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According to my view of the subject, the conspiracy which seems to have been formed here and in Europe to destroy, by legislation and otherwise, from three-sevenths to one-half of the metalic money of the world, is the most gigantic crime of this or any other age.—JOHN G. CARLISLE. (Congressional Record, pages 41 to 44, 1878.)

A Question ?

Which is propounded to us daily, and a very natural one, is: What is worn this season? In answer to which we will endeavor to offer a few suggestions. When we visit the markets during the months of June and July in quest of Fall and Winter Styles, this is one of the first questions we ask: What is worn this season?

We find Corded Cheviots, both Black and Blue, popular as ever, and in fact the wearing qualities of this fabric is so pronounced that there has been added a sprinkle of Red, Blue and Olive tints, in very minute threads, which gives them a neat, rich effect without being gaudy. Such goods can be found in abundance at our establishment, ranging in price from $7.50, $8.50, $10.00, $12.50 and $15.00. Then the neat Checks and Pin Stripes in Foreign Worsteds are very much in evidence for the neat, quiet dressers we are Excelsior Headquarters on this line. They commence at $10.00 up $12.50, $13.50 and $15.00. Black Coat and Vest, either Sack or Cutaway, combined with Worsted Pants, will always be worn. Such a suit can be had of us for $8.50, $10.00, $12.50 and $15.00, and as large a variety of patterns as you can desire to select from. We are selling a great many of our Black and Blue Decided Cord Worsteds, and in placing our order for a large quantity enables us to offer them for $10.00 the suit. Plaids are also very much worn this season.

Now, if you readers want to know where to get the staple paterns in Gray, Brown and Mixed, neat styles, we are right at home on this line also. Good suits, we mean. No stamped goods that will run down your back the first rain you are caught in, $4.90 the suit. Can't match them in the city anywhere; look at them. Then comes the $6.00, $7.50, $8.50 &c., plenty of them, Blue, Black and Mixed Patterns.

Overcoats are about the same as last season, the Black and Blue Kersey's being predominant, all the way from $5.00 to $15.00 they come. The Vicunas and Montagnacs at $10.00 $12.50 are also gaining favor. Storm Coats have come to stay. We have put in an immense stock of these goods, ranging from $3.50 to $8.50, &c.,. We are also showing a large line of Boys' Storm Coats, ages 10 up to 18 years, which is the proper thing this season, at a very moderate cost.

Suits for small boys wearing short pants are about the same patterns as the Nobby Young Men's Styles, ranging in price as low as $1.00 the suit. Yet at $2.00, $2.25, $3.00 $3.50 you can obtain a suit with proper wearing qualities, good Cheviots and Homespuns. For $2.50 can furnish Dickey's Best All-wool goods, age 6 to 14 years, plenty of patterns to select from at all these prices.

The styles in Men's Hats are slightly higher in crown and less roll in rim of stiff goods. The Alpines are virtually the same in shape; light colors are very popular in large cities. We are showing a large line of soft goods in popular shapes and colors at $1.00, the stiff ones at $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 &c. Caps are growing in favor, the Golf Cap being the most prominent for men; blue and mixed patterns are both popular. Blue cloth Tam O'Shantas for the little boys, with flat crown, braided edge is the proper thing, having superceded the leather ones of several seasons ago.

We came near forgetting to mention our line of Sbort and Stout Suits for Men; this feature of the trade has received especial attention this season; sizes ranging 38 to 44, made especially for stout men, insuring perfect fits. Prices start $7.50, $8.50, $10.00 $12,50, &c., and an assortment that will compare favorably with most city houses.

All the new things in Neckwear. Puffs and Fancy String Ties are the prevailing styles for this season, and in Underwear and General Furnishing Goods we are unsurpassed.

For further information call on

MOODY & LUSBY,

Square-Dealing Clothiers, Directly Opposite Court House.

FAIRLEE NOTES.

Mr. H. Clay Usilton, on one of County Commissioner Hatcherson's farms near Lankford, has been very sick for some weeks and is but little improved at this writing. His lungs are said to be seriously involved. He is resigned, happy, and waiting the Master's call let it be early or in the distant future.

The horse that was stolen from the stable of Mr. E. Elmer, Battleshell Hill, on last Saturday night week was found beyond Lankford a short time after, in an almost ruined condition, badly lamed.

Mrs. John Gibson, on the W.S. Thompson farm, has been seriously ill. Dr. H. L. Dodd has been in attendance. Glad to hear that she is improving.

Wasps held sway for awhile this week in our village school room. Two boys were stung. They have about come to the conclusion that a sting from a wasp is apt to cause a little boy to weep, yes, and larger ones to move around right lively.

The corn-husking and fodder Shredding Machine was delivered to Mr. W. F. Sparks on last Friday morning week. It was sold by Mr. Smith, Chestertown, and is about the first in the county in use. Mr. Sparks started work with this "Wonder in the Machinery world," on last Monday at Mr. W. G. Skirven's. He is spoken of as doing the work designed for it, elegantly.

During the nice weather this week, the young ladies and gentlemen have been out on horse-back.

Pastor Merritt, last Sunday morning:—The Ottoman Empire has been sick for 50 years and is called the "Sick Man." I am disposed this morning to talk a little on American politics, and with charity. With Ottoman Empire the United States, "Uncle Sam" is sick too; yes, right ill. We will have the case Di—Di—What do the doctors call it? Oh yes: Diagnosed. Call in Rep. doctor Diagnosis, Uncle Sam is sick with low protective tariff. Doctor Democrat—"Uncle Sam" is very sick, yes, with demonetization of silver. Doctor Prohibition—Yes indeed the old man's sick on rum. Have the doctors prescribed for the patient? They all think his affliction different; now lets see the remedies: Doctor Republican—High protective tariff, judiciously applied, and Uncle Sam will improve.

Doctor Democrat—Free and unlimited coinage of silver is the remedy to effect a cure.

Doctor Prohibition—Take away the rum and Uncle Sam will be cured. Now for remedies—What "Uncle Sam" and the nations of the world need to day is to know more of Christ—to serve Him aright and to acknowledge Him as Lord of all.

"More love to Thee O Christ,
More love to Thee!"

Mr. John L. Lewis is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Salem Church will hold an oyster supper in the hall here this Saturday evening. We are hopeful that it will be largely attended and that the church finances may be helped.

Master Milton Dill was kicked a few days ago while having a horse shod.

Mr. Lewin Skirven was bitten on the hand, between the thumb and index finger some days ago by a calf. A few days ago it began to pain. Dr Hines lanced it and serious consequences from the bite is not expected to develop further. WEST END.

Still Pond Notes.

Mrs. M. R. Wilson has been very ill at her home. It is the earnest prayer of the community that she may speedily recover.

Mr. James McCrady, of Cambridge, paid our town a flying visit this week.

Mr. L. Harris Crewe has been spending two weeks in Philadelphia.

A little dance was enjoyed in our town hall on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Jacob Crowding, of Worton, is contemplating moving to our town soon. We give him a hearty welcome.

Cards are out announcing the wedding of Miss Anna Rebecca Barnard to Mr. Edward Abraham Evans, both of Cheswold, Del. Miss Barnard is the second daughter of Mrs. Martha Barnard and the late respected Norris Barnard, who before his death resided near Still Pond for many years with his family. During her stay in our community Miss B. was one of our most popular and useful ladies and has been very greatly missed socially, by the church and in every good and noble cause where a helping hand was needed. Her many friends extend their hearty congratulations and wish her and her husband elect a long, happy and prosperous life. The wedding will be solemnized on Thursday, Oct. 29th, at Cheswold, Del.

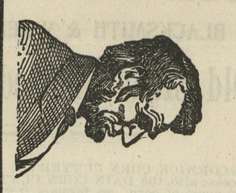
"THE devil in buttons" is what one of the Baltimore ministers calls the present button-wearing fad.

ON Tuesday evening last Miss Edith Shepard daughter of Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard, was married at Scarborough, N. Y., to Mr. Ernesto J. Fabri. It is said that Mrs. Shepard's gift to her daughter is the usual $1,000,000 which is given to the brides of the Vanderbilt family. The favors presented by the bride and grom to the bridesmaids and ushers were emerald and diamond pins

DIPHTHERIA is causing much alarm in Cambridge, Md.

Fac-Simile of the Official Ballot to be Voted November 3rd, 1896.

A x made in the large square space to the right of emblem or party name at the head of party ticket means a vote for all the names in that column and no other X is required.
A x made in the small space at right of name of candidate means a vote for the particular person opposite whose name the X is placed.
A x made at right of emblem and also opposite one or more of the names of persons in any other column or group then the vote so cast shall be regarded as given for all the candidates under such marked party emblem or name except the candidate or candidates under such party emblem or name whose name or names is or are opposite to the name or names so marked, and also for the candidate or candidates whose name or names is or are so marked.



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Republican Ticket.

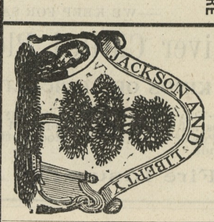
For President of the United States:
WILLIAM McKINLEY,
of Ohio.

For Vice President of United States:
GARRET A. HOBART,
of New Jersey.

For Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States:

GEN. ADAM E. KING, of Baltimore City.
J. COOKMAN BOYD, of Baltimore county.
WASHINGTON A. SMITH, of Dorchester county.
MONITOR WATCHMAN, of Baltimore City.
ROBERT M. WELCH, of Baltimore City.
ALEXANDER FRANK, of Baltimore city.
TALBOT J. ALBERT, of Baltimore county.
MERRITT WILSON, of Garrett county.

For Representative in the Fifty-fifth Congress of the United States from the First Congressional District:
ISAAC A. BARBER, of Talbot county.



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Democratic Ticket.

For President of the United States:
WM. JENNINGS BRYAN,
of Nebraska.

For Vice President of United States:
ARTHUR SEWALL,
of Maine.

For Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States:

GEO. W. PURNELL, of Worcester county.
WM. J. O'BRIEN, of Baltimore City.
WM. M. SLAY, of Kent county.
GEO. W. ALBAUGH, of Carroll county.
JOHN HUBERT, of Baltimore City.
EDWARD RAINE, of Baltimore City.
THOMAS H. BOND, of St. Mary's county.
WILLIAM R. GETTY, of Garrett county.

For Representative in the Fifty-fifth Congress of the United States from the First Congressional District:
JOSHUA W. MILES, of Somerset county.

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Prohibition Ticket.

For President of the United States:
JOSHUA LEVERING,
of Baltimore City.

For Vice President of United States:
HALE JOHNSON,
of Illinois.

For Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States:

HENRY H. HARTSOCK, of Allegany County.
DANIEL W. HOPPER, of Baltimore City.
GEORGE A. COX, of Somerset County.
JOHN M. MACKLEM, of Harford county.
EDWIN B. FENBY, of Baltimore City.
CHRISTIAN A. E. SPAMER, of Baltimore City.
WILLIAM H. SILK, of Anne Arundel county.
WILLIAM W. MOORE, of Montgomery county.

For Representative in the Fifty-fifth Congress of the United States from the First Congressional District:
T. PLINY FISHER, of Caroline county.

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Socialist Labor Ticket.

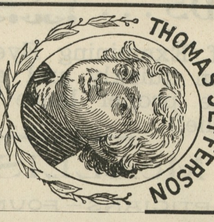
For President of the United States:
CHARLES H. MATCHETT,

For Vice President of United States:
MATTHEW MAGUIRE,

For Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States:

WILLIAM R. WADE, of Baltimore City.
ELIAS JACOBSON, of Baltimore City.
CHARLES BROWN, of Baltimore City.
CHARLES BECKER, of Baltimore City.
AUGUST BRUEGGEMAN, of Baltimore City.
CHARLES BACKMAN, of Baltimore City.
BERNHARD CLINE, of Baltimore City.
DAVID PAULSON, of Baltimore City.

For Representative in the Fifty-fifth Congress of the United States from the First Congressional District:



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SOUND MONEY National Democratic Ticket.

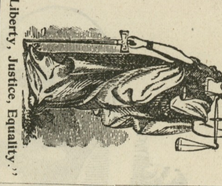
For President of the United States:
JOHN M. PALMER,
of Illinois.

For Vice President of United States:
SIMON B. BUCKNER,
of Kentucky.

For Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States:

CHARLES MARSHALL, of Baltimore City.
EDWARD LLOYD, of Talbot county.
L. SIDNEY BELL, of Wicomico county.
JACKSON PIPER, of Baltimore county.
GEORGE R. WILLIS, of Baltimore City.
FRANCIS E. YEWELL, of Baltimore City.
GEORGE THOMAS, of St. Mary's county.
EDWARD W. MEALEY, of Washington county.

For Representative in the Fifty-fifth Congress of the United States from the First Congressional District:



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National Party Ticket.

For President of the United States:
CHARLES E. BENTLEY,
of Nebraska.

For Vice President of United States:
JAMES H. SOUTHGAGE,
of North Carolina.

For Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States:

SILAS LANE, of Talbot county.
LEVIN WRIGHT, of Baltimore City.
GEORGE H. TRAINOR, of Baltimore City.
FRANKLIN F. WARTHEN, of Baltimore City.
RICHARD S. COLE, of Anne Arundel county.
JOHN B. WEHN, of Baltimore City.
WILLIAM E. GEORGE, of Baltimore City.
ALBERT G. EICHELBERGER, of Baltimore City.

For Representative in the Fifty-fifth Congress of the United States from the First Congressional District:

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