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**We Advocate a Policy That Benefits the Masses, The Platform is Solid.**

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## Only CASH ----- Gold or Silver.

WITH the Lever we have bought and are still Invoicing plenty of New Fall and Winter Goods.
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**Dress Goods in Variety.**

Our 46 inch all wool filling worsted Dress Goods for 25c. per yard is remarkably cheap. Other dress Goods in proportion. Notion and Underwear.

This department is second to none in the county. Ladies, Misses and Children's white and colored vests.

Child's Vest from.....10c. up. | Men's Under Shirts from.....16 2-3c. up.
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9 Pair Ingrains, 10 pair Ingrains, 11 pair Ingrains, 13 pair Ingrains, 3 Ply. Price ranging 25c. for Ingrains up—All Wool Fillings as low as 35c per yard. We carry N. Stock and can save you money.

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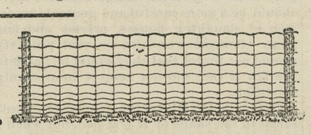
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The BEST LINE of

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Everything at lowest prices.

Respectfully,

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Sept. 19, 1896. Chestertown, Md.

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**IT PAYS TO BUY AT HOME!**

We had a significant test of the advantages of "home purchases" in Furniture this week. We were in competition with the Largest Furniture Houses in Baltimore to furnish Washington College with a considerable bill of goods, and

**WE BEAT THEM ALL IN PRICE AND QUALITY OF FURNITURE!**

We can do it every time. All we ask is a fair trial.

**PERCY T. McFEELY,**
CHESTERTOWN.

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# PITHY SERMONS.

BY GEORGE H. HEPWORTH IN THE NEW YORK HERALD.

**Help from Above.**

Behold with thine eyes, and hear with thine ears, and set thine heart upon all that I shall shew thee.—Ezekiel, xi., 4.

In the history of the Hebrew race we constantly read wonderful accounts of visions. The prophets were in very frequent communication with heaven, and the revelations which came to them were received by the people in perfect faith and made the basis of their private lives as well as of their national policy. No embarrassment ever occurred in which they did not look for divine guidance and protection. The pages of the Old Testament are so filled with these things that if you were to eliminate them as incredible there would be almost nothing of spiritual value left.

The Gospels and the Epistles inherit the same peculiarity. Christ absolutely depended upon the angels for strength to perform His mission. He could get no sympathy from men, for their relation to Him was one of continuous misunderstanding. The truths He spoke are but poorly comprehended at even this late day, though three times eighteen generations have pondered and tried to explain them. The little we can catch a glimpse of has given us the chief elements of our civilization, but the profound depths of His philosophy of life have never been fathomed except by the rare few. He was the most alone being that ever lived, and He would certainly have sunk under the burden imposed had it not been for the companionship of those who walk the earth unseen.

I have always had a feeling that we do not make as much practice use of heaven as God would like to have us do. The religious life includes a great many personal experiences which the nominal Christian knows nothing about. These experiences are deep, helpful, wonderful and ennobling. They are the ripened fruit of true religion, and we ought not to be satisfied until we have enjoyed some of them.

If there is a God at all, it is certainly among our possibilities to hold such relations with Him that these poor lives may be literally flooded with light. A God hidden from the soul's sight, enfolded in such obscurity that we cannot have contact with Him, can hardly expect us to love him very profoundly. Love is born of knowledge and it is strongest when the knowledge is the result of intimacy. So long as God is at a distance, a distance so great that our cries may never compass it, so long He is to a large extent mythical, and what we call our duties are perfunctorily performed. If a friend sits at our side and gives us daily advice, is a part of our plans, is a treasury of strength from which to draw, that is one thing, but if he lives in the planet Mars and has very little to do with us, that is a very different thing.

Too many people's God is at the other end of the universe, and they have such slender acquaintance with Him that they sometimes wonder whether they will ever get any nearer. The Christ, on the contrary, received constant visits from the new Jerusalem. The grand reality was not here, but there, and there is no reason why we should not, as His heirs, occupy the same vantage ground and enjoy the same privileges. He only came to tell us what to do, but how it can best be done, and I am bold to assert on the authority of His own words that as an earthly father shows himself to his children so the Heavenly Father will make himself manifest to us, if the right conditions prevail, in a way which cannot be misunderstood. There will be no miracle in connection with it, neither will it be in any sense supernatural, for it will be the most natural thing in the world. I can't conceive how God could have created mankind and made us dependent upon Him, as we are, without having at the same time furnished means of constant communication. No one can vividly believe in God without a strong feeling that He is near at hand, and that if we free the soul from the binding entanglement of material things it will be conscious of his presence, just as we are conscious of the all-enfolding sunlight.

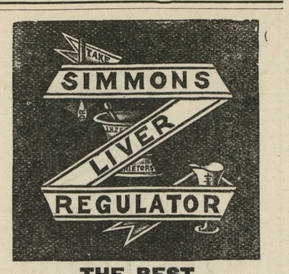
And, moreover, if we believe in heaven and in the lasting bonds of love, and that the dear ones yonder are concerned for us, are interested in our well being, then it must needs follows as the day the night that the door through which they went has not been and will not be bolted against their return. Think of a heaven in which a mother is still anxious to do what she may for her wayward child, but is forbidden. And think of a God of infinite wisdom and love and pity who has been at so much pains—I say it reverently—at so much pains to persuade and induce His children to live holy lives. Think of His forbidding our dear ones to come near us, and ordering them to shut their eyes against our welfare and check their solicitude?

No; what the prophets of old saw we could see, if the right frame of mind prevailed. God had methods by which He made Himself known to them, and the same method may be applied to us.

There are visions and impressions and subtle influences in these latter days and the man who opens his soul to them will enjoy marvelous experiences.

Religion consists of a belief that God is always nigh and that angels are bearing us up lest we stumble. Until we realize these things our life will lack the most important ingredient of human happiness.

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**THE BEST SPRING MEDICINE**

is SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR—don't forget to take it. The Liver gets sluggish during the Winter, just like all nature, and the system becomes choked up by the accumulated waste, which brings on Malaria, Fever and Ague and Rheumatism. You want to wake up your Liver now, but be sure you take SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR to do it. It also regulates the Liver—keeps it properly at work, when your system will be free from poison and the whole body invigorated.

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for this week and every day, offering an equal chance to all, the person with little money and the one with more.

Enterprise Coffee ..... 20c. per lb.
Water White Oil (Best).....12c. gallon
6 Blocks Philadelphia Oleine Soap..... ..25c.
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Honey Cut and all other brands of the best.
Our Smoking Tobacco cannot be excelled.
Another barrel of that celebrated Pickling Vinegar.
Fast Black, Regular made, Double Knee Hose, all sizes, 2 pair for 25 cents. No mother should miss them.

**Best All-wool, 54 in. Serges, 50c,**

BOOTS AND SHOES:

A Man's Good Boot..... .....$1.25
A Man's Good Dress Shoe, that is stylish.. 1.00
Douglass Shoes are matchless.
Gum Boots of all kinds.
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You all know our Reliable Powder is the best.

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Consisting of

**All of the latest Noveties**

in Fancy Weaves in DRESS GOODS. Also a very handsome line of PLAIDS, for Ladies' Waists & Children's Dresses.

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## Coats and Capes

I am also prepared to fit all in the latest styles of Coats and Capes for Ladies, Misses and Children. Plush Capes a specialty. Also a Full Line of Underwear. A Full Line of Table Line Napkins, Towels and Domestic Goods kept on hand at Rock Bottom Prices.

## Here for the Ladies

Our Millinery Department is ablaze with the beauties of Autumn and Winter trimmed

## Hats and Bonnets

All the richest tints and coloring. All the newest styles and shapes. Come in and examine before buying. Large is the word this Fall. The styles run to Wide Trimmed Beavers, Velvet Gainsboroughs, Camel's Hair and rich and heavy Plumes, and Paradise Feathers. Here can be found the largest assortment and at the lowest Prices that were ever known in Kent Co. Always a complete line of Morning Goods on hand

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OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF MEN'S, YOUTH'S, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S OVERCOATS, SUITS and PANTS was bought for the Spot Cash, and the cash had a wonderful purchasing power this season. We have been receiving goods for the past three weeks, from the leading manufacturers of New York and Philadelphia, and now our Stock is complete and ready for your inspection, and we feel positive that in buying your wants this fall from us, it will be a saving to you. We will not make a long story of it, but will come right to the point.

## Good Wool SUITS for MEN, in All Sizes!

**$3.50, $4.25, $4.75, a Big Value.**

Then comes our $5.75, $6.50, $7.25, $8.50 and $10.00 line, the Largest Variety and Newest the market could afford, such as Fancy Plaids, neat Checks, Clay Worsteds, Three-Button Cutaways, Sacks and many more, too numerous to mention.

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This line has not been slighted. We have them for the little tots, from age 3 to 7, in Fancy Braided Sailor Collars, also Blouse Suits with Vest Fronts, and all the Leading Shades. Prices $1.00, $1.25, $1.75 and up. Another line from age 8 to 14, a Beautiful Assortment Prices from $1.10, $1.40, $2.00 and up. Another line from age 14 to 19, in Long Pants for the Big Boys, in the most endless variety.

## Overcoats for Men, Boys and Children.

This will be one of the leading features of our stock. This line is simply immense, to use an expression. We will talk about them more next time. We are always recognized as being the headquarters in HATS, CAPS and UNDERWEAR, &c., and this line was never more complete than this season.

We believe it to be to the interest of every one to give the above offering due consideration, and when you get posted on others' prices call upon us and we will show you what we are doing for the clothing trade.

Yours, respectfully,

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Lime.....90c. per Barrel.
Fine Salt.....90c. per sack.
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Hay.....$12 50 per ton and upward.
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Best Gran.' Sugar, 5c. lb., all you want.
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Molasses and Syrup, 12½c. and upward as to quality.
Coffee, roasted.....15, 18, 19, 20 and 22c.
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New Carolina Rice.....3½c. per lb.
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