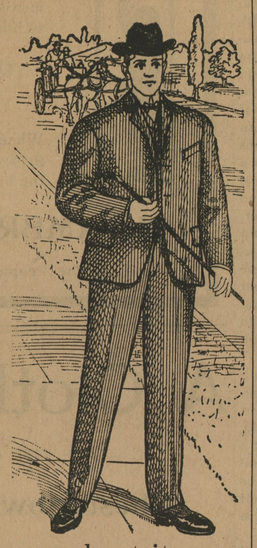
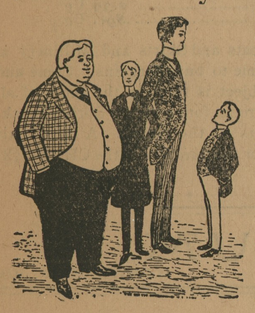
MOODY & LUSBY.

have you done with all your Clothing? asked a patron the other day. Sold it we answered. Yes—since we notified the public that all winter goods would be closed at reduced prices in order tomake room for our Spring arrivals. Our stock has shrunken very materially. People of Kent and Queen Anne counties have availed themselves, knowing when we advertise reduced prices, it is bona fide, and means something.



We still have a fair line of Men's Suits, and if you need a suit and we have your size, better see about it.

We will swap dollars with you on all remaining Winter Suits and Overcoats, which will be a very substantial cut from our former low prices and an incentive sufficient to induce any in need when they see the values.



We can fit most any who come even this late in the season, because our output being so large, we necessarially have a good many ODD SUITS left. DON'T DELAY TOO LONG THOUGH.

Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats will be closed likewise and we can suit anybody most.

Underwear, Gloves and all winter stuffs will be closed out likewise at uniformly cut-price prices to everybody, according to our well-established straight forward principles.

Our line of SPRING SAMPLES are now ready for inspection representing the largest **exclusive** Merchant Tailoring concern in the United States; so to you that are very difficult to fit in ready-to-wear Clothing, we extend a cordial invitation to come inspect same. Respectfully,

MOODY & LUSBY

DIRECTLY OPPOSITE COURT HOUSE. CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND

LOCAL NEWS

¶Mr. Wm. L. Fowler has greatly improved his home by a coat of paint.

¶The removal of the shed at Sappington's corner makes a great improvement.

¶The store and dwelling at Deep Landing, Rock Hall, owned by Mr. Benjamin Kramer, has been sold to a Mr. Richardson, of Baltimore

¶Early lambs are bringing $4.25 to $5 apiece. Mr. J. Walter Skirven shipped fifteen lambs to market this week. Col. Josiah Massey has sold his early lambs for $4.25.

¶The Wickes-Duyer house adjoining ex-Justice Lambert is being improved by a coat of paint. The house has also peen thoroughly overhauled and put in first class condition.

¶Walter U. Lusby will tear away the old shop occupied by Mr. Enoch Latham on High street and build an up-to-date business place for the well known cobbler. Mr. A. M. Culp has the contract.

¶The Chestertown Electric Light Co. have learned that their recent change of rates interferred seriously with their receipts and have wisely decided to resume the old rates on and after April 1st, 1903.

¶W. W. Beck, Esq., has brought suit against the Tolchester Company for $15,000 damages for drowning of a man at Shallcross' wharf. Mr. Beck has two Baltimore lawyers associated with him in the case.

¶The partnership existing between Mr. Herbert Fletcher and Capt. Johnny Vickers will be dissolved by mutual consent and they will sell the Sarah Vickers and the uncompleted gasoline boat at public sale April 14.

¶Dick Robinson has returned to Chestertown after a third visit to the House of Correction. Dick says he don't want to go back again and will make his home in Morgnec. It is said Dick left a bank account here when he went to the "Cut."

¶Butcher Thompson is certainly an expert in guessing the weight of cattle. He offered Mr. Walter Morris Wednesday $90 for three cows, or so much per pound, and Mr. Morris agreed to the latter. When the cattle were weighed they came to $89.50!

¶Prof. Harry D. Anthony, of Queenstown, was presented with a dead fox some weeks ago and in order to preserve it sent it to Chestertown to Mr. Warren Hurlock, a taxidermist of skill, who prepared it in fine style. It is now on exhibition in Mr. J. E. Ferguson's window, High street.

¶As far as known there are now no contagious diseases in Chestertown. There are but seven patients at the hospital and these will be set at liberty next week and Dr. Rohrer will return to his home in Baltimore. The case of diphtheria is convalescent and our physicians report the town remarkably healthy.

¶Capt. W. C. Eliason was in town Saturday the guest of Mr. Samuel Vannort. He obtained permit from the insurance company to build an addition to Tolchester Hotel. He says the Annapolis can beat the Susquehanna and that his company is better fitted than ever before to handle excursionists.

¶As stated in the NEWS last week, the will of the late John B. Harris will be contested during the April term of court. The contestants, Sallie V. McClary, Annie C. Melvin and Emma Shahan, daughters of the deceased, will be represented by M. deK. Smith and H. H. Barroll Esqs. The contestees, Lydia A. Harris, and J. Frank Harris, the widow and son of the deceased will be represented by R. D. Hynson and H. W. Vickers Esqs.

¶Marcus Ascher is the "fur king" of this Peninsula. He has bought this season 40,000 muskrat hides, 30,000 rabbit hides, 1,200 opossum and 1,500 raccoon, besides fox hides, pole cats, etc., all of which were bought in Maryland and Delaware. These hides are stored in his Baltimore warehouse awaiting shipment abroad. He can pick out black wool from white wool with his eyes blindfolded, and can pick out certain hides if mixed with other hides. He shipped 6,000 muskrat hides from Chestertown on Monday, which means $1,900 to the trappers. He paid 32 cents for muskrats, 55 cents for opossums, &c. Mr. Ascher ships his hides to London about April 1, where they are made into furs and shipped back to this country as "foreign furs."

¶"Hill Top," the popular rendezvous for summer boarders at McLane's corner, has been papered, painted, a new part added to front porch, and the proprietoress; Mrs. Wm. Godwin, says she is better prepared than ever to accommodate the public. She will have chickens large enough to fry in a few weeks.

¶It is a pleasure to note the success of The Bobbitt Chemical Company, of Baltimore, Md., manufacturers of Rheumacide, which is said to be a very superior remedy for rheumatism and other blood diseases. This company has grown from a small beginning until it is now one of the most extensive advertisers in the United States, using newspapers and other methods, also.

ROCK HALL COUNCIL No. 149, Jr. O. U. A. M., presented the public school with a Bible and flag last Friday afternoon. The presentation speech was delivered by Rev. J. W. Talley, of the M. E. Church. Prof. J. A. Greenwood thanked the order on behalf of the school in a short but appropriate address. About 20 members of the order were present.

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Dress Suitings.

We have just opened a rich assortment of Fine Woolen Dress Suitings for the spring Season.

The 50c Ladies' Cloths, in all the new colors, only **39c.**

Fine All-Wool Albatross in the new spring colors at **50c.**

Rich Spring Serges in the new weave, **50c, 59c, 98c.**

Plain Black Luster Mohair at **39c, 5oc, 59c.**

A beautiful line of New Spring Waistings consisting of the very newest weaves and colorings, all in patterns, no two alike, and the finest on the market, prices **50c, 75c, 90c** yd.

You can now get a fine Waist and with exclusive patterns and design at little cost.

White Goods.

The predominating feature of our Dry Goods Store will be White Goods for this season.

The best values we ever offered are on sale.

12c India Linens.....at **8½c**
15c India Linens.....at **10c**
18c India Linens.....at **12½c**
20c India Linens.....at **15c**
25c India Linens.....at **19c**

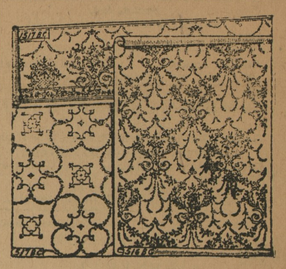
The best 12½c White Goods in neat checks, stripes and plaids and a choice of nearly 2000 yards for only **7½c** a yard.

The Rich 20c White Madras in beautiful designs, with mercerized stripes and fancy weaves, **12½c.**

The new designs in Fine White Goods for Dresses and Waistings at **12½c, 15c, 19c, 25c** to **35c** yd.

FOR Laces and Hamburgs you will see prices in next issue. We purchased over 2000 yards 9c and 10c Hamburgs for a big sale only 5c yard.

Wall Papers.

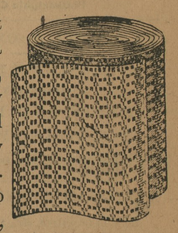


As Wall Paper has become a real necessity, we have given much attention to the department. Its growth has been wonderful and today we are showing the largest and best line of Fine Wall Papers in the county.

We belong to no trust.
Our prices do their own selling.
Fine 5c Wall Papers at **2½c.**
The 8c Wall Papers at **5c.**
The 12½c Embossed Paper **7½c.**
Beautiful Designs in New Wall Papers and in all colors at **10c, 12½c** to **20c** per roll.
We contract to put the paper on if desired and at little cost.

MATTINGS MATTINGS MATTINGS

Direct from the Importers and the largest and best line ever shown in Kent county. We have opened a New ROLL MATTING DEPARTMENT in our Annex, the Hall, and will sell Matting by the Roll on a very close cash basis. No yard-stick or scissors will be allowed in this Department. They are for sale by the roll only and at about one-fourth to one-third off the regular price. We have thousands of yards of Fine Matting ready to cut in any quantity in our store and at special low prices, but the Matting in our Annex will be sold only by the roll and at such low prices as marked.

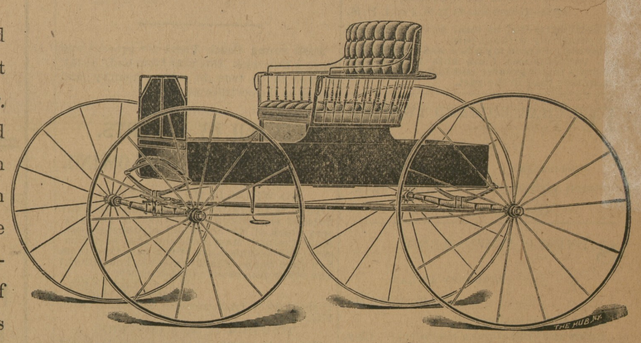


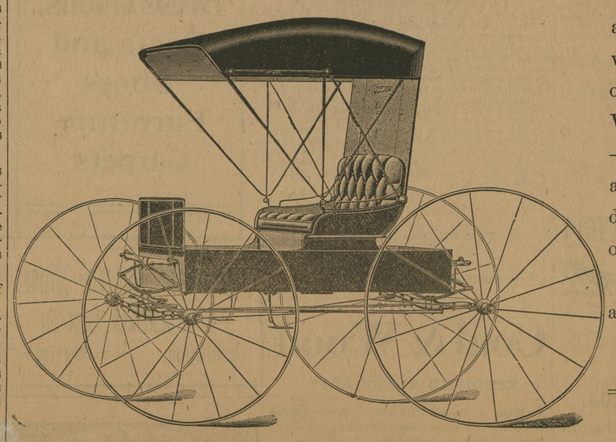
OUR NEW ADDITION LARGEST ON RECORD

WE HAVE OPENED THE

Largest Carriage Bazaar on the Eastern Shore.

We have purchased our stock in the most advantageous manner. Car load after car load have arrived and from the very best makers in the East. The Fine Moyer goods, the Waterloo goods and many of the best manufacturers are here represented, and we are pleased to state at our own special low prices. We belong to no combine—we shall sell Carriages as we do other merchandise—(no secrets)—simply one low price to everybody.





It will pay you to see us about Carriages.

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