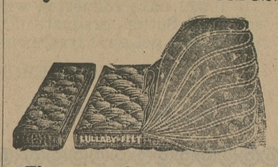
The New Golden Oak Box Seat Diners are made strong.
Prices $9, $10 and $12.50 up.

**White Enamel Beds**



All White Heavy Enamel Beds (made in all widths). No wear. out to a good White Enamel. Prices $4.50, $5, $7.50, $9.50.
Cheaper Beds, $1.88, $2.98, $3.98.

**Try a Felt Mattress**



The most wholesome Mattress of all. We are selling good Felt Mattresses, with select ticking, at quite a saving.
$7.50 Double Mattress, 2 parts.....$4.90
$9 50 Double Mattress, 2 parts.....$6.90
Fancy high-grade ticking.
Cheaper Mattresses at .....$2.50 up

Good Chase Leather Couches, like you pay $18.00 and $20.00 for, made extra large and strong, with the ideal spring base on sale at $15.00.

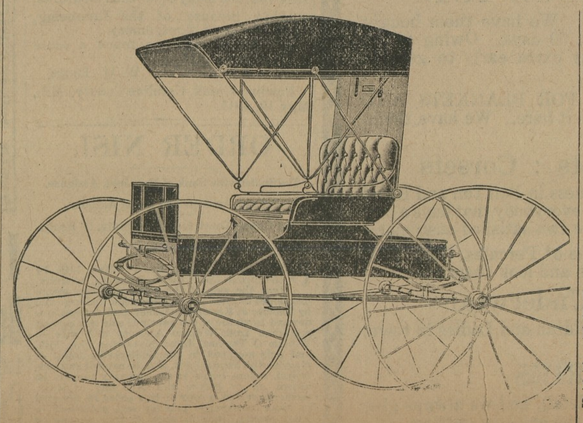
Special value in $15.00 Velour Couches, quartered oak frame and new steel spring base, only $12.50.

$12.50 Large Velour Couches, with steel base, only $9.85.

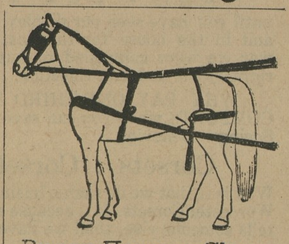
$10 Large Velour Couches, $7.85.

$8.50 Oak Frame Couches, $6.85.

## We Are Headquarters for Carriages Runabouts Surreys



If you need a good Carriage it will doubly pay you to visit our place and make a good selection at the prices we now offer. Our entire stock is on sale at prices to interest you. Come and see for yourself. TERMS MADE SATISFACTORY.



**Buggy Harness Cheap**

Special $14 Harness, full track saddle, made of select stock and a real bargain at our special price, only $12.50.

The $16.50 Kay Saddle Harness, very neat and pretty, and made of fine stock leather, on sale at $15.00.

The $19 Kay Saddle Harness, genuine rubber, fine finish and a very stylish set, with black or russet reins, for only $17.50.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