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FRIEDMAN'S

Great Mid-Summer Room-Making Sale!

IT HAS BEEN our custom at the end of each season to rid our shelves of all the remaining goods. We commence early this season in order to give our customers the opportunity to select from a larger assortment of goods. We will not stand for profit, but are determined to dispose of our ENTIRE PRING and SUMMER STOCK, consisting of

Men's, Boys', Youths' and Children's Suits,

AND SINGLE PANTS.

We began with our famous $7.50 Men's Suits, others have been asking $9.50 for the same, we still have six different styles, and from this day on they go at Fine Cheviots, $6.00, Hairline Stripes, $6.00, Imported Cheviots, $6.00.

Our $6.50 Men's Suits we have reduced to, Black and Blue Cheviots, $4.75, Mixed Cassimeres, $4.75, American Cheviots, $4.75.

Our entire line of $12.00 and $13.00 Suits, ouch as Imported Worsted in Neat Stripes and Checks, Black and Blue Clays in Regent Cutt, or Three-Button Sacks, are to be sold at $10.50.

Children's Suits from age 4 to 14 in Short Pants, $1.00, $1.50, $1.75 and $2,00, &c. This line is sill complete, and you will find some big bargains.

Boys' Long Pants Suits, age 15 to 19, $2.00, $3.00, $4.00 and $5.00. Some of these Suits have been reduced to one-half their former price. They must go.

Men's Pants 50c., 75c., $1.25 and $2.00. Boys' and Children's Pants 21c., 37c., 50c. and 75c., all of them have been reduced in a similar manner.

Furnishing Goods, Straw and Felt Hats, Neckwear, Trunks and Satchels, all to go under the same reductions.

☞ We believe it to be to the interest of every one to give the above offerings due consideration as it will be money saving to you, as we are determined to rid shelves of all Summer Goods. Come, come.

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6-4cents each for Ribbed Vests, (This) Price we want you to appreciate.
24 cents for 3 Better Ribbed Vests, we want you to look at.
47½ cents for a pair of Men's Good Work Pants, they will bear inspection.
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1¼ cents per pound for Best Washing Soda.
5½ cents per pound for Best American Granulated Sugar.
29 cents per pound for Fine Imported Tea.
12½ cents per gallon for the Old Reliable Syrup.
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White wrapper if constipated, yellow if bowels are loose.
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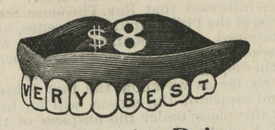

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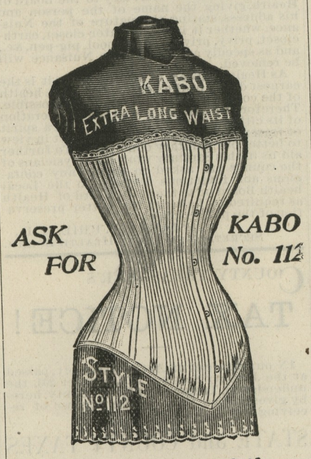

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County Baseball Clubs Favor the Project—Successful Season.

A baseball season of unusual interest and success is about to close in Maryland. It goes without saying that Maryland's corner in the big professional League has been more than prominent, for none doubts that the Monumental City will this year have three-time winners, but among the smaller professional teams, semi-professionals and amateurs, a most successful season has just come to an end.

With one exception—Hagerstown—the game has met with the greatest encouragement in various parts of Maryland. Many of the clubs, representing the smaller towns and cities, have played such fast ball and turned out so well pecuniarily that a new eight-club league is talked of for next year, composed mainly of towns in Delaware and the Eastern Shore of Maryland, and with Annapolis and possibly a couple of strong Baltimore teams.

Hagerstown was Maryland's other champion club last year, winning the pennant in the Cumberland Valley League. From a financial standpoint, however, the League was not noted, and this year it disbanded in the middle of the season. Hagerstown was in the League at the close and tried the co-operative plan for a short time, but soon gave up.

This year, consequently, the greatest interest in baseball, outside the metropolis, has manifested in the middle section of the State and the Eastern Shore, and these have produced several crack teams. Not only has the ball playing been of a good order, but the clubs have had marked financial success. Salisbury now claims the State championship, and if it wins again from Annapolis the claim will probably be conceded.

These clubs, with Cambridge, Chestertown and Easton, in Maryland; and Smyrna, Dover and Seaford, in Delaware, with possibly one or two strong Baltimore clubs, have proposed to form a new League next year, and the project is received with encouragement.

Managers Burlingame of Annapolis, Thoroughgood of Salisbury, and Mace of Cambridge have been conferring over the matter, and are convinced that an Inter-State or Chesapeake League would be a good thing all around. Experience has shown that the hardest games are played among the teams representing rival towns, and this, of course, brings out the spectators and increases gate receipts.

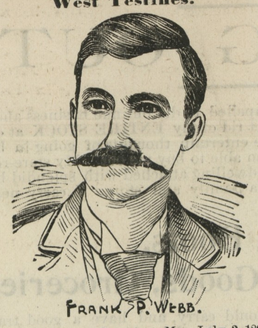
Considering the size of the places, the support given teams is remarkable, the paying attendance being often between 500 and 800, besides a good subscription list. The managers think that with a fixed schedule and impartial umpires the game will be a still greater success next season.

September Weather. — Hicks forecasts the weather for September as follows: Numerous causes of storm earthquake phenomena fall in September. The 2d and 3rd being return of storm conditions, with Venus at the center of her pertubation on the 2d. Great warmth, followed by intense electrical storms, and turning very cool will be the order of each storm period until past the middle of the month. Be prepared for frost after all storms, from central regions northward, from the beginning of the month. From the 7th to 11th is a storm period, fraught with indications of danger on land and sea. Watch your barometer, the wind currents and clouds. As long as barometer is low, with winds from east or south, the storm centers have yet to pass your locality. Be watchful until conditions change. The 14th and 15th are reactionary days, on and about which many restless phenomena may be expected — black blustering clouds, fitful winds, thunder, and storms—suddenly changing to cool. The 19th to 23d is the crisis of the annual equinox. Mercury, Venus, Earth, "Vulcans" and Full Moon, all enter the fray. Many dangerous storms and gales will sweep over land, lake and sea, and an autumnal wave from the polar regions will wind up the general perturbations. Cool to cold in northern regions, with early snow, will be no cause for surprise.

A highway robbery is reported in the public streets of Elkton last Saturday night. A white woman was attacked by a colored man and robbed of her pocket book. The woman made a desperate fight but the man got his plunder and escaped, but the enraged citizens are on his track and will no doubt capture the villain.

'Run Down"

The Noted Deer Hunter of the West Testifies.



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Allays irritation and gives refreshing sleep.
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STEAMER B. S. FORD, will leave Centreville at 7 A. M., daily, except Sunday, for Baltimore, stopping at landings on Corsica River, Jackson Creek and Rock Hall. Leave Jackson Creek 8.15, Rock Hall 9.15 A. M. Returning, leave Baltimore daily, except Sunday, 2.30 P. M. for the above landings.

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On or about Monday, July 27th, the following schedule will take effect. Steamers will leave daily for Philadelphia direct:

11c.	*Buckingham	10.00 o'clock,	A. M.
	Snitchers	10.30	" "
	Chestertown	12.00	" "
11c.	*Chambers	12.15	" "
11c.	*Rolphs	12.25	" "
11c.	*Wilmers	12.40	" "
	Riverside	1.00	" "
11c.	Bookers*	1.20	" "
11c.	*Quaker Neck	1.40	" "
	Ashland	2.00	" "
	Indiantown	2.15	" "
11c.	*Cliffs City	2.30	" "
11c.	*Spaniards Point	2.45	" "
11c.	*Bogles	3.15	" "
11c.	*Kent Island	4.00	" "
11c.	*Tolchester	5.00	" "

LANKFORD'S BAY:

Ship Yard	10.30 o'clock,	A. M.	
Groves Wharf	10.45	"	"
Vickers	11.00	"	"
Becks Wharf	12.00	"	"
Browns	12.15	"	"
Learys	12.30	"	"
Long Cove	1.00	"	"

Freight will be eleven cents a basket from all landings marked *; all other landings and lighters the usual ten-cent rate will apply.

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