H. F. JEFFERSON & BRO.

Words of Appreciation

We take this opportunity to thank our many patrons for the very liberal patronage given us during the year 1917.

The aim before us this new year is to get high-grade merchandise to our customers at as low a price as the increased cost of production will permit.

Anticipating a continuance of your valued patronage, and wishing you an abundance of health, happiness and prosperity, we are

Yours for service,

H. F. Jefferson & Bro.

An Important Announcement

Beginning Monday, January 14th, this store will close promptly at 8 o'clock p. m., Saturdays excepted.

This will give our sales people an opportunity for some recreation or time for reading, etc., hence be a step in the right direction to shorten the hours of store work, which, according to custom, have been unnecessarily too long.

We believe this hour of closing store will work no hardship on any of our customers, but will enable us to render greater and prompter service during shorter hours.

We will thank you to co-operate with us.

SOME SPECIAL OFFERINGS Next Week

All Millinery Reduced

Ready-Trimmed Hats 1-4 Off

Corsets (5 dozen) 75c

A very good Corset will be sold next week at 75c, sizes 19 to 30.

SHEETS---MOHAWK AND UTICA

Mohawk, 81x90, at $1.35 each
Utica, 81x90, at $1.50 each

HOSIERY

Another large supply of that famous Lisle Ravel Stop Top just arrived. The same old price, 39c.

H. F. JEFFERSON & BRO.,

THE LADIES' STORE,

CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

MR. HENRY LAMBERT
Son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lambert, of Chestertown, who enlisted in the Navy about a year ago, and has been across the ocean to within a hundred miles of the coast of France.

WITH OUR SOLDIER BOYS

Rock Hall, Jan. 8th, 1918.

Messrs. Editors:

I enclose one of a number of letters received from our soldier boys, which we would be pleased to have you publish in your next issue of the Transcript, so that the parents and relatives and friends of our dear boys may know that they DO receive the good things sent them from home, and appreciate and enjoy them, and know that we are thinking of and caring for them, no matter how far away they may be.

Camp McClellan, Anniston, Ala.
Dec. 31, 1917.

To The Red Cross of Rock Hall,
Mrs. W. O. Selby, Chairman.

I received the woolen outfit including a sweater, etc., some time ago and you can be sure it was appreciated beyond words. I have seen a number of the Rock Hall boys and all of them received one, which they treasure very much. They arrived just when we had a cold spell and nothing could have been more appreciated. You people of the Red Cross are doing a great work, and I am confident that you have made many a sad heart glad this Xmas, including myself. Hope you continue in the good cause, and wish you all a happy and successful new year.

BERNARD RICH,
Co. A, 112th Mach. Gun Battalion.

LODGE OFFICERS ELECTED

At the meeting of Washington Camp No. 34, P. O. S. of A., held recently the following officers were elected: Pres., J. C. Davis; V. P., Clark Davis; Past Pres., G. T. Dewberry; Master of Forms, Jos. Duyer; Conductor, J. E. Barnes; Inspector, Harry Fowler; Guard, W. B. Coleman; Rec. Sec., J. F. Wheatley; Fin. Sec., S. J. Coleman; Treas., E. A. Barnes; Trustees, J. C. Davis, J. W. Barnes, Jos. Duyer, W. B. Coleman, Harry Fowler; Chaplain, J. W. Barnes.

Nest No. 1891, Order of Owls, recently elected the following officers: Pres., Jos. Duyer; V. P., G. T. Dewberry; Past Pres., D. B. Ford; Fin. Sec., W. A. Burk; Rec. Sec., Wm. E. Embert; Treas., H. C. Coleman; Warden, E. F. Lambert; Inside Sentinel, T. H. Wood; Picket, B. F. Potts; Invocator, Walter Wright; trustees, H. N. Baldwin, W. B. Usilton, D. B. Ford; Nest Physician, Dr. H. G. Simpers.

Tribe No. 172 Improved Order of Red Men on Thursday evening reappointed the following officers: Sachem, W. A. Burk; Sr. Sagamore, Thos. Bryan; Jr. Sagamore, Jesse J. Hurd; Clerk of Records, W. F. Malin; Clerk of Wampum, Jos. Duyer; Keeper of Wampum, W. T. Bennett; Prophet J. E. Cooper; Sauap, Chas. Elburn.

BETTERTON ITEMS

The monthly business meeting of the Epworth League was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Crew on Monday evening. In spite of the sleet and snow there was a large attendance and a most interesting meeting was held. The two captains were present with their workers and at this meeting ten more new members were received, making thirty-two members for the big drive. As the members received this month were a tie, Miss Ethel Wilmer's side will entertain at the next meeting. After a splendid program in charge of MissMarie Willis, captain of the losing side, refreshments consisting of ginger bread, popcorn balls and candy were served. Each member of the losing side was then presented with a gift from the winning side. The League is making plans for an oyster supper with ice cream and cake to be held on Friday evening in the church basement.

Betterton extends its sympathy to Mrs. James A. Brice and Mrs. J. L. Smyth in their recent bereavement.

Mrs. John Owens, Mrs. Floyd Crownheart and Capt. Horace Brice, who have been ill are all improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Owens are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a baby girl born Christmas Eve.

Mr. Clarence Nicholson, of Camp Meade,, is at home for a few days.

—People who were in straits to keep warm during the cold snap inaugurated some odd arrangements to do so. One man said he laid in bed and worked his stove, finally reaching such a point of perfection that he could cook and eat his breakfast with-

Wm. Medders & Co.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO TELEPHONE ORDERS

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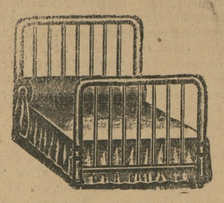
Visit Our "JANUARY SALES' Next We

Lots of good things in these CLOSE OUT SALES preparing for our in

WHITE ENAMEL BEDS

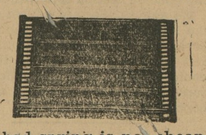


All White Heavy Enamel Beds (made in all widths). No wear-out to a good White Enamel Bed.

Prices, $4.90, $5.90, $6.90 up.

Brass Trimmed Beds, $10.00, $12.50, $15.00.

BUY GUARANTEED SPRINGS



A bad spring is not cheap at any price. Each spring is sold on a 10-year guarantee.

Prices, $4.90, $5.90, $6.90 up.

SELECT A GOOD MATTRESS

We carry a large assortment of good Mattresses.

Prices, $9.00, $10.00, $12.50 to $20.00.

Cheaper Mattresses, $3.90, $4.90, $5.90.

NEW XMAS BUREAUS

Odd Bureaus—can match or go to make up a pretty suit. Made in Golden Oak, White Enamel or Imitation Mahogany. Prices, $10.00, $12.50, $15.00.

Better Bureaus at $17.50, $20.00.

WASH STANDS

To Match Bureaus. Prices, $2.90, $4.90, $6.90 up.

XMAS CHIFFONIERS

New and Pretty Chiffoniers in Golden Oak, with large plate mirors. Prices, $10.00, $12.50, $15.00, $17.50.

Next Wednesday

SALE ON

"ALUMINUM WARE"

FOR 19 CENTS

We will have on sale next Wednesday a lot of Aluminum Cooling Ware Such as Sauce Pans, Bread Pans, Cake Pans, Seamless Kettles, etc., and you take your choice for only 19c.

One item to a customer and no more and price 19c.

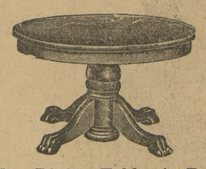
NEW LOW BUFFETS

Made in Quartered Oak and built for beauty and service. Prices, $22.50, $25, and $29.00 upward.

Special $25.00 Buffets on sale $19.00.

Cheaper Buffets from $10.00 up.

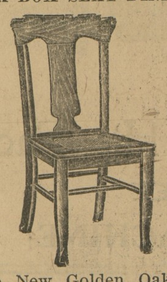
OAK DINING TABLES



New Dining Tables in Round and Square. Prices, $10.00, $12.50, $15.00 up.

Cheaper Tables, $2.50, $3.50 to $8.50.

OAK BOX SEAT DINERS



The New Golden Oak Box Seat Diners are made strong and will give service. Prices, $2.50, $2.75, $3.00 each.

Good Oak Diners on sale. Prices, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 each.

XMAS MORRIS

A fine assortmen
Heavy Oak Frame
Tufted Cushions, in
Prices, $10.00, $12.

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Made in the Oak
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Made with the Ste
Base on heavy oak
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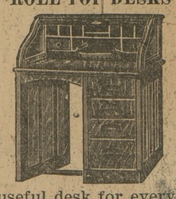
COUCH COVERS, ALL KI

See the new Couch Covers—just as useful as the couch. Prices, $2.50, $2.98, $3.50 up.

ROLL TOP DESKS

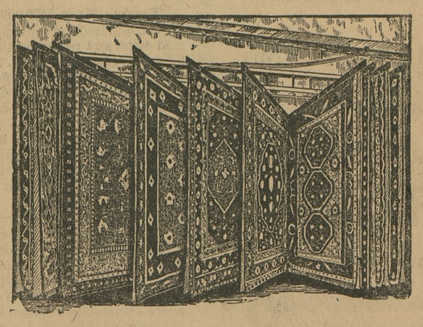


A useful desk for everyone—made strong with a good lock-up. Heavy Oak Roll Top Desk Solid back. Prices, $22.50, $25.

CHILDREN'S XMAS ROCKERS & HIGH CHAIRS

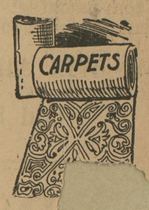
Large variety. Prices, $1.25, $1.50, $2.50, $3.50.

Pretty Rugs, Carpets and Mattings!



Our display of Pretty Rugs is alone worth your visit. No scarcity of Rugs here—we have the stock and we have the low prices. Large Rugs at 12.50, 17.50, 22.50, 25.00, 32.50 to 40.00.

Smaller Rugs at 1.98, 2.98, 3.98 up.



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