

contains no novelties of any kind. It does not need any length of time without acquiring a new habit.

1902 A. That all note done in any of the counties of this State in reference to carrying out the provisions of said act, chapter 275 of the Acts of 1890, in reference to re-valuation or re-rating of personal property and the appointment of assessors, assessors or clerks in connection therewith, shall not be in any way affected or invalidated by this Act. That the assessor hereby named Ass. in note done in connection therewith declared valid, and commissions to be made shall, in the discharging of the County Commissioners of said counties, continue valid and be maintained to carry out the Act herein under this Act. Witness my hand and the seal of said County, this 10th day of January, 1902.

That any person who has perished or taken up any land in digging or cultivating oysters there, more or less years from the passing away and removal of the body, or such person or his children, should be considered as having made the land his own, and the same shall be so.

Due to the stigma of this not lawfully appropriate stone for the purpose of planting, but may become a source of soil loss for a lot of this not with all the "soilable," indeed the lower movement by the soil particles (in the circumstances of the land) which will result in building up the ground level.

Sharptown

LOCAL NEWS

Captain E. G. Bennett is home from New York.

Mrs. Harry E. Twilley and child arrived home Wednesday from New York.

Quite a number of families have recently moved into our town and we extend a hearty welcome.

J. Wilbur Phillips, engineer on the steamer Virginia, came over home on Sunday from Salisbury and was taken sick soon after he arrived home and has been unable to return. Job R. Elsey went over on Monday and took his place temporarily.

Walter G. Wright and Edward R. Walker left on Monday for Camden, N. J., where they will engage in work.

C. J. Grayson and W. T. Elliott have been making the lower section of the road this week procuring names of persons requesting the County Commissioners to build a bridge across the Nantuxet here.

Mrs. Lulah English has sold her farm to John S. Cooper.

F. C. Robinson has opened up the fender industry here, which has been closed down for some time.

The keel of a new barge was laid here on Monday at the Railway for the P. Dougherty Co., of Baltimore, to be completed by June 1st, 1906. The length of keel is 175 feet and length of beam 59 feet and she will carry, when completed, about fifteen hundred tons and will be used for the coasting trade.

The building committee of the M. E. Church has contracted with John T. Nelson, of Salisbury, to paint the interior of the church.

Rev. Benjamin I. Holt, a retired colored minister, died near here on Friday of last week of Bright's disease at the age of sixty-eight years. He was a soldier in the Northern army in the War of the Rebellion and had drawn a pension for several years. He leaves a widow, but no children. He had the yellow fever during the war. He was above an average among his race for Christian piety and was above the average of colored preachers. He was a very large man and about six feet three inches tall. He was highly respected by both white and colored.

Arrangements were made to take his remains to Norfolk, Va. and interment in the Government Cemetery, but it was found that the body could not be carried that distance, and interment was made at Shiloh Church, near his home, on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hawthorne of New Ark, Del., were the guests for several days last week of her sister, Mrs. Ida Eaton.

A Card of Thanks.
We take this method of extending our heart felt gratitude to the people who so kindly assisted us in the sickness and death of our mother Mrs. Jane Wright. Har Children.

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A case of smallpox was discovered Tuesday in the family of Josiah H. Porter, of Cumberland.

A barn on the estate of Granville Haines near Union Bridge was burned Saturday.

During 1904 the tin mines in the Federated Malay States yielded 50,000 tons of tin.

Out of 548,654 votes polled in the recent election in Mexico only 92,179 were against Diaz.

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"Hurry up, there, it is late!" cried my companions, as I stood undecided. All that remained for me then was the quilted dress of a Chinaman of rank. "Give me the Chinese," I exclaimed in disgust.

It was worse than I could have imagined. I will pass in silence over the ridiculous slippers into which I could pass only one-half of my foot.

The mask! It was, if I may express it so, an abstract physiognomy. The nose, the ears, the mouth and the eyes, though all in their proper places, were like nothing human.

"Yours will be the best costume there!" they cried, with laughter. And when I looked in the glass I, while my heart was ready to break and the tears smarted behind my eyes, I too, could not keep from laughing as they had done.

"Remember, we have sworn not to take off our masks!"

"Agreed! Agreed!"

My mask was, indeed, the most original at the ball. Several groups followed me at once, twisting me and turning me like a top from one side to another.

The circling crowd kept in my path so that I could not move, and at last the contagion of their folly caught me, and I laughed and screamed and said:

At last I saw her. "It is I," I whispered, eagerly. She raised her white eyelids slowly. A silvery laugh answered me.

"Yes, it is I! Why, why did you not come?"

She only laughed, laughed away. "What is the matter?" I cried.

"It is really you!" she replied. "Oh, how funny you are! how grotesque!"

My head fell heavily upon my breast, my whole attitude betrayed real suffering. She watched the dancers whirling by.

"Ah, but you are cruel to laugh in this way. Can you not guess, can you not see beneath this horrible mask the sorrow that fills my heart? Why did you lead me on to hope only to awaken me so cruelly?"

She turned toward me, a protest on her lips. But as she lifted her eyes to mine, a cruel laugh shook her body. Breathless, her eyes wet with tears, her face buried in the lace of her handkerchief, she said, weakly:

"Oh, in pity—look at yourself in the mirror there—Heavens, but you are—"

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It is the custom of all nations to
glorify their great men and reli-
gious leaders. Herodotus, pagan-
ism and all other religions in-
vest their divinities with supernat-
ural powers, and weave about them
a web of mystery impenetrable.
They locate their dwelling places on
distant mountain tops or in ocean
depths, or hidden away in gloomy
caverns, not to be seen by ordinary
men.

Christianity takes just the oppo-
site method. It declares that the
world's Redeemer came into this
world as a baby, grew up like any
other boy in the town of Nazareth,
worked at a carpenter's bench until
he was thirty years old, was not
particularly remarkable for any-
thing until he began to preach, per-
formed no miracles, and was not
considered a prodigy by those who
knew him until after He left His
home and began to announce His
mission, crowding into three short
years the unmistakable evidences of
His divinity, and passing out of life,
His mission ended, before He was
thirty-five years of age.

It is difficult for us in this age,
when the name of Jesus Christ to
millions upon millions of the wisest
men and women on earth stands for
the "only begotten Son of God," to
get back to the Babe of Bethlehem
and the boy of Nazareth and realize
that they are the same. Yet such is
the teaching of Scripture. Jesus in
His babyhood, childhood, boyhood,
young manhood was not different
from other children, so far as His
actions went. He grew like a child.
He was taught as a child. He learned
obedience as a child. The artist
paints a halo round His head in His
manly cradle, but there was no halo
save His virgin mother's hair as she
held Him to her breast. The paint-
ers put upon the canvas the interior
of the stable, and make it lumino-
us with the light that streams from
the newborn infant's face; but that
is without a particle of authority.

The apocryphal books which have
been written by superstition since
the New Testament was completed
are full of the most fantastic and
ridiculous tales of the miraculous
works of the child Jesus. They
say that this strange boy made mud
sparrows, and that he waved his hand
over them, and they immediately be-
came real birds and went flying away;
that He struck His boyhood playmates
dead and afterward raised them to
life. Billy trash!

Jesus as a boy did nothing re-
markable. He just grew up like
other boys. He ate like a boy—how
hungry boys can eat! He slept like
a boy—how weary boys can sleep!
He dressed like a boy—how boys can
wear out clothes! He went to school
like a boy—had His little slate and
stylus with which to do sums, and
came proudly home, no doubt some-
day bringing a prize He had won for
good scholarship. He played like a
boy—how boisterously boys can
play. I warrant you He did not sit
in the corner and mope on the play-
ground. If they played ball, He could
send the sphere as high and as far as
any of His playmates. If they ran a
race He would not be the boy to
come out behind. If they went swim-
ming in the "deep hole," He would
dive as deep and stay under water as
long as the best of them. Instead of
being regarded with suspicion and
criticism by the youth of Nazareth,
He was doubtless the most popular
boy in the village.

And yet while He was not what we
moderns call a "slimy," a recluse, an
infant prodigy, a spoli child, an old
head on young shoulders, the evil
that surrounded Him seemed never
to touch Him. He never seemed to
think it smart to utter profane lan-
guage. He had no secret vices. He
gave His mother no anxiety. Naza-
reth had a bad reputation. People
looked upon it then as a poor place
to bring up children, and the stigma
has stuck to it all through the ages,
but Jesus Christ grew up there and
never contracted a fault.

Only once is the curtain of obscu-
rity lifted to give a glimpse of this
boy at twelve years of age. Then He
was taken for the first time to Jeru-
salem, and feasted His eyes upon the
sights of the metropolis. The temple,
for every Jew, was the very hub
of the world. They felt that the
God of the universe dwelt within its
hallowed courts. There they took the
wonderful boy, and He saw the glo-
rious dimensions and beauty of His
Father's House.

And then the most natural thing
in the world, for Him, happened.
He wanted to know about things,
and when He saw some grave and
reverend men at leisure He began to
ask questions. And can't a boy ask
questions! Haven't we all been
astonished by the strange queries of
an inquisitive boy. How those old
gray beards must have had their
ideas shaken up by the artless ques-
tions of this boy who had already
begun to be a thinker. No egotism
about it, no Young America swagger,
but a frank, honest, earnest, sincere
desire to learn. They never forgot
that interview with a straight-for-
ward, artless, perfectly respectful
boy. That is the kind of boy Christ
was. He wants all boys to be like
that. He wants them to grow; to
grow physically, intellectually, mor-
ally, spiritually. To "grow in wis-
dom and in stature, and in favor with
God and man."

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AGE OF SNUGLING HAS PASSED.

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duced it to a Minimum.

For years the department was non-
plused to discover ways and means
of shooting or giving the professional
snuggler without persecuting the in-
nocent tourist. As a first step in the re-
formation the hundred-dollar limit was
incorporated in the tariff law. Since
the law went into effect—1897 to 1906

the aggregate amount collected by
Uncle Sam on personal effects has been
\$20,000, roundly speaking. Contrast
this with the estimate of \$100,000,000
worth of merchandise previously
brought into this country in the guise
of personal effects on which no duty
was paid and the revolution in revenue
tactics may be better realized.

In the chief cities of Europe the
treasury department employs secret
agents who keep track of sales made to
Americans by all of the big jewelers
and exporting houses. There are five
of these in Paris, four in London, three
in Berlin, and so on, each receiving \$3
a day and expenses. They receive
ready co-operation from the foreign
merchants, who do not wish to see the
smuggler undersell them in their legiti-
mate importing business. Certain big
houses abroad immediately notify the
treasury agents when an American has
made a purchase of diamonds, silks and
other dutiable goods. One noted to-
bacco house in Havana regularly gives
the same sort of warning. Moreover,
the treasury agents to divide the value
of seized goods with disinterested per-
sons giving a clue to a departure of
smuggled articles purchased abroad.

In addition, there are always em-
ployed to go back and forth on the big
ocean liners traveling "spotters," who
receive \$10 a day and expenses, and
whose business it is to ingratiate them-
selves with passengers and learn what
they can concerning their foreign pur-
chases.

Russian furs have, indeed, become so
relatively scarce by reason of the Rus-
so-Japanese war having paralyzed the
industry that the high prices they
bring inspire periodical attempts to
smuggle them into this country in
homemade quantities. Arriving on
the Hamburg-American liner Blucher
recently, a Cleveland furrier and four
members of his family quite forgot to
inform the customs officers of some
\$2,000 worth of sable, silver fox and
mink coats and muff.

By mere chance Deputy Collectors
Coney and Norwood, known in the
service as the men with Roentgen ray
eyes, observed the quintet coming down
the gangplank, and decided that the
young women of the party were of
amazing physical architecture. The
family was permitted to proceed un-
challenged to the letter H, and were
delivered to the baggage room, where
when the action of the little meto-
drama began. Gently tapping the head
of the family on the shoulder, they re-
quested the honor of a few minutes in
private with him. By way of denou-
ement, a woman inspector tapped a rich
vein of furs in the lining of their
gowns, while Deputy Collectors Coney and
Norwood made a similar discovery on
searching the leader of the party. When
the five Ohioans finally disembarked
they had shed enough weight to create
considerable astonishment among such
acquaintances as they had formed dur-
ing the voyage.

Excepting women, and occasionally
men, who are detected trying to evade
the payment of duty on articles of re-
latively small value, smuggling on an
extensive scale is generally limited to
dressmakers and out-and-out profes-
sionals. Sometimes where a person is
well known the inspectors are con-
strained to take his or her word in lieu
of a searching examination. And it is
seldom that any advantage is taken
of the courtesy, although, as in the recent
case of a California assessor, it was
an easy matter to hoodwink the cus-
tomers officers. Alas! He had brought
back anything but a small parcel
California assessor's small parcel
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RED LETTER DAY

At the Pittsville Grammar School, Pupil
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be called on at 11:45 o'clock from Super-
intendent Bonds, asking that the
school be called at 12:30 o'clock. Now
a telegram at our school is rather an
unusual occurrence and we could see
by the movements of the principal's
hand that he did not break the seal
of a straight line. But, after reading
it, he resumed his usual manner and
announced that school would be called
at 12:30 o'clock, that the pupils
would be wanted at that time whether
they got dinner or not. This caused
the pupils to cast an inquiring glance
at the speaker, but the cause seemed
to dawn upon them at once, and a
light whisper passed from one to
another, "Supper without Bonds is
complete." Then all looked pleasant
and a number were disposed to re-
main without dinner. They were also
disposed to brush, but were advised
that the dust would do less harm on
the floor than in the air.

At 12:30 Superintendent Bonds and
Miss Parkinson, teacher of music in
the Wisconsin High School, arrived to
the great delight of the principal and
those present.

The principal proceeded to intro-
duce Miss Parkinson to the pupils
present, and twenty minutes were
spent quite pleasantly discussing the
school work, after which school was
called.

Miss Parkinson immediately took up
some work in music in Mr. M. A.
Davis' room, and Superintendent
Bonds made a very interesting ad-
dress to the pupils of the principal's
room, the subject of which was, "Is
it not better to endeavor to be some-
thing rather than get a mere bundle
of dry facts?"

At the close of this period, the ninth
grade was called and a recitation in
Arithmetic was gone through which
the Superintendent pronounced satis-
factory. He then visited the other de-
partments of the school.

Miss Parkinson, after visiting Mr.
Davis' and Miss Shockley's rooms, re-
turned to ours and gave a lesson in
music which was very instructive and
enjoyable. This brought us to about
half past two o'clock when Mr. Bonds
having returned, to us suggested a re-
cess.

The pupils, having fallen in love
with Miss Parkinson, gathered around
her to have another word with her.
As the train was about due we had,
to our regret, to bid our friends good
day, but not without a promise of an-
other visit.

School was then called and we once
more took up our work with new zeal
for the remainder of the school day,
having as guests two patrons, Mr.
John G. Sheppard and Mrs. Sarah
Truitt. At the close of school the
literary club went into session having
on hand a debate. The president an-
nounced that no time must be lost,
and the judges were selected and work
began at once.

PITTSVILLE.

Mr. John W. Gordy of Indiantown,
visited Mr. R. S. Wimbrow this week.

Mrs. Fannie E. Dennis, of this place
is spending a week or two at her
daughter's, Mrs. Elijah Warwick, at
Jamestown.

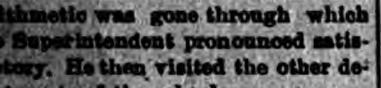
The protracted meeting is now in
progress at the M. E. Church of this
place. Hope to hear of much good be-
ing accomplished.

Dr. Dick, of Salisbury was called
to see Mr. T. A. Parsons Thursday
who is still quite ill. Hope to hear
of his recovery soon.

Mr. George Donoway and Miss Ella
Niblett were married Wednesday eve-
ning at the home of the bride's brother,
Mr. John Niblett, of this town. Both
the bride and groom are in their teens.
We wish the young couple a long and
happy life.

Miss D. May Farlow, our popular
school marm, who has been unwell,
we are glad to learn is able to be on
duty this week.

Our lumbermen are busy getting off
their lumber. Several of our farmers
have sold their timber. Look out,
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DELMAR.

Miss Martha E. Melson, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Melson, and Mr.
Harvey W. Kirk were united in mar-
riage by the Rev. E. H. Webster on
Wednesday afternoon at the M. E.
Church. "Oh Promise Me" was ren-
dered by Mrs. H. M. Waller. Organ
accompaniment by Mrs. F. E. Lynch.
To the strains of Lohengrin's wedding
march the contracting parties, pre-
ceded by the ushers, Messrs. S. N. Oul-
var, E. H. Terry, D. B. White and
Ozell Rogers, proceeded to the altar.
The bride was costumed in a travel-
ing suit of blue broadcloth with hat
and gloves to match and carried a
bouquet of roses. They took the 2.15
express for a trip to Washington. A
reception was served at the home of
the bride to the wedding party and a
few out of town guests. Among these
were, Rev. and Mrs. Webster, Mr. and
Mrs. H. M. Waller, Mr. and Mrs. F.
E. Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel N.
Oulvar, Mr. and Mrs. Ohas. H. Terry,
of Delmar, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J.
Downing, Mrs. W. Hearn, Miss Hast-
ings, Miss Ellis, of Salisbury, Mr.
and Mrs. S. T. Smith, Laurel, Mrs.
W. E. Lewis, Snow Hill, Miss Estelle
Conwell, Wyoming, Misses Gertrude
and Mabel Kirk and Miss Ewing. The
bride was the recipient of a large num-
ber of handsome presents.

The annual meeting of the directors
of the Delmar Lumber Manufacturing
Company was held on Tuesday. T. A.
Vessey is re-elected president; F. G.
Elliot, General manager; J. P. Mor-
ris, secretary and treasurer. This com-
pany operates a plant here and one at
Havre de Grace and does an extensive
business.

Rev. Phelps, the newly appointed
assistant rector to the Rev. W. H.
Higgins, conducted service at the
Protestant Episcopal Church last Sun-
day morning.

Lindale, the little son of Mr. and
Mrs. L. L. Hayman, was taken to
Philadelphia recently for treatment to
his eyes. He has become almost blind.

At a meeting of the directors of the
First National Bank held on Thurs-
day, J. P. Morris was re-elected pres-
ident; P. S. Shockley, vice president
and Samuel M. Oulvar, newly elected
second vice president.

The protracted meeting is going on
nightly at the M. P. Church and quite
a degree of interest is manifested.
Rev. E. H. Jones of Chincoteague Is-
land, Va., has been assisting Rev. E.
S. Fooks this week.

Wm. Edward Mitchell and Miss
Bessie Hearn were married on Wednes-
day evening at the M. P. Parsonage
by Rev. E. S. Fooks.

PARSONSBURG.

Miss Mary Leonard, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Leonard, of near
Parsonsburg, spent last week with
her uncle and aunt of Delmar, and
enjoyed herself very much.

Miss Ella Nichols spent last Sat-
urday and Sunday with her sister in
Delmar.

Miss Nora Gordy, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Clayton Gordy, of near Sa-
lisbury, spent last Saturday and Sunday
with her sister, Mrs. Ivy Whayland
and enjoyed her visit.

Mr. Maurice Leonard spent last Sat-
urday and Sunday with his uncle of
Delmar.

Miss Mary Leonard made Mrs. Ivy
Whayland a short visit this week.

Miss Bertha Adkins and her sister,
Mamie, spent last Sunday with their
uncle and aunt at Delmar.

Mr. Leonard Morris was in Delmar
last week, also Mr. George Brown.

WEST.

There will be the following services
on Focomoke Circuit next Sunday;
Friendship, Sunday School at 9.30 and
preaching at 10.30 a. m. and Christian
Endeavor meeting led by Mr. War-
ren Pusey at 8.30 p. m.; Union preach-
ing at 2.30 p. m.

The Sunday School has been re-or-
ganized at Friendship with the fol-
lowing officers for ensuing year. Sup-
t. Norman Pusey, Assistant Sup. S. I.
Bryden, Secretary, Miss Emma Mc-
Rae Pusey, Treasurer, Mrs. S. J.
Phillips, Organist, Mrs. Minnie Pusey;
Librarians, Elmer Pusey and Clara-
ence Carter.

Mr. Landie Layfield and Miss Grace
Livinston, of near Fruitland, were
married on Wednesday of last week at
the parsonage, Rev. P. J. Phillips,
the pastor, officiating. Mrs. Phillips
rendered the wedding march. The
bride party was accompanied by Miss
Carrie Livinston, sister of the bride,
Mr. Ross Livinston, her cousin and
Mr. Oscar Oulvar. After the cere-
mony, they repaired to the home of
the groom's parents, where perhaps
a reception was given.

On Wednesday of this week quite a
number gathered at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. T. P. Pusey and spent a de-
lightful day. Among those present
were Rev. P. J. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs.
George McAllen, Mrs. William
Brown, Oland Brown, Miss Beatrice
Brown, of Princess Anne, Mr. and
Mrs. Austin Pusey and Mr. Norman
Pusey.

Mr. W. J. Pusey and wife visited
Mr. Edward Bonds and family of
Lorinda, Wednesday.

Rev. P. J. Phillips and wife, W. S.
Pusey, wife and daughter, Miss Em-
ma McKee, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pow-
ell, Mrs. Orlando Smart were the
guests of Mrs. Mary P. Smart on
Thursday.

KELLY.

Walker Collins spent Sunday
at the home of Mr. Marion D. Col-

BIRCKHEAD-SHOCKLEY COMPANY

Great January Reduction Sale!

For a week we have been putting things to rights, turning stocks, searching for short lengths and odd lots, placing ourselves in readiness for days of quick selling. This advertisement contains only a fraction of what we have to offer for your advantage. Of this you may be sure. Every January Sale of the past—and they all have been notable enough—is to be excelled. This is shown in the soundness of the quality offered—the marvelous cheapness of the most desirable kinds. Nothing shall be left behind if prices will sell it. "Past events are present power."

WHITE SALE—Embroideries, Etc.

Table Linens.	Mohawk Sheets and Pillow Cases.	Embroideries: A Great Array.	Towels.
High grade, full bleached damask; heavy, firm; splendid laundry.	72x90 in. Sheets.....each 65c 41x90 in. Sheets.....each 75c 72x90 in. Sheets.....each 47c 81x90 in. Sheets.....each 90c All of the popular brands of Sheetings, bleached and unbleached.	At matchless low prices; all of desirable patterns. Corset cover effects, baby Irish effects, edges and insertions; Swiss, Cambric and Nainsook, including blind and open eye let patterns.	All Linen Hemmed Neck Towels. 17x33 in. size.....each 35c 21x39 in. size.....each 45c All Linen Hemstitched Neck Towels. 23x40 in. size—35c quality.....35c 23x43 in. size—50c quality.....38c

SHORT LENGTH REDUCTIONS.

Remnants of Lace, Remnants of Silks, Remnants of Lawns, Remnants of Linens, Remnants of Embroidery, Remnants of Dress Goods,	Remnants of Calico, Remnants of Outing, Remnants of Madras, Remnants of Percale, Remnants of Gingham, Remnants of Flannelettes,	Remnants of Muslin, Remnants of Sheeting, Remnants of Napkins, Remnants of Linings, Remnants of Table Linen, Remnants of Other Goods.
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CARPET AND FURNITURE PRICES TUMBLE. JANUARY REDUCTION.

REDUCTION OF CARPETS. SPLENDID ASSORTMENT.	AXMINSTER RUGS.	BED ROOM SUITS.
5c Tapestry Brussels.....at 65c yard 75c Tapestry Brussels.....at 60c yard \$1.10 Velvet Brussels.....at 85c yard \$1.25 Axminster Velvet.....at \$1.00 yard \$1.35 Wilton Velvet.....at \$1.25 yard	9x12 ft., \$38.00 kind.....\$33.00 9x12 ft., \$25.00 kind.....\$20.00 9x12 ft., \$18.00 kind.....\$15.50 9x12 ft., \$15.00 kind.....\$11.00 9x12 ft., \$12.50 kind.....\$10.00 8x9 ft., \$25.00 kind.....\$21.00	Bird's Eye Maple, Oak and Mahogany. \$45.00.....reduced from \$60.00 \$39.00.....reduced from \$40.00 \$30.00.....reduced from \$38.00 \$27.50.....reduced from \$35.00 \$23.50.....reduced from \$28.00

Birckhead-Shockley Company, Salisbury, Md.

Mr. John Shockley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Fooks.

Mr. Clarence Shockley, who died very suddenly in Snow Hill last Tues-
day night a week, was buried at Mt.
Olive Church, Friday morning.

The season has closed for shooting
rabbits and birds. Birds were very
scarce but there were plenty of rabbits.
On some farms you can find as many
as three coveys of birds. There will
be plenty of birds for another year
if we do not have a severe winter yet.

Mr. Leo Raark's little son, Africa,
is very sick with pneumonia.

There was a thunder storm over this
section Tuesday morning about four
o'clock accompanied by a down fall of
rain. It seemed like the spring of the
year.

Mr. John Davis' nephew who has
been very sick, is better.

ATHOL.

God has seen fit to take from us our
most active and beloved sister, Miss
Ruby Cox, aged 15 years. While on
her way to school last Monday, Janu-
ary 8, 1906, she was stricken with
heart trouble within thirty yards of
her school and in fifteen minutes fell
asleep in Jesus. She professed religion
one year ago and joined the W. P.
Church at Mount Pleasant, and I have
often heard her say she was striving
to make Heaven her home. I am sure
we all miss her greatly both her home
and church and together we mourn
our loss. She tried to do her duty as
least in her weak way. She was
kind, innocent, beautiful and loving
in her fidelity to church. Ruby has
left us. Like the pure lily she lived
and bloomed and over as the plant
bends before the wind she too groined
beneath the last storm of life. She
struggled for life, then bent her head.
She had said, before she was ready to
die and willing to go. The funeral
services were conducted by Rev. O. J.
Burdette at the home after which the
body was placed in the family burial
ground, which was followed by hosts
of relatives and friends.

Written by Superintendent,
E. L. Austin.

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Our Mid-Winter Sale of Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits, Overcoats and Pants.

Plenty of Style in this sale, as well as remarkable Bargains.
This reduction applies to all Fall and Winter Suits, Overcoats and
Trousers, which must be sold to make room for our Spring Stock.
Hence the great sacrifice of

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Baby Likes This Syrup

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"Yes." "I have just broken my glasses. Can you send for them and repair them at once?"
"Why, certainly."

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

ELKS IN LUCK

Ladies Of The City To Grace Bazaar To Help Liquidate Home's Indebtedness.

Many ladies volunteered their aid Friday night to the appeal of the Elks for the purpose of holding a bazaar to pay off the present indebtedness on the Elks handsome home here.

February 21, 22, and 23 were the dates set for holding the bazaar which will take place in the Assembly Hall of the Masonic Temple.

The committees in charge are:

Soliciting—Mrs. W. U. Polk, chairman, Mrs. Arthur Kennerly, Mrs. Granville Hamby, Mrs. Lucy Thorogood, Mrs. Elmer Williams, Mrs. E. C. Fulton, Mrs. J. B. Porter, Misses' Lottie Leatherbury, Annie Daehliel, Mary Belle Ruark, Elizabeth Collier, Louise Perry, Ruth Gordy, Cora Gillis, Sadie Malone.

Supper—Mrs. Harry Phillips, chairman, Mrs. Harry L. Brewington, Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Mrs. C. E. Harper, Mrs. H. J. Bryd, Mrs. B. Lee Waller, Mrs. C. Lee Gillis, Miss Edna Adkins.

Decorating—Mrs. E. Stanley Toadvine, chairman, Mrs. George Collier, Mrs. B. L. Leatherbury, Misses Mary Lee White, Irma Graham, Maria Ellegood, Louise Tilghman, Ola Day.

Correspondence—Mrs. E. W. Smith, Mrs. J. D. Wallop, Mrs. Lloyd Watson, Messrs. M. A. Humphreys, E. W. Smith.

Press—Misses Maria Ellegood and Mary Lee White, Messrs. H. L. Brewington, W. S. Gordy, Jr., A. F. Benjamin.

Committee on Art Gallery—Mrs. Ernest A. Toadvine, Miss Lizzie Collier, Miss Moore, Mrs. J. D. Wallop and Miss Lottie Leatherbury.

**Appreciate Their Remembrance On
New Year's**

Alms House, Wicomico county.

January, 22, 1906

Salisbury Advertiser,
Salisbury, Md.

Gents:—I desire to express through your paper the thanks of our inmates to Mr. and Mrs. Dick, Spring Hill, for the kindness shown to them on New Year's Day by sending them a large box of refreshments and dainty dishes. They were surprised but enjoyed them very much. They also said they would like to be able to return the kindness some time.

Respectfully,
Job Darby, Keeper.

DON'T NEGLECT A COLD. Neglected Colds Lead to Consumption.

**MISS LILLIAN POWELL
Aurora, Ind.**

**PE-RU-NA
CURES
COLDS
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COUGHS.**

How Pretty Miss Powell Was Restored to Health by Pe-Ru-Na

How Consumption Develops.

Nine cases of consumption out of ten occur in this way:

A person catches cold. The cold is not properly cured, and another cold is caught.

This cold is dilly-dallied with, either by no treatment whatever or some treatment that is ineffectual, and the cold continues.

Then another cold is caught and a cough develops. Cough, syrups are resorted to, but they give only temporary relief.

By and by the patient gets tired of taking medicines and cough syrups and gives up in despair.

The cold continues to develop and the cough grows worse.

Then the doctor is called in, only to discover that the patient is in the first stages of consumption.

It was just in this way that Miss Powell, of Aurora, Ind., became sick. She caught a cold, and not considering it serious, neglected it, thinking as many others do, that it would "wear off."

However, it clung to her tenaciously, and in two weeks she found her health in a serious condition.

Fortunately, Peruna had been brought to her notice, and she took a course of this remedy before it was too late.

In a week the cough and cold were broken, and a three weeks' treatment completely restored her to health.

This is what Peruna is doing all the while. Not a day, and probably not an hour passes in which some one does not have a similar experience with Peruna.

Cure the Slight Colds and Avoid Consumption.

The first step toward consumption is a cold. The next step is a failure to cure it promptly. The third step is the development of catarrh, which gradually becomes chronic. The fourth step, the catarrh begins to spread from the head to the throat, then to the bronchial tubes, and finally into the lungs. It is then consumption in the first stage.

At any time during the progress of catarrh, from the first onset of the cold to its final settlement in the lungs, Peruna can be relied upon to stop the disease. If you have taken a cold, buy Peruna without delay. One bottle in the beginning will do more good than a half dozen bottles after the catarrh has fastened itself on the lungs.

Thousands of Testimonials.

We have on file thousands of testimonials from people who have been cured of catarrh of the lungs by Peruna.

We can give our readers only a slight glimpse of the vast array of unsolicited endorsements we are receiving every month. No other preparation in the world

FRONT COVER OF W. F. ALLEN'S 1906 CATALOGUE.

LARGE PLANT BUSINESS BUILT BY MR. ALLEN

From Small Beginning, Now Twenty-One Years Of Age. Issues 60,000 Sixty-Page Catalogues This Year. A Remarkable Increase And Now It Was Accomplished.

The above cut represents the first page of Mr. W. F. Allen's 1906, Plant and Seed Catalogue. It contains, besides the four cover pages, fifty six pages, with over 100 half tone plates, zinc etchings and reproductions. It is pronounced by experts to be one of the completest strawberry plant catalogues ever issued. In addition to this line of which Mr. Allen is one of the largest growers in the world, if not the largest, he has listed a large selection of choice vegetable seeds, true to name and carefully grown.

Among these are, Beans, Beans, Cauliflower, Cabbage, Carrots, Egg Plant, Endive Celery, Cucumber, Kale, Lettuce, Mustard, Cantaloupes, Water Melons, Onions, Pepper, Parsley, Parsnips, Peas, Radishes, Squash, Tomatoes, Salafy, Spinach, Turnips, Pumpkins, Potatoes.

Besides these this catalogue furnishes a presentation of choice potted Strawberry plants, Dewberries, Raspberries, Currants, Gooseberries, Grapes, Asparagus Routs, Sweet Corn, Field Corn, Oats, Cow Peas, Soy or Soja Beans, Flower seeds and practical farming implements.

Mr. Allen made his start in the plant business in 1885, twenty one years ago and since then through continuous, well directed push and far sighted enterprise has gone steadily ahead and has kept in the lead by operating on an up to date broad minded policy.

Those sending their orders may know that they will receive as good as is grown and their money's worth in whatever they order, that has been proven to possess high merit through experienced test. Mr. Allen is as careful today in filling his large bulk of orders as he was 21 years ago, when he started with \$15 of borrowed capital and was then to fame and fortune unknown.

Indeed, he owes his present large business to a constant careful attention to every detail in seeing that what he sells comes up to the first standard of excellence, in prompt filling of orders, and uniform courtesy to all.

The cluster of strawberries above is a fine drawing of the New Home, one of Mr. Allen's specialties. Of his early business, Mr. Allen says:

Early Years.

"From this (mentioned elsewhere) small beginning the business has grown more or less each year, until as much as twenty thousand dollars' worth of plants have been sold in a single season, representing from six to seven millions of plants, weighing when packed ready for the mail and express between seventy and eighty tons. From the first it was my motto to send out first class plants that would so please my customers that they would continue to send their orders to me. This, to a very great degree, has been accomplished as many of the customers who bought from me when I first commenced the business, are still sending me their orders. To be sure, in twenty one years of plant business, we have had a few complaints, but I think as small a proportion perhaps as anyone in the business who has handled as many orders, and I am sure that no one has tried harder to have every customer satisfied. For this large increase in business, I feel very thankful to my many customers.

Season Of 1904.

"The growing season of 1904 was an unusually bad one and my stock of plants was very much smaller than for several years previous. Owing to this fact, I did not solicit new customers through the advertising columns of the Agricultural press, but did all in my power to take care of my old customers, to do which I had to buy a few plants; these, in every case, were bought from those who sent out good stock, or where I had furnished plants and knew the stock to be pure and good.

Seeds.

Last season, I offered quite a number of varieties of seeds; this year, I am offering a full line of a short list of the best varieties of all vegetable and farm seeds. Quite a number of these have been grown on my farm, Salisbury, Maryland, especially several varieties of corn, soy beans, cow peas, and other crops. All of these seeds are pure and good.

COMMISSIONER TOADVINE

Of The State Land Office Makes Report Of The Past Two Years Work. Increasing Business.

The Biennial report of Commissioner Toadvine to Governor Wardlaw just issued covers a period of two years, October 1, 1903 to September 30th, 1905. It is a creditable administrative functions of that office.

There are 83 pages in the report. Commissioner Toadvine says: "My correspondence from October 1st, 1903 to September 30th, 1905, consisting of 2815 letters, as compared with 2678 letters the previous two years, shows an increase of 137 letters. Copies made containing 549,780 words as compared with 535,740 words the previous two years. Searches 975, as compared with 900 searches the previous two years."

The records of the Land office have been increased 70 volumes during the two years, and now aggregate 33 volumes—33 volumes of Land office records proper, 145 volumes of private and general land records, 280 volumes of chancery records and 280 volumes of chancery papers and a very large number of maps and miscellaneous papers. Over 30,000 certificates have been issued, numbered and indexed. The jacket showing name of county, tract of land, number of acres, and perches, for whom surveyed, date of survey, when returned and endorsed, when composition money paid and date and to whom patented; also when certificate and patent are received. 3,510 bundles of Chancery papers have been jacketed, numbered and indexed since the last report, making a total of 6,510 bundles of Chancery papers jacketed, numbered and indexed.

During the two years Commissioner Toadvine received and paid over to the State from fees \$2,374.18, and for caution and composition money, \$652.96, a total of \$3,027.14.

Warrants issued during the past year covered 163. Common warrants 33; special warrants, 15; special warrants of re-survey adding vacancy, 1; special warrants for re-survey for building and possession, 12; special warrants of estate, 8; special warrants of partition, 1. Eighty-five patents were issued, granting 7,280 acres, of which 3,556 acres were vacant land.

Patents issued to residents of Wicomico county: Joshua J. Dyer, 15 acres, 34 perches; George D. Dyer, 276 acres, 3 rods; E. B. S. Turner, 1 rod; A. A. F. Turner, 30 acres, 1 rod.

Banquet Given Officials Of Farmers' Institute.

The Farmers' Institute, under the direction of Mr. William L. Amos, of the Maryland Agricultural College, held its annual session in Pocomoke City Friday and Saturday. Those who addressed the meetings were Mr. C. M. Llewelling, of Beaver, Neb.; Jared Van Warner, of New York; Charles Chalmers, of Vineland, N. J.; and William L. Amos, of Salisbury. The sessions were unusually well attended, and great interest was manifested among the farmers and citizens generally.

A banquet was given in the House in honor of the visitors by citizens of the town, at which Mr. Amos, present. Toasts were responded by Mayor E. James Tull, William L. Amos, C. M. Llewelling, Rev. J. H. Moore and L. Paul Kwiek. John W. Ennis, secretary of the institute, was toastmaster.

California, Iowa, Michigan and in Idaho. My Cabbage Seed are all Island grown, and of very fine quality.

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"My facilities for handling your orders for either plants or seed are better than ever before. My new residence, see front cover, is located in the corner of my 400 acre plant and seed farm, and is a large and commodious barn and stable for housing stock, storing hay, corn, etc., having been completely remodeled. A large sweet potato house for storing sweet potato seed just finished, capacity 2000 bushels, a complete water system has also been installed, with a capacity of 28,000 gallons, and watering stock, supplying residences, watering plants in hot beds, frames, and all other purposes for which water is required, pumping capacity, 40 gallons per minute; concrete are used in the erection of a large and substantial equipped packing and storage house with several times the capacity of the old one, this to be completed by the rainy 1st; all of which will be lighted by electricity in the near future. A large store room has been built in the business center of Salisbury, for seed trade, which will be ready to receive the seed of the coming season. I have

Department

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Salisbury, Md., December 16 1905.

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Ideal Headache
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do not contain a grain of these dangerous substances. They are a quick and positive cure for Headache and Neuralgia, and have no bad after-effects. Price 10 cts. All druggists.

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| Remnants of Percale | Remnants of Swiss Embroidery |
| Remnants of Gingham | Remnants of Laces |
| Remnants of Calico | Remnants of Chambery |
| Remnants of Flannel | Remnants of Muslin |
| Remnants of Flannel | Remnants of Cambric |
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The Most Remarkable Sale Of Boys
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Reduction as of one sort or another are usual at this season of the year, this sale is no fake. Lacy Thoroughgood has made the price so low, and the suits are so good that any body can tell this sale is no fake, the reductions are so sharp and decisive as to leave no question in the mind of anyone who calls here that this is an occasion unlike anything they have seen or known heretofore. There can be no doubt that we mean business, that we are determined to clear this store of boys and children's suits regardless of first cost of the goods or their actual worth in the market at this time. We have got to make the figures so low, make the values so imperative, that those who have already supplied themselves early in the season will be forced to add to their purchases and lay in an extra outfit, forced, we say, because they can't afford to let the chance slip—Lacy Thoroughgood has one thousand dollars worth of boys' long pants suits 14 to 18 years and just as many children's short pants suits 4 to 10 years and he's determined to sell them no matter what they bring—they are grand clothes, brand new this season, and every suit will be sold less than cost to get the money and get the room. If you miss this sale you'll miss a snap—just come and look.

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SALISBURY, MD.

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OUR SHOE SALE.

Commencing Friday we start our annual clean-up of our entire shoe stock. Every odd-and-end line is offered at less than cost, and in some cases one-half original cost. Can you miss this sale? Guess not, if you intend wearing shoes. Don't delay your purchases; it will be dangerous.

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We heartily thank your many friends for the last year's patronage, and sincerely wish you all a happy and prosperous New Year.

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The trouble is almost always caused by defective sight. Always consult an eye specialist when your eyes are sore and you cannot continue for any length of time to read small objects. When the eyes smart or water; when the eyelids get inflamed often; or when you have pain in the eyeball, with tearing or far vision, covered all general defects.

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Bargains In Every Department. This Sale is to be one of the greatest in our history. REDUCED PRICES on Ladies' Coats, Furs, Clothing, Underwear, Blankets, Dress Goods, Dry Goods, Hosiery, etc.

Remnants We have taken from our stock all the short lengths and ends of Dress Goods, Silks, Table Linens, White Goods, Gingham, Calicoes, Silkolines, Hamburgs, Laces, etc.

EXTRA SPECIALS. White Bed Quilts, \$1.25 value, this sale 95 cts. White Bed Quilts, \$1.75 value, this sale \$1.45. Flannellettes, 10c and 12c value, this sale 8c. Outing Flannel (light and dark), 8c and 10c value, this sale 7c.

REMEMBER—This sale will last only two weeks.

R. E. Powell & Co.
SALISBURY, MD.

LOCAL Correspondence

FROM ALL SECTIONS OF WICOMICO SENT BY THE ADVERTISER'S REPRESENTATIVE.

COLUMBIA.

Our farmers have been taking advantage of the warm weather, which has prevailed since '06 came in by finishing up all of last year's work and now are making rapid progress on this year's work, by hauling and spreading lime and in fact preparing land for spring crops. Thus far the new year is much unlike its predecessors in the particular of so much warm weather which has started all grass growing, birds to singing and placed turpentine on the bill of fare.

The O. U. A. M. which meets at Columbia on Wednesday evenings have elected and installed the following officers for the present term: C. L. J. Phillips; B. S. L. T. Cooper; A. E. S. J. P. Beach; F. S. W. S. Owens; Treasurer, E. J. Owens; Ind., J. W. Bailey; Exam., C. M. Kenney; I. P., S. J. Lowe; O. P., L. H. Rider; Trustee, W. J. Waller; Rep., J. S. Cooper.

John B. Cooper and Co., have recently purchased several small tracts timber near Riverton, Md.

Irving Owens has purchased a small mill and after making extensive repairs to the machinery settled it on the farm of W. S. Owens near here and is at present cutting timber for Owens and Rider.

Arthur L. Mills and Joseph Phillips are making preparations for raising apples for northern markets. This is a new industry and we wish it much success.

The Delmar and Riverton Telephone Co., made the proposed connection with the Diamond State Co. last week. Many of the residents here have tried the lines connected and say the service is good, and after the new phones are installed the line will be uniform to all points reached by the two companies.

Thursday evening of last week wedding bells again tolled their joyous melody when Vernon B. Owens of this place and Lizzie Wright of near Marlboro were united in matrimony at St. Herman church by Rev. H. W. D. Johnson. The wedding march was beautifully rendered by Mrs. Edna Phillips. The bride wore a gown of mousseline and carried carnation while the groom wore conventional black. After the ceremony they proceeded to the home of the groom where a reception was given to several invited guests and relatives. All the delicacies of the season were in abundance and a band of jolly serenades furnished music out of doors. Mr. and Mrs. Owens will reside at Columbia. We extend kind wishes and wish them much success on the sea of "Married Life."

DELMAR.

Mayday Council No. 16 Junior Order of United American Mechanics gave a banquet in the Masonic Temple this evening. It was attended by a large number of members and invited guests. Music and tableaux constituted the entertainment. The refreshment table was beautifully spread with fruits, confectionery and ices. The Council has about one hundred and fifty members.

Advertised Letters.

Miss Lanta C. Ayres, Ella Brittingham, Mrs. Baby Bonner, Miss Mabel Oakes, Mr. Theodor Clark, Mrs. Martha Oaker, Mrs. Annie Dykes, Mrs. Josiah Hastings, Mr. Horace Hastings, Miss Clara Holloway, Mrs. Currie E. Henney, Mr. Clarence Kelley, Mr. Will Lakites, 2, Harry F. Lynch, Mr. H. D. Mullin, Mrs. John Mavin, Mrs. W. I. Parsons, 2, Mr. Levin Records, 2, Mr. Perry Reese 2, Mr. Claude Sears, Miss A. M. Shockley, Elton John Smith, Mrs. D. B. Sargent, Roscoe Wilkins.

Take Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in time; you know, cold and cough breed assumption.



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Is youth come home to you in old age? A rainy day is sure to come and you should be sure to provide for it.

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Watch it grow. Our methods insure your money grows fully and fast.

HEBRON.

The warm weather of the last few days has been very spring like. The townfolk enjoy the drives and walks through the country.

Mr. Percy Nelson left Tuesday for Philadelphia.

Miss Sadie Lowe is spending the week with Mrs. Whitefield S. Lowe, of Spring Hill.

Several of our townfolk attended the Taylor-Cooper baptisms Monday at Quantico.

Miss Sadie Lowe of Wilmington, Del., visited friends in town this week.

The "Wonder Social" that was given for the M. P. Church last Saturday night was a success and very well attended.

One of our past residents, Mr. William Truitt, but now of Salisbury, made a business trip here this week.

Misses Emma, Mattie Wright and Miss Lola Phillips spent Sunday with the Misses Gillis.

The young people of the town and country gave Miss Lola Phillips a surprise party last Wednesday evening. Many innocent games were played by those present which were Misses Mammie, Emma, Mattie, Bertie Wright, Ella Culver, Sallie and Bertha Gillis, Lola Wilson, Bertha Howard, Virgie Nelson, Nellie Davis, Essie Freney, Lola Phillips, Hettie Twilley, Messrs. Rodney, Howard, Charlie, Walter and Clyde Taylor, Roby and Warren Wright, William Venables, Roy Walter, Roy Gillis, Elmer Bradley, Grover Cooper, Garfield Wilson, Walter Howard and Herman Phillips.

Contractor and Builder, Mr. H. S. Phillips, has just completed a fine residence on Walnut Street, and is now erecting one on Oriental Avenue for Mr. Henry Seabrook.

Sailing A Sleigh.

A remarkable adventure befell a Tolley, N. D., man last week, says the Minneapolis Journal. While the Tolley Topics did not have a reporter on the spot, it secured and printed the story, but without those sidelights and highlights that the incident seems to demand.

Michael Pattison, a young farmer near Tolley, was driving home in his sleigh across the prairie. The wind had beaten down the snow, the warm wave had melted the top layers and the cold nights had frozen them until there was a crust on the snow that would bear a man's weight. The horse, remembering the barn, was making rapid time for home when the sleigh went into a thank-you-ma'am and remained there. The horse and shafts went on home.

Pattison stood in the road, stamped his feet and cursed the lack. A fierce wind was blowing in the direction of home and he had about made up his mind that it would be fairly easy to walk the ten miles when an idea struck him. It was a life saver. Pattison pulled the sleigh out of the rut and dragged it out on the prairie. The wind was so fierce that the sleigh would almost skid along of itself. But Pattison, with two slats and some wire, rigged up the lap robe as a sail, gave the craft a running start, jumped in and was at once slipping across the prairie like an iceboat. The only trouble was that there was no certain way to guide the craft. But Pattison hung one leg out behind and did some little steering with it. Fortunately the wind was in exactly the right quarter or he would have to do some lying about how Pattison "tacked."

Facts compel us to admit, however, that the wind was right. The craft quickly overtook the astonished horse, who had now reduced himself to a trot, and soon left him hull down in the distance. In fact, the sleigh and occupant arrived home twenty minutes ahead of the brute and in snatching up hanging into the barn so hard that it frightened the cow.

When the hero of this tale told it on the streets of Tolley the Tolleys started a little and looked surprised. Some of them whistled softly and looked meditatively away at the horizon. Others doubted.

COUNTY TREASURER'S

QUARTERLY REPORT FOR QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1905.

RECEIPTS.	
Taxes from Levy of 1905	\$322.03
Taxes from Levy of 1904	5,105.24
Taxes from Levy of 1905	4,971.54
Mortgage Tax	702.05
Interest	304.43
Justices of the Peace	10.70
Treasurer Worcester County	655.00
Balance on hand Oct 1.	22,044.08
Total	\$33,055.07

DISBURSEMENTS.

Elections	\$209.92
Roads	2,812.55
Public Schools	9,747.50
County Commissioners	213.14
Sheriff	592.97
Order to Court	101.80
Health Officer	95.96
Constables	121.73
Attorneys	1,685.01
Ferries	261.81
Surplus	1,302.90
Interest	50.50
Court Expenses	1,183.59
Secretary, Treas. and Assistant	700.00
Bridges	347.85
Court House	3,107.09
Jail	174.55
Alms House	458.76
Comptroller	6,585.01
Penalons	5.00
Refugees	11.50
Amounts allowed	71.45
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1906	\$1,752.50

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Great January Reduction Sale!

For a week we have been putting things to rights, turning stocks, searching for short lengths and odd lots, placing ourselves in readiness for days of quick selling. This advertisement contains only a fraction of what we have to offer for your advantage. Of this you may be sure. Every January Sale of the past—and they all have been notable enough—is to be excelled. This is shown in the soundness of the quality offered—the marvelous cheapness of the most desirable kinds. Nothing shall be left behind if prices will sell it. "Past events are present power."

WHITE SALE—Embroideries, Etc.

Table Linens.

High grade, full bleached damask; heavy, firm; splendid laundry.
68 in. wide, 60c quality.....47c yd
70 in. wide, 75c quality.....65c yd
72 in. wide, \$1.00 quality.....85c yd
72 in. wide, \$1.25 quality.....\$1.15 yd

Mohawk Sheets and Pillow Cases.

72x90 in. Sheets.....each 63c
81x90 in. Sheets.....each 75c
72x90 in. Sheets.....each 47c
81x90 in. Sheets.....each 60c
All of the popular brands of Sheetings, bleached and unbleached.

Embroideries: A Great Array.

At matchless low prices; all of desirable patterns.
Corset cover effects, baby Irish effects, edges and insertions; Swiss, Cambric and Nainsook, including blind and open eye-let patterns.

Towels.

All Linen Hemmed Huck Towels.
17x38 in. size.....each 13c
21x39 in. size.....each 21c
All Linen Hemstitched Huck Towels.
22x40 in. size—35c quality.....26c
22x43 in. size—50c quality.....38c

SHORT LENGTH REDUCTIONS.

Remnants of Lace.

Remnants of Silks.

Remnants of Lawns.

Remnants of Linens.

Remnants of Embroidery.

Remnants of Dress Goods.

Remnants of Calico.

Remnants of Outing.

Remnants of Madras.

Remnants of Percale.

Remnants of Gingham.

Remnants of Flannelettes.

Remnants of Muslin.

Remnants of Sheetings.

Remnants of Napkins.

Remnants of Linings.

Remnants of Table Linen.

Remnants of Other Goods.

CARPET AND FURNITURE PRICES TUMBLE. JANUARY REDUCTION.

REDUCTION OF CARPETS.

SPLENDID ASSORTMENT.

85c Tapestry Brussels.....at 65c yard
75c Tapestry Brussels.....at 60c yard
\$1.10 Velvet Brussels.....at 85c yard
\$1.25 Axminster Velvet.....at \$1.00 yard
\$1.35 Wilton Velvet.....at \$1.25 yard

AXMINSTER RUGS.

9x12 ft., \$28.00 kind.....\$23.00
9x12 ft., \$25.00 kind.....\$20.00
9x12 ft., \$18.00 kind.....\$15.50
9x12 ft., \$16.00 kind.....\$11.00
9x12 ft., \$12.50 kind.....\$10.00
6x9 ft., \$25.00 kind.....\$21.00

BED ROOM SUITS.

Bird's Eye Maple, Oak and Mahogany.

\$45.00.....reduced from \$60.00
\$32.00.....reduced from \$40.00
\$30.00.....reduced from \$38.00
\$37.50.....reduced from \$35.00
\$32.50.....reduced from \$38.00

Birckhead-Shockley Company, Salisbury, Md.

Resolutions Of Respect.

Wigwam of Sinepuxent Tribe No. 16 Imp'd O. R. M., Whitesville, Del., January 6th, 1906. G. S. D. 415.

Whereas, the Great Spirit, whose eye is pity and whose heart is love and in whose hands hang the lives of all men and the destiny of nations and to whom all must submissively bow has in his infinite wisdom seen fit to remove from the Temporal Wigwam of Earth, our Brother, James H. Downing. He in his spirit has wandered away and is now ascending the celestial trail that leads to the country of Spirit, where all is happiness. Death has lifted the veil that hides this abode and he has entered this. Again, we are reminded that life is but a sphere. It is as brief as a fading flower and that pride proves wealth and poverty are alike victims to the iron tooth of time. Therefore be it

Resolved by the Brothers of Sinepuxent Tribe No. 16 Improved O. R. M. that we extend to the bereaved family our tenderest sympathies in this their deepest of sorrows. May they look to him who can grant them consolation of hope beyond the grave.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent the bereaved family under the seal of the Tribe, also spread upon the Records of our Order and a copy be sent to the county papers for publication.

Ell W. White,
J. T. Wall,
J. S. Carey,
Committee.

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Our Mid-Winter Sale of Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits, Overcoats and Pants.

Plenty of Style in this sale, as well as remarkable Bargains. This reduction applies to all Fall and Winter Suits, Overcoats and Trousers, which must be sold to make room for our Spring Stock. Hence the great sacrifice of

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