DETECTIVE WORK.

Kinsey and Smart Engaged in Western Maryland to Detect Criminals.

The following interesting account will no doubt be read with interest by our readers. The detectives, Kinsey and Smart, are the two gentlemen who were employed in Kent on the local option cases. The dispatch from Hagerstown says:

Percy Embley, it is said, has confessed that he burned the warehouse at Smithsburg owned by the Western Maryland Railroad Company and rented by Jacob T. Towson & Co., and that it was he who shot at Mr. Arthur L. Towson a few nights before the burning of the warehouse, and not Harold B. Richardson, who was tried on this charge, but the jury failed to agree, the jurors standing eleven for conviction, one for acquittal. The confession of Embley was secured by detectives John K. Kinsey and David C. Smart, Sheriff M. F. Seibert and two deputies.

Kinsey donned the dress of a tramp. The sheriff pretended to arrest him and put him in the same cell with Embley. The detective told Embley he had shot an engineer in Kentucky and he was arrested on suspicion. Together they planned to escape from jail, but the detective said it was not fair that he should have told Embley his crime, and Embley had not told him what he was in jail for. Embley told him, the detective says, he burned the warehouse in Smithsburg. He drew a plot of the premises, which the authorities have.

The next night the detective planned to have the full confession. Sheriff Seibert, Detective Smart and Deputy Sheriff Curfman concealed themselves close to the cell and, it is stated, overheard Embley as he told the whole of the burning and also of seven or eight robberies which have been committed around Smithsburg. Embley is alleged to have confessed that he assisted in robbing Towson's warehouse three times and Edward H. Sharrett's store. He implicated other persons. Emily (or Elmer) Bryum was arrested last night near Smithsburg by Sheriff Seibert and brought to jail in connection with these matters. Bryum is the son of L. Calvin Bryum, who is in jail awaiting trial at the November term for perjury in testifying in the Richardson shooting case.

Embley was arrested shortly after the fire. He had been out on ticket-of-leave, having been convicted at the February term of stealing beer. There was no evidence against him at the time of his arrest, but he was suspected.

Embley wrote two notes to Richardson, in which he says he shot at Towson. He also confessed to the shooting to several other witnesses. Richardson's case will come up in court to-morrow for retrial. It is likely the State may enter a plea of not guilty.

It is said Embley swore before the grand jury that he knew nothing about the shooting at Towson.

Sheriff Seibert last night detected Embley sawing through an iron bar in his cell with a saw made from an old knife.

Justice Ripple held Bryum without bail for a hearing Tuesday.

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Extra heavy Fine Towl 43 inches long, 20½ inches wide only	10	Fine Line Men's Scarfs, the genuine 50c silk and satin goods	35
Shirting Prints in Short Lengths	3½	Men's 75c and 1.00 Fancy Summer Shirts, sizes 16, 16½, from fire sale.	35
12½c Lawns and Dimities not half their value	5	Screen Doors ready to hang, sizes to fit any door	69
Ladies' Wrappers in medium light patterns for summer wear	75	Patent Window Screens, decorated, fit any window	48
1.50 Ladies' Pique Waists latest style, trimmed in 4 rows of inserting, only $1.00.	1.00	Handsome Plush Couch, trimmed with heavy fringe	7.50
Ladies Black Mohair Brilliantine Skirts, you would think the price would be $2.50.	1.85	Men's Summer Cassimere Pants, nobby styles	2.25
Eagle Brand Chipped Beef, can	10	Boys Summer Knee Pants	20

Remember Wednesdays are Bargain Days!

To persons holding our Cash Sales Slips to the amount of $1.00 or more, we will sell any three of the following items:

2 Pounds of Rice, per lb at	3c	2 lbs. Granulated Sugar per pound	5c	1 gal. of our best 28c Vanilla Syrup	20c
2 Bots. Defiance Yeast per bottle	3c	½ doz. Lemons for	5c	1 Dozen Cloths Pins	1c
2 lbs. of Good Prunes per lb	3c	One Pound Enterprise Coffee	8c	1 pound Clear Starch the best	2c
2 Bars Lenox Soap, this is 5c soap per bar	2c	1 pound Good Baking Soda	1c	Any Size Lamp Chimney	3c

Half-Dozen Good Clear Tumblers for 5c, for the set.

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CHILDREN'S DAY AT LYNCH'S.

Sunday night, May 28th, was a joyous occasion at the Lynch's Chapel. Long before sunset a vast assembly had gathered in eager anticipation of the event. The first thing to attract the attention of the patient audience was the beautiful floral decorations so artistically arranged by the ever ready and willing hands of the ladies and gentlemen of this community. At 7.30 the exercises were begun with the singing of the doxology and prayer by the pastor, Rev. E. C. McKoskey. Then followed the program which was rendered in the most admirable and effective manner.

Singing, "Go Preach the Gospel".....School
Prayer.....Pastor
Address, "Welcome".....Bertha Biddle
Singing, "Gods Holy Book".....School
Recitation, "Only a Smile".....Mary Neal
Recitation, "All for Thee".....Ruth Copper
Duett, "Wonderful Story".....Mrs Ellsworth Bowers and Mrs. Etta Akers.
Dialogue between two Boot Blacks.....Elmer Jones and David Biddle.
Singing, "Who will Help".....School
Recitation, "Just Forty Cents," Lottie Cooper
Singing.....Children
Recitation, "God's Messengers," Bertha Biddle
"The Lambs of the Flock," Frank and Walter Mann, Hallie and Lizzie Toulson, Ruth Copper, Charlie Jones and Charlie O'Neil
Solo, "Beckoning Hand".....Clara Mann
Recitation, "She Hath Done What She Could" Sarah Copper.
"The Two Kingdons"....Addie Cooper, Sarah Copper, Daisy and Elmer Jones, Robbie Fogwell and David Biddle.
Singing, "Loyalty".....School
Recitation, "Our Watch Word," Ruth Copper
Singing, "The Battle Song".....School
"The Volunteers".....Bertha Biddle, Mary Neal, Daisy Jones, Anna Fogwell and Lottie Copper.
"So Will We"....Ruth Copper, Charlie Jones, Leonard and Frank Mann, Hallie and Lizzie Toulson, Charlie O'Neil.
"Charles".....Daisy and Elmer Jones, Anna Foxwell, Sarah Copper, Addie Cooper and David Biddle.
Pastor's address and collection.
Closing Song, "On to Victory".....School
Benediction.

The collection exceeded all previous anniversaries, amounting to $21. David Biddle having collected the largest sum was awarded the first prize and Ruth Copper the second.

All the little children deserve great credit for their untiring efforts in aiding the cause of missions. The beautiful duett by Mrs. Ellsworth Bowers and Mrs. Etta Akers deserves special mention. Little Ruth Copper beautifully performed her part, but indeed all did so well that it was pronounced the best Children's Day Lynch's ever had.

Celebration—The Philomathean Literary Society of Washington College, celebrated its 7th anniversary on the beautiful lawn of Mr. R. G. Nicholson on Friday evening. Mrs. W. Frank Hines chaperoned the party in a most delightful manner and the evening was one of unalloyed enjoyment. The ladies present were: Mrs. Dr. Hines, Misses Annie Lambert, Mary Hurtt, Beulah Hayes, Jennie Vickers, Clara Vickers, Grace Wilkins, Jennie Hines, May Jones, Clara Jones, Mattie Davis, Emma Davis, Estelle Crew, Hallie Toulson, Mabel Toulson, Adele France, Bessie Wheatley, Susie Culp, Amye Russell, Mary Brown, Irma Eliason, Frederica Strong, Cora Emory, Bessie Nicholson, Hope Wallis, Helen Wilkins. Mr. R. G. Nicholson and family did everything possible for the pleasure of the company and a vote of thanks was given. The Normal Hall students were unfortunately detained at school.

Delegates to Convention.

The following persons have been named as committeemen from the several districts:

FIRST DISTRICT.
Dr. E. G. Clark, Henry J. Gray,
S. J. Johnson, A. Wilson Cochran,
Dr. N. Comegys, J. P. Cochran.

SECOND DISTRICT.
Garrett Foxwell, James L. Crouch,
Howard Gray, William R. Price,
J. Biddle Hossinger, Tilghman Shafer.

THIRD DISTRICT.
J. H. O. Stokes, Samuel Mann,
Harry Crew, T. Benjamin Crew,
A. S. Crawford, Henry Greenwood.

FOURTH DISTRICT.
Richard D. Hynson, J. Raymond Bowers,
Lewin W. Wickes, Josiah Massey,
Wm. F. Russell, Charles L. Dodd.

FIFTH DISTRICT.
James M. Wood, Wm. P. Durding,
A. Carroll Willson, James S. Moffett,
Walter H. Hadaway, Lawrence Stevens.

SIXTH DISTRICT.
Wm. T. Nicholson, Archibald Ramage,
Vincent Lee, Harry Rash,
S. H. Todd, Frank Lewis.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.
Wm. C. Townsend, Wm. E. Deford,
Wm. S. Scoone, Richard Groves,
Edward R. Jones, Wm. J. Fletcher.

WHEAT was quoted in yesterday's Baltimore papers at 78c.; corn 37½c., and oats 27@30c.

Accident.—George, the twelve year old son of George W. Sutton, of near Perryville, and well-known in Kent, met with a distressing accident Sunday, by which he lost a limb. He attempted to jump on a freight train, but missed his hold and fell beneath the wheels, which crushed his right foot at the ankle. Dr. George M. Stump found it necessary to amputate the limb below the knee, and the little fellow is reported to be doing very nicely.

IT SELLS ITSELF.—It is scarcely necessary for us to say a single word in commendation of Lion Coffee which is rapidly introducing itself in this section. Its purity, strength, invigorating qualities, rich aroma, perfect color and low cost have made it friends by the thousand. It has every coffee virtue, and after a single trial it sells at sight. It fairly realizes the demand for a perfect coffee—a strengthening, invigorating, refreshing drink. There are so many imitations of Lion Coffee that our readers should be careful and see that the lion's head appears on the wrapper; otherwise it is not genuine. Lion Coffee is never ground and is sold only in 1lb. sealed packets. Ask your grocer for it, and if he does not sell it try another store. When you have once tasted this coffee you will not regret the trouble taken in finding it.

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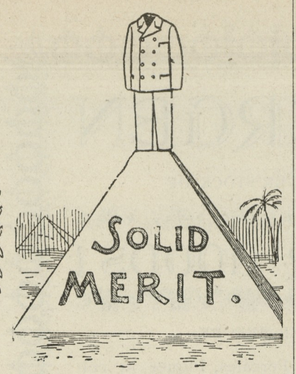
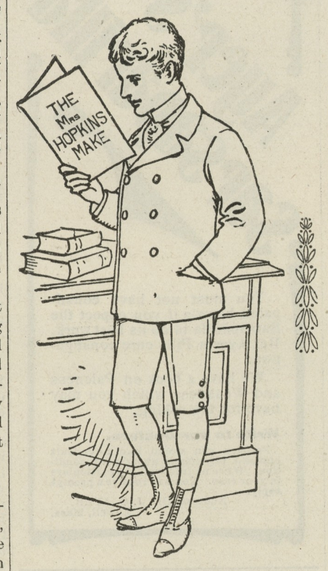


FOUNDATION PRINCIPLE — (fair dealing) has won for us the largest out-put, the most satisfactory business ever enjoyed by any one establishment in Kent or Queen Anne's counties.

Satisfactory we say—because our patrons are pleased. This season has by far eclipsed any former spring business, hence a great many of our lines are broken some of the new patterns in Men's Suits have only one 36 left, some 37, 38, others 40 and so on. these broken assortments will be sold especially low in order to close the lots.



Boys'

LONG PANTS, 3 PIECE SUITS, sizes 15 to 19 years, will be disposed of likewise. All irregular lines will be closed below market value.

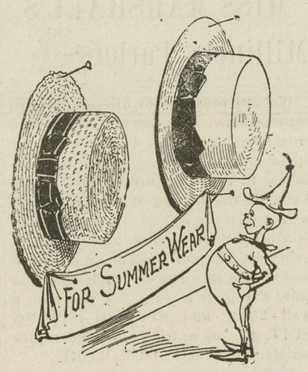
Children's

SUITS, sizes 8 to 16, we are offering some rare values. Bring the boy in early.

Beautiful

LINE OF LITTLE FELLOWS SUITS, sizes 3 to 8, Vestee, Refer and Blouse.

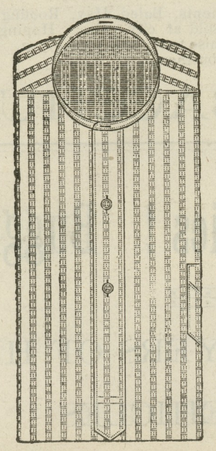
Hats



STRAW HATS,
SOFT HATS,
STIFF HATS

and all kinds of Hats and Caps, This House is generally known to be headquarters for HATS as well as CLOTHING.

Shirts and Neckwear



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ALL THE NEW HOSIERY.

Economically inclined people are invited to investigate the above.

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We begin the first Summer Month with lots of big values.

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New Goods and more low prices. Our "Active" business keeps our place free from old stock.

All goods bought from us are returnable for Cash if not satisfactory.

TIES, a beautiful line of Ladies' Neck-wear, all new. } 25c

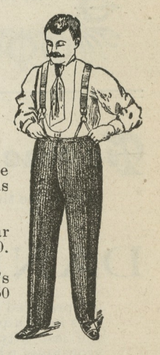
BELT BUCKLES, we have a rich line of Ladies Belt Buckles at 19c to 25c.

SKIRTS, we offer a Crash Skirt for only 39c. and a full line of Ladies' Skirts at - 98c. to $1.75

SHIRT WAISTS, a full line of Ladies' Laundred Waists at - 39c to 50c.

WRAPPERS, in Blue Calico for only 59c., and a larger line at 75c to $1.25

CLOTHING.



We think our line of Men's Suits leads the county.

We offer a regular 7.50 suit for $5.00.

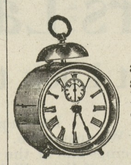
A good line Men's Clothing 3.75 & $4.50

MEN'S PANTS, This is a department of its own and we have made it great by offering big values. We have on sale regular $2 pants at - $1.39.

SUMMER COATS, surely we offer a bargain in Men's Thin Coats for only 39c. and 50c.

BOYS' SUITS, special value is offered in Boys Knee Pants at $1.25 & $1.50

MATTINGS, we are selling just the biggest bargains in straw matting for only 15c. ever offered. This has been a great matting season and it has been the big values and pretty patterns that have made it great. A large line at 9c., 12 1-2c. & 22 1-2c.



ALARM CLOCKS.

Buy a self-repeating alarm clock that will alarm for 30 minutes. Every one guaranteed only $1.50.

A good alarm clock for only 59c.

SHOES, we are always ahead in this line because we carry a stock large enough and correct enough to suit our people.

Line of Baby Shoes for only 15c. to 50c.	
Children's 1.25 Dongola & Russett	.98c.
Ladies Fine Shoes for only	$1.25
Ladies Shoes in Black & Russett	75c.
See our fine line at - -	$1.98
Ladies' 2.00 Oxfords Ties -	$1.50

Specials.

A good Glass Set, 4 pieces -	19c.
Large Agate Preserving Kettles	25c.
Extra size, blue enameled kettles	39c.
Screen doors, all sizes	59c to 95c.
Porch Rockers and a bargain	$1.39
A good heavy rag carpet	25c.
Our Special Buggy Harness -	$10.00

New line Baby Carriages at low prices, only } $3.98, $5.00 & $5.75.

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