Kent News

SATURDAY, - - - DEC. 5, 1896.

Baltimore City Market.

The following quotations are from the Baltimore papers of yesterday:

Wheat, Longberry	92c.@93c.
Corn, White	26c.@28c.
" Yellow	28c.@29c.
Oats	25c.@26c.
Butter	23c.@24c.
Eggs	20c.@21c

THE ADJOURNED COURT.

The adjourned session of the October term of the circuit court for Kent county convened at 10½ A. M. on Monday, his honor Judge Wickes on the bench.

Two whiskey cases were the first tried—one against R. R. Calder and the other against J. Hamilton Gray. J. A. Palmer was the witness in both cases. Jury trial. Not guilty. Urie for State, Beck and Hynson for defense.

State vs. Ben. Scott. Indicted for burglary. Urie for State, Beck for Scott. This case will be found fully reported in another column.

State vs. E. W. Staats. Charged with embezzlement. Reported in another column.

WEDNESDAY.

Charles Waters for assault upon Raymond Yorker. Both small colored boys about 10 or 12 years of age. Before the court. Urie for State, Catlin for defense. Waters testified that Yorker struck him with a brick on McFeely's corner and knocked him senseless in the gutter. Levi Barrett picked him up unconscious. Bush Hazleton, Clarence Sheppard and John Thomas, all boys about the same age, were witnesses. One of the worst things about this case is the fact brought out that several of the boys had been under arrest two or three times during the year. The evidence for the defense was that Waters was being assaulted by Yorker and others with a stick; that the "Lee stteet gang" was a down-town institution. The court decided Waters guilty and sentenced him to jail for ten days. In deciding this case the court referred to the cost in the case and its character. He said the "playful throwing of corn" by a lot of colored boys at the wharf has cost the county over $100. The boys ought all to have been properly chastised by their parents for their misconduct and rowdyism, or the local justice could take cognizance. The court said it looked like an effort simply to get witness fees, and if so it is a perversion of the law and an outrage upon the taxpayers.

State vs. John H. Kelley. Charged with selling "pear cider" at Melitota. Jury trial. Urie for State, Slay for defense. The jury was about to render a verdict before leaving the box, but one of the jurors objected and they filed out, but immediately returned with a verdict of not guilty.

State vs. Isaac E. Fowler. Same charge. In this case the State admitted a plea of not guilty.

State vs. A. L. Baker. Charged with selling intoxicating drinks at Fairlee. One witness testified to drinking "steel phosphate" at Mr. Baker's place, but it was not intoxicating. Jury trial. Not guilty without leaving the box. Urie for State, Catlin for defense.

State vs. same. For selling whiskey. One witness testified that he borrowed a pint of whiskey of Baker, but never paid him. Jury trial. Catlin for defense. Not guilty.

Benj. F. Moffett vs. The County Commissioners. Suit for $2,000 damages to himself, horse and wagon, near Galena, by reason of a collision with a pile of stone in the public road from Georgetown to Galena, on the 9th of May last. Jury trial. Barroll and Hynson for plaintiff, Urie and Westcott for defense. This is a section of road under the supervision of John D. Boyd. On trial.

There are several other damage suits to be tried which may continue the court until the middle of next week. Judge Wickes has been forcing things as rapidly as possible by holding two sessions each day.

Still Pond Briefs.

Messrs. Louis Seymour and Fred. Fraser, of Rhode Island, spent Thanksgiving as the guests of Mr. L. Harris Crewe.

Miss Amy Baynard is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Miss Pauline Nelson has been spending two weeks with her cousin in Baltimore.

Mr. Benjamin Krusen was on the sick list last week, but we are glad to state that he has entirely recovered.

Miss Myra Crewe spent a part of this week in Baltimore.

Mr. Howard Krebs and friend, Mr. Webster, of Baltimore, spent last week in our town. The gentlemen brought their wheels with them and enjoyed the good weather immensely.

Dr. Walter Barrett, of Wilmington, Del., visited our town recently.

Miss Daisy Moffett, of Galena, spent Thanksgiving with friends here.

Mr. and Mss. R. T. Turner have been spending some time in Baltimore and elsewhere. Mr. T. spent most of his time gunning with friends.

Mrs. Samuel Busick returned to her home in Baltimore last week, after a delightful visit to Mrs. W. D. Pennington.

Mr. Jacob Crowding and family are soon to take up their abode in our town. We give them a most hearty welcome. Miss Crowding is our church organist, and a most efficient one.

New Games. — Chestertown merchants have, as usual, made big preparations for Christmas and the displays equal any ever seen in town. Among the new games seen at one of the largest houses in town we noticed some that are especially praiseworthy in that they are instructive as well as interesting. "Uncle Sam's Mail" contains the best and most practical general railroad map in use and is a game of exceptional interest and instruction. The object is to deliver letters to the various cities to which they are addressed. Another game is "By Mail, Express or accommodation train." This game incidentally imparts a great amount of geographical and statistical information, etc. Another game called 'Business' shows how incompetency and laziness impedes the progress of a boy, etc. "The Bicycle Race" and "Baseball Game" are also new and interesting pastimes. Another new game is known as "Victory" and resembles croquet.

NEWSY NOTES

PERSONAL.

Lieut. Morris K. Barroll, wife and son, of Atlanta Ga., is the guest of his brother, H. H. Barroll, Esq., near town. Mr. Barroll has won special distinction in the army and is considered one of our most skilful and efficient men. At his suggestion a number of vital defects in coast defense have been remedied, one in particular being at New York. He is of the opinion that the present agitation of war with Spain will be of untold benefit to the United States in that she will ascertain and realize her weakness, and remedy the same. He says it would take our country three years to get in fighting condition such as it would require to face any of the great nations. Lieut. Barroll has been ordered to San Francisco where important improvements are being made to the fort and defense along the coast.

Prof. E. J. Clarke started on his wheel Wednesday of last week for Price's Station intending to board the train for his home in Pocomoke City. He went spinning over the road until he reached Church Hill where his rear wheel refused to turn. He did not have time to remedy the defect; but seeing a wheel in front of Mr. Hall's store he soon borrowed it and hastened on his way to the station. The wheel was returned to Mr. Hall by one of his wagons which happened to be at the station.

Mr. Reybold Wilson, merchant of Chestertown, expects to remove to the Ascher store in Rock Hall, where he will open a cash store of bargains.

Mrs. A. S. Turner and son are visiting friends at Aberdeen, Harford county.

Mrs. Horace W. Beck lost her purse containing a fair sum of money while on the boat last week.

Ex-deputy Sheriff Owens, of Betterton, was in town Wednesday looking just as happy as ever. He is now on the Ericsson line of steamers, but is off for a little holiday.

President W. C. Eliason, of the Tolchester Company, was a welcome visitor at the NEWS office Wednesday. He is attending court, combining business with pleasure. He is a professional in his business and promises to make the Saratoga of Maryland yet more popular next year.

Harrison W. Vickers, Esq., proved himself a crack shot last Saturday. In company with Thomas I. Elliott, Esq., of Baltimore, he went gunning and killed a rabbit at the first shot! He also killed a rabbit the previous day. Mr Elliott didn't have much luck.

The Easton *Ledger* says Judge Wickes is "the youngest looking member of the court" in this circuit. He is active—reads without glasses—and appears not over forty.

Ex-County Commissioner Robert C. Morgan has rented of J. A. Pearce, Esq., the Baker farm at Rees' Corner, now tenanted by Mr. John Hadaway. The latter proposes to discontinue farming and remove to Baltimore.

Mr. John W. Carter has sold his good will and stock of merchandise at Worton Station to Messrs. A. S. Turner and Charles Boyles, who will continue the business.

Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Warner have removed from Felton to Millington, where their future home will be with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mallalieu.

Mr. Lemuel Clough, of Church Hill, has purchased the McFadden mill, and took possession Tuesday.

Miss Lizzie Willis, niece of Mr. Thos. J. Willis, was married in Milford Wednesday to Wm. H. McCallum. The bride is the daughter of Rev. J. S. Willis, and the presents, valued at a low figure, are estimated at $10,000.

We are sorry to learn of the death of Mr. Edw. S. Culp, of near Fredericktown, whose illness was mentioned in the NEWS last week. He is a brother of Mr. Wm. S. Culp, of Chestertown.

Mrs. Wm. Elliott, who has been quite ill at her home on High street, is convalescent.

Mr. Walter S. Trew has been ill with bowel complaint this week. His brother, Dr. B. Trew, of Baltimore, arrived Thursday and the patient is somewhat better.

J. H. Baker, Esq., of Pomona, attended the farmers' congress at Indianapolis last week

We are sorry to report Mr. Charles T. Howard as very ill. However, he was brighter yesterday, but very little stronger.

The first appearance of a Philadelphia attorney for ten years at the Kent bar was that of Wm. W. Smithers, Esq., in the embezzlement case this week. Mr. S. is a lawyer of ability and pleasing address and his conduct of the case here was skilful and strong. Wm. Hopple, Jr., was the last Phila. attorney at our bar, and that was about ten years since.

Our town merchants are alive with Christmas goods, now opening.

Mr. P. T. McFeely "diagram'd" the newly modeled church at Kennedyville yesterday for a handsome carpet, the contract for which he got over large city houses, because of his lower prices.

Mr. Chas. S. Smith received a whole schooner load of goods last week for Christmas and his store is full of pretty toys, dolls, etc. Mr. J. B. McIntyre is head clerk with Misses Hettie Greenwood, Blanche Cox, "Aunt Kate," Harry Hodgkins, "Charlie" and others as assistants.

Mr. L. Winer, proprietor of the New York Clothing House, has spent the week in New York.

Miss Zadie Lee met with quite a painful accident Saturday evening. While coming down the stairs with a lighted lamp she slipped and fell, breaking the lamp and cutting an ugly wound in her hand. She was bruised about the body, but no serious damage was done.

Mr. Harry H. Hyland, who has a position on the Gov. McLane, spent Saturday and Sunday with his family in Chestertown.

J. Leeds Barroll, Esq., of Philadelphia, is the guest of H. H. Barroll, Esq.

Mr. Boone Vickers, of Baltimore, has been visiting his uncle at "Lauretum Place." Boone is a great lover of hunting, and succeeded in killing nine rabbits, a squirrel and either stunning or scaring a coon so badly that he suddenly disappeared.

Mrs. Walter R. Graham and son, Newell, of Westminster, are visiting Mrs. John N. Dodd, on High street.

JUDGE STUMP reached here yesterday noon and took his seat on the bench.

THE expenses in the Walraven bond case, removed here from Kent county amounted to $277.50.—*Easton Ledger.*

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Nov. 30, 1896.

WORDS ON WOMEN'S SHOES

Shoeman gleans knowledge from all sources—he is a wizard of leathers, in fact; saw that bicycle seats had pliablenes; went to work to get that pliableness for shoe soles. He succeeded, though leathers had to be specially tanned to give the result. Take the heaviest-sole shoe we have—you can bend it anywhere. It's right; it's sensible. Same result has been tried for by many makers. They notch the inner sole to produce the "give"—and make it bad for wear; they use cheap leathers for inner soles. We use the best we can have tanned.

So much for the winter shoe stock in general.

Here is a special hint—a Kee-sole shoe made better. The Kee process gives "spring" and ease to the shoe by building up an inner sole of layers of felt. We have had that

patented process added to by making the shoes with an extra sole of cork. Ideal winter shoes, that make their wearer fearless of dampness. The nearest approach to them, that we can find, sell at $5 a pair. These are clearly better, the soles flexible and right, and the price is $4.

WOMEN'S COATS

Something perfectly natural is going to happen. Women's Coats have come to us at ridiculous prices recently—eleven hundred garments since Friday—simply because the weather has been too warm to make the producers' trade lively. Now, then, when real coat-wearing weather comes it is likely to find the markets short of stock, and then, in the hurry and rush, prices will naturally advance.

That hint is profitable to you if you are guided by it.

The Coats we are selling at $5, $7.50, $10, $12 and $15 are sold at a money-loss to some one. The gain is yours—if you come while any of the garments remain.

MEN'S CLOTHING

Men's Suits made from all-wool fancy Cheviots, $6.50. No, we are not guessing—the stuffs are right, proven by crucial tests; the making is good, the cut artistic, the seams are sewed with silk. There's real tailoring put into them.

We have more hand-work put into the higher priced suits—fact is, at $12, $15 or $20 you step into suits made tailor-fashion. Fit? Perfectly. And the good shape stays, because the clothes are tailored.

By the way, we've just got ready more of the all-wool Black Cheviot Suits at $5. But hurry, if you'd share in the lot, for they come in all too slow.

Overcoats are right—just as right as the suits. And enough styles to meet every proper taste. $8.50 to $45.

BOOKS

The Home Library consists of ten cloth-bound volumes, 16mo., in a cloth case. Published to sell at $7.50. Too high. Didn't sell. And now we have it at $1.35. These are the titles of the books—

Around the Tea Table. By T. DeWitt Talmage.
A Book of Golden Deeds. By C. M. Yonge.
A Budget of Christmas Tales. By Charles Dickens.
Handbook for American Citizens. By Henry Mann.
Golden Treasury. By C. H. von Bogatzky.
Reading for Winter Evenings. By Fernie.
How to Get On in the World. By Major Calhoun.
Parlor Amusements. By Sandison.
Capital Stories. By Hawthorne.
The Children's Portion. By Shoppell.

JOHN WANAMAKER.

CHRISTMAS GOODS!

1896.

Grand Opening Wednesday, Dec. 9th!

Large Stock!

--- AND ---

Bottom Prices!

WE CAN PLEASE YOU! We have bought with a view to hard times. Fine Presents, from 5c. up to $15 and $20. Books, Stationery, Fine China, Children's Toys, Perfumes, Beautiful and Useful Lamps, Albums, Work Baskets, very dainty in appearance; Gold Pens, and so many other articles that we cannot begin to mention them.

Come, Let us be Merry!

Christmas is Very Near!

If not disappointed, we will have music to entertain you while you are looking at the goods.

☞ If you select now we will take care of the present for you until Christmas Eve.

☞ DON'T FORGET THE PLACE!

STAM'S HALL!

CORNER STORE.

Stay as long as you wish; we will not close until midnight.

dec5. COLIN F. STAM, Druggist.

THE EMBEZZLEMENT CASE.

A Kent Farmer Cleared of a Serious Charge —A Philadelphia Lawyer Aids the State in the Prosecution.

The case of State vs. E. Wm. Staats, charged with embezzling $205, the money of J. E. Hendrickson & Co., commission merchants of Philadelphia, was begun in the Circuit Court on Monday afternoon. The facts as developed by the testimony were as follows:

In November, 1895, Mr. Staats bought of Eichenhofer Bros., of Middletown, Del., twelve steers and gave his note for $286 at ninety-five days. The Eichenhofer Bros. afterwards assigned the note to J. E. Hendrickson & Co. Mr. Staats fattened the cattle and offered them for sale. On March 11, '96, Mr. Hutton, the junior member of the firm of J. E. Hendrickson & Co., together with Mr. Geo. Eichenhofer, went to the farm of Mr. Staats, where, as it was claimed by Mr. Staats, the cattle were sold to Mr. Hutton at four cents per pound, live weight, to be taken away one week later. Mr. Hutton denied that he purchased the cattle on that day, but admitted that he bought the cattle on the 4th day of April. Though it was abundantly shown that between the dates above mentioned Mr. Hutton and his agents were endeavoring to dispose of the cattle to several different butchers, and to one of whom he expressed his desire to sell the cattle because his time for removing the cattle from Mr. Staats "had long since passed." Mr. Staats, after the 11th day of March, claims that he was constantly urging Hutton and his agent to remove the cattle and settle according to their contract of sale. About April 4th Hutton authorized Staats to dispose of the cattle upon the best possible terms.

In accordance with his authority Mr. Staats sold six of the cattle on the 4th day of May to George Magee for $205. About the same time Eichenhofer sold four to parties in Smyrna. The remaining two Hutton took away from the farm. Hutton, who was now the assignee and owner of the Staats note for $286, originally given for the twelve steers, and had also advanced to Staats $112 on the account of the sale of the cattle as made to Hutton, called upon Mr. Staats for a settlement. Staats expressed himself as prepared to settle if Hutton was prepared to give the weight of the four steers sold by Eichenhofer to Smyrna, and the two taken away by Hutton. This Hutton was not prepared to furnish, but insisted that Staats should pay over to him, Hutton, the $205 he had received for the six steers sold Magee. Staats expressed a perfect willingness to do so, provided Hutton would allow him to retain the sum of $65 for feed and attention from the time of Hutton's failure to take away the steers, on March 18th, to May 4th. This allowance Hutton refused to make, denying his liability for the feed. Hutton then had Staats arrested for embezzling the money.

The case was one of the most interesting tried during the term, rendered more so by the participation of a bright Philadelphia lawyer, Wm. W. Smithers, Esq., who assisted State's Attorney John D. Urie in the prosecution. The defence was ably managed by Marion deK. Smith and Richard D. Hynson, Esqs. The case occupied the court from Monday until Wednesday evening. The jury was out but a few moments before returning a verdict of "not guilty."

BUDGET OF NEWS from ROCK HALL.

Mrs. Julia Coleman, widow of the late John H. Coleman, intends to remove to the home of her daughters in Chester, Pa., at an early date. We regret to part with such a grand woman.

Mr. Wm. T. Webb has opened an oyster house in Havre de Grace, buying all his oysters from here.

Our village and neighborhood have more weddings than all the balance of the county. Our young people believe that "it is not well for a man to live alone."

Mr. Charles Jackson, of Philadelphia, is enjoying a most pleasant visit to relatives here. A host of friends are extremely glad of the pleasure of meeting him during his stay.

Mr. E. W. Kendall has secured a position with Mr. Greenspond as clerk, thus another tonger has "graduated." He's a lucky boy.

Mr. R. Wickes, on Napley, met with a peculiar and painful mishap on Saturday last. While watching the operations of men engaged in pulling up peach trees, a rabbit was started by his dog; picking up a stick, Mr. R. W. started in pursuit, when the dog ran against him throwing him violently to the ground. His right arm and entire side was completely paralyzed for a few minutes, and was unable to stand for quite awhile. "Bob" says, had it not been for the largeness of his arm it would undoubtedly have been broken. The dog was also considerably shaken up by the contact.

Thos. Kendall, in the darkness of Saturday, while biking his way to the village proper, ran into a man before seeing him. He grabbed the fellow by the shoulders, who simply groaned without saying a word. Tom said the man seemed to be fully 8 feet high and both were considerably frightened.

Mr. V. W. Kendall had the misfortune of having the foremast step of his canoe torn away by the angry waves of Swan Point bar on last Friday, compelling him to hoist his spanker and beat his way, as best he could, against wind and wave to harbor. His brother, Joe, taking in the situation, went to his assistance and towed him to port.

There is lots of complaint about spoiled pork. A number of persons having butchered their hogs three weeks ago have met heavy losses by the late warm spell of weather.

Mr. J. Greenspond moved his stock of store goods from the Ascher building to the store room under Pythian Hall, vacated by R. S. Crew. The public now contemplate a battle royal in cut prices.

Mr. Geo. T. Whaland had the misfortune to be bitten on his wrist by a hog a few days ago.

Capt. Geo. T. Satterfield, on the Anna B. Smith, fell and broke his ankle on Monday. Dr. Selby rendered surgical aid. Months will elapse before he can resume his position. Mr. Geo. Satterfield has taken his father's position on the police boat.

A great slump took place in the oyster trade last week, whereby many buyers came out at the "small end of the horn" on account of the very warm weather. It is very little better for the runners the present week, though the weather has been stormy and cold, for the reason that the packers bought largely while oysters were cheap expecting a portion at least of the Montana blizzard to get here.

Hog killing has been the order the past week. Among those having heavy hogs ranging between 350 and 500 lbs., were Thos. Wheat, Thos. Colyer, Jno. Elburn, Geo. Colyer, Jos. Ryan, Jno. Smith and Wm. Wilkins.

Quarterly examinations of Rock Hall public school:

EIGHTH GRADE.

Nettie Hersch 79	Julia Middleton....63

SEVENTH GRADE.

Paul Hynson.....88	Arthur Greenwood89
Frank Ashley.....80	

SIXTH GRADE.

Annie Leary 79	Ada Joiner.....79
Oneita Maslin.... 71	Eassie Smith.....79
Stanley Downey...59	Eva Proctor.....80
Ada Middleton.....75	Beatrice Maslin....86
Rebecca Coleman..74	Elsie Coburn.....60
Susie Leary.....80	Ida Downey.....58
Eva Downey.....76	

FIFTH GRADE.

Jessie Arthur.....75	Della Jones 58
Daisy Sanford.....70	Julia Rodney 72
Bertha Jones.... 61	Clara Coleman 66
Etta Kendall. ... .66	Willis Durding 59
Hallie Middleton ..66	Ida Warner 63
Grover Copper 74	

FOURTH GRAEE.

Pearl Downey 93	Bert Copper... 75
Ida Hynson.....86	Mabel Webb.....96
Delma Middleton..84	Alice Downey.....66
Clara Rodney.....81	Frank Joiner.....77
Alice Biggs. 85	Katie Akers.....95

THIRD GRADE.

Lillian Smith 98	Erma Barbine.....81
Clifton Coleman...90	Melvin Warner.... 75
George Coleman...91	Pearl Stevens.....74
Nora Jones.....94	Ada Jones.....70
Mary Boyer 89	Fred Davis.....79
Ethel Taylor.....88	Allan Downey ... .76
Edna Downey 85	Raymond Hersch..75
May Sanford 84	Albert Winchester67
Emma Joiner 83	Mattie Webb..... 65
Esther Schoon.....81	Rena Downey.....65

SECOND GRADE.

Cora Middleton....90	Morris Coleman....80
Ulric Stevens.....90	Willie Sanford.....79
Isadore Greenspon89	Claudia Smith.....78
Edna Judefind 88	Hilda Coleman.....78
Howard Davis 87	Ruben Rodney.....77
Mollie Andrews....87	Eddie Urie.....75
Carrie Akers.....86	Norman Warren...72
Annie Jacobs.....86	Clarence Rodney ..71
Edna Durding.....83	Newton Downey...68
Katie Rodney.....83	Morton Cannan....63
Minnie Staats..... 83	Robert Downey....63

3RD FIRST GRADE.

Mary Willis 93	Frank Jacob 87
Olive Warner 91	Earle Jones.....86
Rosalie Ayres.....91	Carroll Elburn.....85
Harry Rich.... ... 89	Willie Staats.....81
Clarence Coleman.89	Curtis Kelley 77
George Ayres.....88	

2ND FIRST GRADE.

Olin Ashley..... 93	Clara Biggs.....80
Maude Middleton..90	Erdman Ayres.....79
Roland Stevens....84	Annie Shreck.....74
Maurice Dowling..81	Willie Shreck.....71
Ethel Coleman.....80	Herbert Elburn...69

1ST FIRST GRADE.

Eois Leary 90	Milvin Middleton..72
Ruth Durding 89	Ruth Warren 68
Annie Gagalski....84	Maggie Jones 42
Mary Staats.....84	Jesse Copper..... 40
Ida Sewell.....78	Ella Parks.....40

One of the prettiest weddings of the season was that of Mr. Charles Damon Rollison and Miss Mary Virginia Rodney which occurred at 7 o'clock Wednesday night in the M. E. Church here, Rev. James Carroll officiating. The church was beautifully decorated with evergreens and blossoming plants by loving friends of the bride, who is one of the most popular young ladies in Rock Hall. The ushers were Messrs. J. Randolph Rollison, brother of the groom; Charles S. Porter, Edward Apsley and George Coleman. After the ceremony a splendid wedding supper was served and reception held at the residence of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Rollison will reside in northern Rock Hall.

On Wednesday evening of last week, Mr. J. Fred Miller, of Baltimore, and Miss Lillie Walmsley, were quietly married at the parsonage of Wesley Chapel M. P. Church, by the pastor, Rev. C. K. McCaslin. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wilkins.

Mr. T. J. Hurd who was in our village for a week with his most excellent show, is the father of the little two-year old child whose head was snapped off by a lion last year. This show was in Chestertown and we believe it is now in Still Pond. Mr. Hurd was an employe of a circus at that time, and while in an Ohio town, his child, which had become accustomed to play near the animals without fear, approached too near a large lion, and in an instant, before the eyes of the father and mother, helpless to render aid, the brute grabbed the child and the next instant its head was crushed in the lion's jaws.

Rev. Mr. Chance, pastor of Piney Neck Church, was given a donation last week by members and friends.

The dance at Pythian Hall last Friday evening, proved to be of unalloyed pleasure to the large attendance.

MEDDERS & CO.'S

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Xmas Bazaar!

—WILL OPEN—

On WEDNESDAY, Dec. 9, 1896

This is the Largest Exhibit of Christmas Goods, Toys, &c., ever shown in this county, and all the public are especially invited to visit our Great Holiday Goods Show. We have made special efforts to select the Choicest Novelties from the Best Markets, and hope to please everybody this time. We did not overlook the other goods in our Christmas purchasing, and have prepared Special Bargains for each Department.

QUICK SALES:

59c. will buy Men's $1.00 "All Wool," Double Breasted Shirts, price now 59c.
39c. buys Men's Best 50c. Underwear, 39c
33c. buys Ladies' Fine 50c. Vests and Pants, 33c.
5c. buys Best Apron Ginghams, still 5c.
5c. buys Extra Fine Brown Muslin, only 5 cents.
69c. buys Bargain in Bed Comforts, large 69 cents.
65c. buys Our Special 10-4 White Blankets, only 65 cents.
7¾c. buys Extra, 10-4, Heavy Canton Flannel, only 7¾c.
98c. buys Women's Good $1.25 Shoes, 98 cents.
$1.98 buys Men's Best $2.50 Boots, still $1.18 per pair.
24c. buys Our Leader Carpet, only 24c.
We offer Special Discount on Stoves, and can save you money on Cook Stoves and Heaters.
We have an entire new line of Furniture, and can show you Fine Rockers, Bed Room Sets, etc. at very low prices.

FRESH GROCERIES:

2c. buys Very Best New Buckwheat, 2c.
7c. buys Package (2 lbs.) Finest Oatmeal, 7 cents.
12½c. buys New Full Cream Cheese, 12½c.
12c. buys Fine Chocolate (½ lb. cake) 12c.
15c. buys Select, Fresh Roasted Rio Coffee, 15 cents.
5c. buys Good California Prunes, 5c.
5c. buys Fine Large Raisins, 5c.
2¾c. buys Finest Loose Oatmeal, 2¾c.
1c. buys Large Box Matches (contains 500), 1c.
9c. buys Pure and Best Black Pepper, 9c.
34c. buys 50 lb. Lard Cans, now 34c.

Low Prices on All Goods.

☞ Don't Miss Our Xmas Show.

MEDDERS & CO.

Special Offering on Wednesday, Dec. 9th:

1c. buys Best Pie Plates and Jelly Pans....1c.
5c. buys Large Pudding Prns, only.....5c.
15c. buys Larger 25c. Bread Pans, special..15c.
21c. buys ½ Dozen Fine China Plates only 21c.
25c. buys Good Agate Coffee Pots.....25c.
10c. 4½ Dozen Good Tumblers.....10c.

Special Prices on Candy and Nuts.

At Jacob F. Thompson's

Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries

AT CLOSE PRICES.

NEW STOCK; NO Old or Ice House Fruits to Offer.

Rasins,
Currants,
Citron,
Cocoanuts, &c.

Everything ready for Mince Meat and Fruit Cake.

All of above goods sold at Lowest Prices for New Fresh Goods. Remember I have no Old Goods to offer.

Also, more of that

PURE, SWEET, APPLE CIDER,

like we had lats fall. Try it.

Yours respectfully,

JACOB F. THOMPSON.

☞ Cash paid for Butter and Eggs.

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