NEW YORK

Clothing House

102 EAST BALTIMORE ST., 104

THE AMERICAN TAILOR-CLOTHIERS.

To My Friends and Acquaintances:

I beg leave to call your attention to the fact that I am associated with the New York Clothing House, 102 and 104 East Baltimore St., opposite Light St., where for the past two years fully mastered the business. I shall be glad at all times to welcome my friends and acquaintances to the Clothing House, which for the past HALF CENTURY has stood in the front rank of FAIR and SQUARE DEALING. Please bear in mind this reputable and reliable New York Clothing House has no connection with that of the same name in any other City or Town.

This Clothing House clothes you from Head to Foot with the best fabrics and at the Lowest Possible Price.

Respectfully,

F. A. ROEDER.

NEW YORK CLOTHING HOUSE,

Opposite Light St. 102 and 104 East Baltimore St.

WESTCOTT & DODD.

As heretofore announced in the NEWS of our *Extensive Improvements*, and in order to make room for the Carpenters we will offer for the NEXT THIRTY DAYS

Bargains in All Kinds Goods

that every Bargain Hunter desires.

BARGAINS IN MUSLIN,
BARGAINS IN CANTON FLANNEL,
BARGAINS IN OUTING CLOTH,
BARGAINS IN SHIRT FLANNEL,
BARGAINS IN BED TICK,
HOSES, full Regular Made 12½c.
UNDERWEAR AND BLANKETS, HORSE BLANKETS and LAP ROBES.

BOOTS and SHOES!

Our Boots are the Bargains of this town and we have many Choice Bargains in Shoes, but we would not have you deceive yourselves and think we are selling New Goods at Half Their Wholesale Price. We hope never to arrive at this stage of deceptive advertising.

GROCERIES:

Coal Oil 8c. We sell Chocolate for 12 cents cake other places sell for 14c. From sales on our TEAS we know that we keep the finest. Washing Soda 1 cent pound. 7 Bars Olene Soap for 25 cents. Pure Country Lard. Our Loose Roasted Coffee is pronounced by town and country to be the Best on the market. Scores testify so. Mr. Dodson, Ned. Lusby, Mr. Brice, Mrs. J. C. Loud.

DON'T FORGET OUR TOBACCO LINE!

Early Bird Saturday and Tuesday.....32c. lb.
Oriole " " .....32c. "
4 A. R. J. R. " " .....65c. "
R. J. R. " " .....50c. "
J. C. and H. Clay Graveley " .....90c. "
Finest Cigars on this market 2 for 5c.

Our BUCKWHEAT is going and that fast, because the people say it is the best. We are still the leaders of the market on Country Produce, Eggs, Butter, Lard and Meat. Our Mattings and Oilcloth we are selling at a GREAT REDUCTION.

WESTCOTT & DODD,

Oct. 30, 1897. Chestertown, Md.

S. HICKS. S. HICKS.

Court Street Specials:

WE are offering SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS in Light and heavy wheel hooping and have reduced all kinds of repairing in both wheelwright and blacksmith shops. Have the best

Dearborns and Farm Wagons

ever offered to the public, for sale very low. Also have some second hand jobs on hand will dispose of CHEAP.

OUR reputation as horseshoers speaks for itself. Have your horses shod at Hicks' and I will guarantee they will travel right. He will lengthen your horse's stride or give him more action. Ask for what you want an l you will get it. Will give your horse such bearings as will not sore him.

S. HICKS.

WAGNER GREEN HOUSE.

WEST PRATT ST., BALTIMORE, MD.

J. & B. L. WAGNER, PROPRIETORS.

This Restaurant is the oldest and most extensive in its accommodations of any in the city. The crowds which lunch and dine daily at his restaurant attest the public approbation of its management. a25-tf.

Closing Season, '97!

J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

are offering to the general public the largest and most complete line of

STOVES

House Furnishing Goods

in Kent County, at PRICES that CANNOT BE EXCELLED.

OUR LINE OF Excelsiors, Parlor and New Lea Cook Stoves is unrivalled for beauty of finish and superior construction, as well as for celebrity in practical work. Our "Exelsior" Cook, in particular, has no superior on this or any other market.

OUR RANGES, the New Royal, New Washington, New Magic, Splendid and Victor are well known in this community for their excellent worth as home "comforts."

WOOD STOVES are more popular this season than for years past, and we are selling the best makes. The "Excelsior Air Tight" with Three Bodies, Cast Top and Bottom, neatly ornamented with Spun Brass Urn and Nickle foot rail is *the best on the market*, and cheap.

OUR HEATING STOVES are selected with care and none but the best makes are sold by us. SPEAR'S GOLDEN SUN FIREPLACE HEATERS are superior to all other makes. The PEOPLE have demonstrated this fact. The Rupert Double and Single Heaters, Magnet, Regal, Morning Light, Vulcan, Egg and Crystal Heating Stoves "have all been tried and not found wanting." Our Oil Heating Stoves give perfect satisfaction.

MEAT CUTTERS and Lard Presses, all sizes, at very low prices. Lard Cans, 25, 40, 50 and 75 pounds. Colanders, hand made and city made. Toilet Sets, Comb Cases, Crumb Trays and Brush, Dust Brushes, Feather Dusters, Ironing Boards, Cake Boards, Slaw Cutters, Cedar Tubs, Wash Boards, Clothes Horses, Towel Rollers, Rolling Pins, Pie Pans, Pudding Pans, Cake Pans, Jelly Pans and an endless variety of other articles needed in any household.

J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.,

Nov. 27, 1897. Chestertown, Md.

PAINTING and PAPER HANGING.

Having secured the services of Mr. W. W. NEEDLES, of the late firm of Elliott & Needles, (dissolved), we are ready to serve you quickly and well, and with every job we give you a guarantee that means something. Prices of Wall Paper are very much cheaper this season, our offerings begin at

3 cts. Single Roll to 10 cts. for Heavy Gold Emboise, a Cut of Over 25 per cent.

ODDS and ENDS - 1 CENT APIECE.

JOHN BARTLEY,

Next Door to Old Bank.

Furniture, Carpets, Oilcloth 15c. yard.

Wall Paper, Paints, Window Glass, &c.

Brevities.

News Gleaned from Various Points and Boiled Down.

Mr. Benj. Davis has purchased the R. B. Noland place in Worton and will remove thereon.

Workmen are laying a stone wall along the bank at Tolchester to prevent the same from caving in.

Farmers who have been waiting for a new moon in order to kill hogs have it now.

On Saturday a sportsman looking for big game killed twelve tame ducks belonging to John Meredith. The fowls were in the water of Big Elk Creek, which runs back of Mr. Meredith's home, when shot. After having his fun the crack sportsman departed leaving his victims in the water where they were found later by their owner.

Our housekeepers are thinking of holding a convention and changing the regular washday, as it seems that Monday is to be a rainy day, at least such has been the case for several weeks.

The Chestertown Strawboard Mill has resumed operation.

The old maxim about defeated candidates going up Salt River has been changed. Sulphur Springs is now the popular resort for disappointed aspirants.

No more free seed will be sent out by the Department of Agriculture; the Government has simply gone out of the seed business.

Don't be too ready to say, "Give the devil his due," till you are quite sure he has no mortgage on you.

A throat bandage made of raw onions beaten to a pulp often gives great relief in cases of diphtheria.

A Delaware farmer recently wrapped separately and packed with much care a barrel of fine apples, which he hauled several miles to a railroad station and consigned to a Philadelphia commission house. In a few days he was rewarded for his trouble by receiving the round sum of two cents.

Holiday trade advertisements will soon make their appearance. They make their appearance early each year. This year the volume of trade is likely to be uncommonly large. To get through on time it will have to start early. One-half the Christmas gifts could be just as well bought now as late in December—better bought, so far as the crowding and peace of mind are concerned. Read the NEWS advertising columns for bargains.

The ducking season so far has not been very successful, the ducks being scarce and prices low. Canvas backs selling at $3, red heads at $1.75, black heads 60 cents, greasers 75 cents, partridges 25 cents, and rabbits 20 cents per pair. The latter are plentiful and in good condition.

"Jewels in the mouth" is no longer a mere figure of speech, complimentary to beautiful teeth, so far as one young woman of Baltimore is concerned. She is Miss Florence Hudson, of 396 Forrest street. Recently she had a diamond weighing about half a carrat placed in one of her front teeth. The stone is surrounded by gold and set like a diamond in a finger ring. The effect of the queer setting is a trifle startling when a ray of strong sunlight plays upon the gem.

The Richardson & Robbins factory at Dover is running with 175 hands at work. One day recently they received 26,000 pounds of poultry which was canned and shipped to all parts of the world.

A telegram from Middletown Saturday says: The death of Miss Mary Budd last evening was particularly sad. Her end was not expected, and many of the young woman's friends had assembled at the Opera House, where local talent was presenting the play "Out in the streets." Harry Budd, a brother of Miss Budd, was taking the character of Colonel Wayne, one of the leading parts. Shortly after the curtain went up it became known that Miss Budd had suddenly died. At the end of the first act Mr. Budd was informed of his sister's death, and the performance came to an abrupt end.

With the approach of the holidays gathering and shipping of holly becomes quite an industry in many counties on the Eastern Shore. Large shipments are already being made, and some of it goes as far out as Minneapolis, Minn.

The shipments of sweets from the Eastern Shore of Virginia have been larger this season than ever before in the history of the trade. October shipments along the N. Y. P. & N. R. R. exceeded those of last year by some 30,000 barrels. It is thought by some that there are yet to be shipped from the Eastern Snore 40,000 to 60,000 barrels. Shipments via railroad last year up to November 1 were about 472,000 barrels. This year to the same date they were 501,000 barrels of sweet potatoes.

VIRTUE should be considered as a part of taste; and we should as much avoid deceit or sinister meanings in discourse, as we would platitudes, bad language or false grammar.

PEOPLE don't grow famous in a hurry, and it takes a great deal of hard work to earn your bread and butter.

"THE

GLOBE"

8 W. BALTO. ST., BALTIMORE.

Second Week of "The Globe's"

Inaugural Sale!

OF MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING, HATS, FURNISHINGS, &c.

The second week of our great "Inaugural Sale" begins Monday—and will no doubt draw just as big a crowd as the opening week. Great throngs of People from Baltimore and the surrounding counties filled the store to overflowing in ready response to our announcement of the wonderful values offered.

What does this complete sacrifice of profits mean—you ask?

It means that this is our method of advertising the store, and making "The Globe" at once the most popular clothing house in Baltimore. We want every citizen in Baltimore and the State of Maryland to quickly learn of the manifold advantages of buying here at "The Globe"—Baltimore's best men's store. We believe that the money thus spent is well invested—and will make a host of well satisfied patrons.

It brings to you a wealth of bargain opportunities—such as you are seldom offered.

Unquestionably this will go down into history as one of the Greatest Clothing Sales ever held in Baltimore!

READ EVERY ITEM BELOW:

1,500 Men's Stylish Winter Suits—the very latest styles of 3 and 4 button cutaway sacks—made of all wool cheviots—in nobby colors in plaids and mixed paterns—qualities which every store in Baltimore sells for $10.

Inaugural Sale Price $6.35.

1,300 Men's very Fine All-Wool Cheviot, Cassimere and Bannockburn Suits—made in single and double breasted styles, in accordance with the latest dictations of fashion—lined with fine quality Italian cloth—trowsers cut small or medium width legs—others $12 suits.

Inaugural Sale Price $7.50.

1,700 Men's Fine Scotch Plaid Check Cheviot, Cassimere and fancy English Worsted Suits—triumphs of modern wholesale tailoring—all the newest and nobbiest effects of the season—in sizes to fit stout men, lean men and medium sized men—the same materials that the high priced tailors put in their suits—really $15 values.

Inaugural Sale Price $9.63.

MEN'S OVERCOATS. 900 Men's Beaver Chinchille Overcoats, the greatest values Baltimore has ever known—your choice of black or blue, with silk velvet collars, splendid trimmings, stylish fall models, the $10 values about town.

Inaugural Sale Price $5.98.

1,075 Men's Finer Quality Blue and Black Kersey and Covert Overcoats, made with broad French facings, and the very finest trimings, finished with the same painstaking care as is usually found in the tailors best coats, really $12 values.

Inaugural Sale Price $7.39.

Men's very fine black and blue kersey overcoats, lined with clay worsted, and the sleeves with Skinner's best lining satin, which is guaranteed, your choice of raw or stitched edges, in this lot are fine silk-lined overcoats, and not one should be less than $15, for that's what others get.

Inaugural Sale Price $9.25.

Gentleman's finest kersey and melton overcoats, made with fine worsted linings, with heavy satin sleeve lining, and the finest Skinner's satin lining at that, the best quality silk velvet collars, the most carefully tailored garments offered by any clothier, $20 values.

Inaugural Sale Price $ 0.98.

MEN'S PANTS.

600 pairs of "The Globe's" celebrated never-rip all-wool pants, handsome dark striped and mixed patterns, ten styles, absolutely and positively $2.50 values.

Inaugural Sale Price $1.50.

700 pairs of Gentlemen's all-wool pants, in handsome hairline stripes, neat plaids, and fancy mixtures, and in newest styles, well sewed, and with patent buttons, really $4 values.

Inaugural Sale Price $1.98.

900 pairs gentlemen's all-wool dress pants, in the neatest worsteds and cassimeres, in all sizes, too, and in all widths of legs, sewed with silk, equal to any $6.50 made to order pants, and $4.50 value in ready made goods.

Inaugural Sale Price $2.50.

BOYS' PANTS.

1,000 pairs of boys' wool cheviot knee pants, guaranteed the very best knee pants made to sell for 35c a pair, in all sizes, ages 3 to 15 years.

Inaugural Sale Price 19 cents

1,000 pairs boys' knee pants, just in, ages 3 to 15 years, made of strictly all-wool cheviots and cassimeres in plain effects and fancy mixtures, finished with patent waist bands and patent buttons, not a pair in the lot worth less than 75c.

Inaugural Sale Price 35 cents

500 boys' knee pants suits, ages 9 to 16 years, made of splendid cheviots, in good wearable patterns, no stamped stuffs, the regular $2 suits about town.

Inaugural Sale Price $1.39.

800 boys' junior and knee pants suits, in reefer and vestie effects, in the 3 to 8 year sizes, and double breasted styles in the 9 to 15 year sizes, six different patterns of fine all-wool cheviots and cassimeres, $3 values.

Inaugural Sale Price $1.98.

MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.

IF you want to SAVE MONEY call on R. THOMPSON, opposite Voshell House.

ENLARGED RECENTLY!

— NEW —

Fall and Winter Goods

ARE ARRIVING DAILY.

The Philadelphia Clothing House,

is now packed Full of All Kinds of Goods. Prices Lower than you will find elsewhere. A NEW STORE with NEW METHODS, NEW ENERGY, NEW GOODS is a positive attraction to the People. This is an age of reason.

Clothing! Clothing! Clothing!

Handsome School Suits for Boys' from **75c** to **$1.75**. Boys Knee pants 25c for **13c** only. Extra values in heavy weight knee pants **25c**. All sizes wool knee pants **45c**. Large assortment in Men's Pants from **48c** to **$3.00**. **FALL SUITS MEN'S CLOTHES** of all kinds from **$2.50** to **$15.000**.

Dry Goods, Dry Goods,

Handsome Brocade Dress Goods, 4c, 9c, 10c, 12c, 18c and 19c. Our Canton Flannel for 7c is something to Brag On. Men's Under Shirts 22c. Children's and Misses Under Shirts. Men's Top Shirts of all kinds at a very low price.

☞ Before Buying See Our HATS.

Shoes, Shoes, Shoes.

Men's Shoes from 98c to $2.25. Ladies Shoes from 75c up. Children's and Misses Shoes very Low. We are selling Men's $3 25 boots for $2.50, it is a beauty. Big Bargains in Men's and Boys' Caps. Don't forget to see our Overcoats.

What do you think of a fine Silk Bow for 19c.? Think of a Turkey Red Fast Color Table Cloth by the yard, 58 inch 22c.

Remember the PLACE and come and examine Our Fall and Winter Stock We have many Goods and room to show you the same, but have not room in this space to give all our prices which you'll find the lowest.

Yours for Bargains,

The Philadelphia Clothing House

Chestertown, Oct. 23, 1897.

New Fall and Winter Goods!

—AT—

R. BERGEN'S

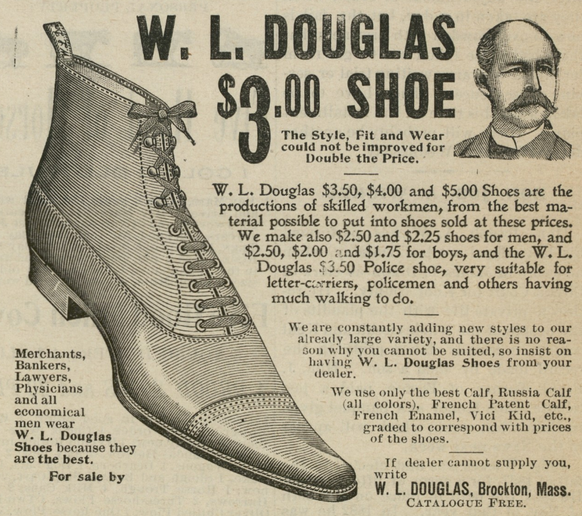
We Have Opened the Season with a Stock of Goods that beats the Record for Beauty and LOW PRICES. It Presents an Opportunity for Economical Buying that Nobody Can Afford to miss. My Store is Crowded with the Popular Styles, Late Novelties, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Dress Goods and Notions. I also have a Large Assortment of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Coats, also Ladies' Cloth and Plush Capes at astonishing Low Prices.

Millinery Department!

Now for Our Millinery Department that will not be Surpassed by any Season before. We are Showing now the Latest Novelties in Fall and Winter Hats and all Fancy Novelties that Complete a Fine Hat. Our Fine Walking Hats are a Special Feature for Early Fall Wear. Remember we also have Feathers, Wings, Eigrets and all Styles of Fancy Ribbons which are all used in Millinery this Season. Mourning Millinery a Specialty. We keep a full Line of Muslin Underwear, also a Big Assortment of Zephyrs and Germantown of the best make. We are Headquarters for Black Dress Goods. Yours Very Truly,

R. BERGEN,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.



W. L. DOUGLAS $3.00 SHOE

The Style, Fit and Wear could not be improved for Double the Price.

W. L. Douglas $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00 Shoes are the productions of skilled workmen, from the best material possible to put into shoes sold at these prices. We make also $2.50 and $2.25 shoes for men, and $2.50, $2.00 and $1.75 for boys, and the W. L. Douglas $3.50 Police shoe, very suitable for letter-carriers, policemen and others having much walking to do.

We are constantly adding new styles to our already large variety, and there is no reason why you cannot be suited, so insist on having **W. L. Douglas Shoes** from your dealer.

We use only the best Calf, Russia Calf (all colors), French Patent Calf, French Enamel, Vici Kid, etc., graded to correspond with prices of the shoes.

If dealer cannot supply you, write **W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.** CATALOGUE FREE.

Merchants, Bankers, Lawyers, Physicians and all economical men wear **W. L. Douglas Shoes** because they **are the best.**

For sale by

THOS. G. WROTH, Chestertown.

SURETY BONDS FURNISHED.

FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND,

Home Office:—Northwest Corner Charles and Lexington Streets,

BALTIMORE, MD.

RESOURCES April 30th, 1897:

PAID UP CAPITAL	$1,000,000.00
SURPLUS	750,000.00
RESERVE REQUIREMENT	397,691.09
UNDIVIDED PROFITS	153,608.03
TOTAL	$2,301,299.12
Losses paid since organization	$199,413.33.

THE OLDEST AND STRONGEST SURETY COMPANY IN THE SOUTH.

BECOMES SURETY on Bonds of Executors, Administrators, and in all undertakings in Judicial Proceedings. *Does nothing to conflict with the business of lawyers.*

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HERMAN E. BOSLER, SECRETARY AND TREA. **EDWIN WARFIELD,** PRESIDENT.

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