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The Responsibility.

"The Democracy has made no record on the silver question, in a national sense," and "is no more to be held responsible for the utterances of a few of its prominent members than is the Republican party for the views of Senator Stewart and some half a dozen other Republican United States Senators," says the *Advocate* in reply to the SENTINEL'S assertion that the Democrats "cannot ignore the record they have made concerning" the matter in question. An exception, it is said, is proof of a rule, and, as it happens, the Republican Senators and Representatives who voted for unlimited coinage were exceptions to the action of the great body of the Republicans in Congress. Exactly the reverse is true of the Democrats. The Democratic Senators and Representatives who voted against free silver were the exceptions. Most of their associates voted in favor of the measure. It cannot be said that they were moved to this course in the House of Representatives by any other motive than approval of the free coinage scheme. It has been claimed for Mr. Gorman, in the Senate, that he gave the bill his approval as a consideration for Republican votes against the so-called force bill. That may or may not be so. There is no evidence before the public going to show that the senior Maryland Senator's vote was not in strict harmony with his views on the subject. But he and the Democratic Senators and Representatives who cast similar votes were not swayed by even a small majority of the Democrats in Congress. They were the many—a large proportion of the Democrats who were members of the Senate and House of the Fifty-first Congress.

Their action has not been condemned by their party. On the contrary, most of the Democratic conventions since held have either expressly approved the free silver heresy, or, by silence, agreed to the theory. The conventions of New York and Maryland did not approve, but their utterances on the subject were indefinite and ambiguous and susceptible of an interpretation not entirely antagonistic to free coinage.

What the party may do in regard to the matter, by its National convention, remains to be seen. The *Advocate* says it will declare for an honest dollar when the time comes—a dollar of one hundred cents gold and silver, the money of the constitution! Even a declaration in exactly those terms would not be an explicit rejection of the free coinage plan. In fact it might be construed to mean its approval. The silver dollar that circulates to-day only contains about seventy-five cents worth of that metal. Does the *Advocate* mean to say that when the time comes—meaning, we suppose, when the Democratic National Convention meets next year—the Democratic party will declare for a silver dollar containing a hundred cents worth of the metal, and insist on the recoinage of the more than two hundred millions now in circulation either in fact or by certificates? Even if that were done, and free coinage adopted, the standard of one hundred cents in the silver dollar would not be maintained very long, as the metal would be subject to such fluctuations of value as to render it well nigh impossible to give silver coin a fixed value.

The expression, "gold and silver, the money of the constitution," used by the *Advocate*, appears, in fact, to be a practical approbation of free coinage. Evidently the Democratic party is not prepared to take an unequivocal stand against that heresy. Not only is its record contrary to such a stand, but the party, itself, is in great measure permeated by the heresy itself.

The Speakership of the House of Representatives of the Fifty-Second Congress is a matter of paramount interest among the Democrats. Five candidates are in the field, namely, Messrs. Mills, of Texas; Crisp, of Georgia; Springer, of Illinois; Wm. H. Hatch, of Missouri, and McMillin, of Tennessee. The fight seems to lie chiefly between Mills and Crisp. One or the other will be elected, unless the superabundance of candidates should cause a deadlock, in which case a compromise would probably be effected on some other member of the House. This, however, is not a probability. Both Mills and Crisp are confident of success, or [illegible] either will be a representative of the free trade and free silver theories with which the Democratic party is so deeply imbued.

It is said that Govenor Hill's purpose, in scheming and conspiring to secure a majority in both branches of the New York Legislature, is to pave the way for his resignation, as a United States Senator from that State, without losing the senatorship to the Democratic party. Hill is ambitious to be the Democratic candidate for President next year. With a Republican Legislature at Albany to elect his successor in the Senate he is well aware that the chances of his nomination are greatly lessened, and he is seeking to remove this obstacle to his success as an aspirant for the Presidency.

Fire broke out at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning in the grocery store of George J. Reis, 332 Orleans street, Detroit, Mich., and communicating to the dwelling-house overhead smothered to death Charles Reis, aged twenty-six years, and his brothers Josie and Eddie, aged eleven and seven years. The father and mother were found dead locked in each other's arms at the foot of the back stairway. Two other children, Max, aged fifteen, and Tony, aged twelve, and a hired girl escaped by jumping out of the windows into the arms of the police and firemen.

The 4 o'clock express on the Bound Brook route from New York Thursday afternoon collided with a gravel train near Pennington, N. J. Six persons, said to be railroad employes, were killed and a number injured. All the cars of the passenger train, except the Pullman car, were demolished.

Stealing a Legislature.

The conspiracy of Governor Hill, of New York, and other Tammany Democrats, to steal the Legislature of that State, is having new developments every day. Finding an incorruptible judge, who issued a decree at variance with the schemes of the conspirators, Hill appointed an extraordinary special session of the Supreme Court, for the purpose of bringing a Tammany judge into a position to nullify the acts of a less facile Democratic brother judge.

The whole course of events in connection with the conspiracy marks the most flagrant violation of the rights of the people ever attempted in New York. The case has, as far as we know, but two parallels in enormity in the history of the country—the West Virginia case, in which Gen. Goff was defrauded of the governorship, and the Garcelon case, which failed, however, in Maine.

This opinion is not based on Republican testimony in the premises. Decent Democrats in New York seem to feel the shamefulness of the outrage more keenly than the Republicans who are being defrauded. Such Democrats realize that Hill and his fellow-conspirators are laying the ground-work for an immense Republican majority next year and perhaps for many years to come. The Tammany machine is giving the people abundant evidence of its capacity for evil-doing in these proceedings, and right-thinking Democrats will not be used, in the future, to help extend the power of the corrupt organization into National affairs.

The following from the Poughkeepsie *Evening Enterprise*, a Democratic paper published in the Senatorial District in which Gilbert Deane, Republican, was elected, but in which, after his death, the certificate of election was given to his Democratic competitor, shows the light in which that proceeding is viewed by a decent Democratic newspaper:

"Deane's Republican majority in this county was effaced by throwing out 31 votes in Red Hook. These were the ballots that were called defective because a printer's quad had worked up in the form and struck the ballots while being printed and left its impression upon the face of the ballot.

"To count these ballots as void was an outrage, and one that no Democrat can defend. There might have been some way of defending the throwing out of the district in Dover, but to throw out 31 ballots that were marked by a printer's quad has no justification whatever.

"They could as well have thrown out every Republican vote in the county.

"It was a proceeding of which every Democrat in the board should be as ashamed as are many Democrats who are not in the board. It was without doubt the plainest and most outrageous piece of political thieving that ever disgraced the history of any county. It ought to make every citizen feel humiliated to think that it has been left to Dutchess county to give the country an exhibition of the most unjustifiable and disgraceful political jugglery that the country has ever seen.

"We should like to have some of those eighteen Democrats constituting the majority of that board give us or anybody else the first justifying element in that sublimely audacious proceeding.

"It puts every Democrat on the defensive. It is an act that will be flaunted in the face of every Democrat in this county for generations, and all he can do is to hang his head in shame and humiliation as the details of this outrage are rehearsed in his presence."

The saying that "misfortunes never come singly" is illustrated by the case of Cyrus W. Field, of New York. A few years ago his wealth was estimated at eight millions of dollars. It shrunk to a million by speculation, and that has now been swept away by the dishonest conduct of his son. A week or two ago his wife died and also a favorite granddaughter. One of his daughters is very ill and his son is in a mad house, while he is prostrate and ill from the excess of his sorrows.

Edwin T. Masten, aged one year and a-half, son of George Masten, Denver, Col., upset a lamp Thursday night at his home in Denver. The child's clothing took fire, and the mother grasped it and ran into the street and threw herself into a sand bank. Both were burned to death.

After nine days' work a jury has been selected at Denver, Col., for the trial of Dr. T. Thatcher Graves, charged with the murder of Mrs. Josephine Barnaby, of Providence, R. I., by means of a bottle of poisoned whiskey sent by mail from Boston to Denver.

Snow fell to the depth of six inches in Southern Maryland on Sunday.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Our store will be open until 9, P. M., during this month. S. Kann, Sons & Co., 11 East Main street, Westminster, Md.

One Bay Mare, 1 Cow, and a lot of Farming Implements, Corn, &c., at public sale, at 1 o'clock, P. M., Saturday, 19th inst. J. N. Williams, near Warfieldsburg.

FURS! FURS!! FURS!!!

A. C. Strasburger buys Muskrat, Mink, Skunk, Opossom, Otter and Raccoon Skins, No. 73 East Main street, Westminster.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church.—Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday School Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Young People's Meeting 6.15, p. m. Preaching at 10.30, a. m., and at 7.30, p. m. Revival services continued.

G. W. COOPER, Pastor.

Methodist Protestant Church.—Prayer Meeting on Wednesday at 7.30, p. m. Sunday School Sunday morning at 9.15. Young People's Meeting at 6.45, p. m. Preaching at 10.30, a. m., and 7.30, p. m. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper after the morning sermon.

J. L. MILLS, D. D., Pastor.

Grace Ev. Lutheran Church.—Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.00 o'clock. Sunday School Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Young People's Meeting at 6.15, p. m. Preaching at 10.30, a. m., and 7.00, p. m. Morning subject, "Our Pillar of Cloud and Fire." Evening, "Selling our Birth-Right."

P. H. MILLER, Pastor.

St. Paul's Reformed Church.—Sunday School at 9.15, a. m. Divine services at 7, p. m.

Benjamin's Reformed Church.—Sunday School at 9, a. m. Divine service at 10, a. m.

CALVIN S. SLAGLE, Pastor.

Church of the Ascension.—Services every Sunday as follows: Holy Communion at 7, a. m. Morning service at 10.30, a. m. Sunday School at 3.30, p. m. Evening service at 4, p. m. Services every week day at 7, a. m., and 5, p. m.

WYLLYS REDE, Rector.

Union Street M. E. Church.—Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30, o'clock. Temperance Meeting Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Class Meeting Sunday morning at 10.30.

J. H. BRICE, Pastor.

St. Paul's Reformed Church—Union Bridge.—Divine service Sunday at 10.30, a. m. Subject, "Theophilus and Timothy." Service at Ladiesburg at 3.30 and 7.30, p. m.

M. L. FRIOR, Pastor.

Salem Charge, Lutheran Church.—Preaching at St. Benjamin's Church at 10, a. m. Sunday School at 9, a. m.

Preaching at St. John's Church at 2, p. m.

S. A. DIEHL, Pastor.

Rev. G. W. Scilhamer will preach in Uniontown Sunday morning and evening.

MARRIED.

At Stone Chapel, December 3rd, 1891, by Rev. J. W. Charlton, Mr. Isaac N. Stoner and Miss Lana S., daughter of David C. Baile, both of the vicinity of Medford.

At Greenmount U. B. Church, November 29th, 1891, by Rev. J. P. Anthony, Mr. Fred J. Nagle and Miss Laura V. Belt, both of this county.

At the Parsonage, Silver Run, November 26th, 1891, by Rev. J. G. Noss, Mr. Franklin H. Koontz and Miss Alverta E. Fleagle, both of this county.

At the Parsonage, Silver Run, November 29th, 1891, by Rev. J. G. Noss, Mr. Joseph Lippy and Mrs. Sarah A. Starner, both of this county.

At Emmittsburg, Md., November 24th, 1891, by Rev. H. F. White, Mr. James A. Baker, of Taneytown, this county, and Miss Catharine L. Baker, of Emmittsburg, Md.

DIED

Near Frizellburg, November 29th, 1891, Samuel J., infant son of Charles and M. Jane Warehime, aged 12 days.

Near Arcadia, November 22nd, 1891, Benjamin Ebaugh, aged 22 years.

At Frostburg, Md., November 28th, 1891, Lovelace M. Gorsuch, formerly of this county.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ENTERTAINMENT.

Hellman—The Eminent Magician, in his Hellman—perb entertainment of magic, mirth Hellman—and mystery, will give his full pro Hellman—gram, at Odd Fellows' Hall, West Hellman—minster, Saturday, December 12th, Hellman—1891. See posters for full particu Hellman—lars. Price 25, 35 and 50 cents. Re Hellman—served Seats on sale at principal Hellman—Drug Stores. Doors open 7.30.

Election Notice.

The members of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Carroll County are requested to meet at their office, in Westminster, on Monday, the 21st day of December, 1891, for the purpose of electing Ten Directors to serve for one year. The election will take place between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 12 M. By order,

RICHARD MANNING, Secretary.

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Election Notice.

The First National Bank of Westminster, Westminster, Md., December 5th, 1891.

THE Stockholders of this Bank are hereby notified that the regular annual meeting for the election of NINE DIRECTORS to manage the affairs of the Bank for the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1892, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 1 o'clock, P. M.

GEO. R. GEHR, Cashier.

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Baling Machinery &c. at Public Sale.

I will sell at public sale at Carrollton Station, on Wednesday, December 16th, 1891, at 10 o'clock, A. M., several Straw, Hay and Hnak Presses, Scales, &c., all in good working order. Also the building, which is comparatively new, and is to be removed by April 1st, 1892.

de-5-ts R. TAYLOR.

An Open Letter.

WESTMINSTER, April 10, 1890.

Mr. Jos. B. Boyle:

Dear Sir:—For many years I have suffered intensely, on taking cold, from a very troublesome cough, for which I have used a number of various remedies, and obtained but temporary relief. During the past Spring I was again troubled with the same cough, and through a friend was induced to try your Pectoral Syrup, which not only gave almost instant relief, but a permanent cure. It gives me great pleasure to say that I believe it to be the best remedy I ever used for the purpose for which it is recommended. Hoping that any person afflicted as I was may be fortunate enough to give it a trial, I am,

Truly yours,

EDWARD LYNCH.

For sale by all Druggists and Merchants in the County. Price 25 Cents a Bottle. Take no other. dec-5-4m

CALL AT W. T. WILSON'S,

28 West Main street, - - Westminster, Md.

Xmas is near at hand and we are ready for the trade with one of the finest selections of

Toys ever offered.

Call and examine our stock and you will be convinced that the prices are lower than ever offered you. Just received, a full supply of Foreign and Domestic Fruits. Our Raisins, Currants, Citron, Prunes, Dates and Figs are strictly new and fresh goods. Candies of the finest selections and at all prices. I have just added a fresh stock of

Staple Groceries.

We have a fine selection of table Nuts at very low prices. Queensware, Glassware which will be sold at very low figures. We are also headquarters for

Roop's Flour.

With every dollar's worth you buy you receive a ticket which entitles you to a chance in our wonderful window Toy, which is very attractive and interesting. We have bought our goods way down and they must be sold likewise.

The highest prices paid for country produce.

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OLD CHRIS. IS KING.

We are ready to receive him, and our many customers, who will find it to their advantage to call on us before the holidays. We do not boast, but will promise to sell goods as cheap as can be bought outside of Baltimore. Our Grocery department is stocked with

Teas, from 30 to 80 cents;
Coffee, from 12 to 23 cents;
granulated, red, white, brown, 4c. cut loaf and pulverized sugars; spices, all kinds

Pure Liquors, for family use;

N. E. Rum, for Mince Meat;

syrup, 40 to 50 cts.; pure N. O. molasses, 60 cts.; tobacco and cigars, canned oysters, corn, tomatoes, peaches, beans, peas, beef and sardines; puddings, egg custard, farina, sauce, tapioca, macaroni, oatmeal, hominy grits, snow flake hominy, gelatine, jelly, and guava; fancy cakes and crackers;

Fire Crackers for the Boys.

We have oranges, lemons, bananas, prunes, figs, 10 to 20 cts.; dates, 8 cts.; raisins, currants, citron, almonds, English walnuts, pecans, filberts, brazils, &c.

Candies 8 to 40 cts. a Pound.

Our Elevator C. Whiskey, at 50 cents per pint, is the best medicinal whiskey in the county. We sell Hardware, Queensware, Woodenware, and everything kept in a first class Grocery.

GOODS DELIVERED IN THE CITY.

JOHN J. REESE,
de 5-4t East End, Westminster, Md.

TO SAVE MONEY

—AND—

SECURE BEST BARGAINS

in all kinds of Fine and Cheap

Holiday Goods,

just call at

G. W. MORNINGSTAR'S,

38 West Main street, where you will find the finest and best selected line of

CHINAWARE,

PLAIN AND DECORATED;

the largest assortment of fancy Ornaments in the city; A complete line of

CUTLERY, MIRRORS, SILVERPLATED-WARE, WOODEN, WILLOW AND TINWARE;

the newest novelties in Glassware.

Lamps, Lamps, Lamps!

Library, Hall, Piano, Banquet, Banner, Rochester and Pittsburg.

I call your attention to our

Fancy and Staple Groceries,

Foreign and Domestic Fruits, Evaporated Fruits, Canned Goods of all kinds; Extracts, leading brands of Flour, Fancy Cakes and Crackers, Confectionery, best quality at lowest prices; Raisins, Currants, Citron, Figs, Dates, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas and Grapes. A full line of Cigars and Tobacco. We invite you to give us a call and examine our stock. We guarantee our prices as low as the lowest.

Very respectfully,

G. W. MORNINGSTAR,
38 West Main St., Westminster, Md.

no-28-90

CHRISTMAS HAS COME AT OAK HALL,

NEW WINDSOR, MD.,

A Happy Christmas to all who may call to see the grand display of Goods at Oak Hall.

We have many choice things for the Holidays, consisting of albums, manicure sets, toilet sets, wall pockets, pastel pictures and frames, toys of all kinds for the children, vases and fancy glassware, lamps of all kinds, fancy clocks, silverware in great variety, smoking sets, work boxes, games of all kinds.

A beautiful line of silk and linen handkerchiefs and mufflers, cheap; gloves, fur collars, and muffs and fur sets.

Plush and Goat Robes and Blankets will be sold cheap.

Confectionery of all kinds, fresh and cheap.

We will give a nice Muff with every Ladies' Coat from $6.00 up.

A nice Hat or Silk Handkerchief given with every Suit or Overcoat from $8.50 up.

To the Boys we present a Gun or Ball and Bat with a Suit or Overcoat, from $3.00 up.

We do this to reduce stock during the Holidays, and to show our appreciation by a small token from us.

Our fall trade is far ahead of anything we have ever done, and we have many things to be thankful for; but your happiness will not be complete without a visit to Oak Hall during the Holidays.

Come and see the largest stock in the county to select from.

Many thanks for past patronage. Come again and see us. You will always be welcome. Respectfully,

apl-16-91 GEO. C. ANDERS.

Public Sale

of Broad-Tread, Narrow-Tread and Western Wagons, Spring Wagons, Jaggers, Falling Top Buggies, Basket Sleighs, Hay Carriages, Stone Boats, &c., on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12th, 1891, at 1 P. M., sharp. Sale Peremptory. Nine months credit.

EDWIN SHIPLEY, AGENT,
no-21-3t Washington Road, Westminster.

Commissioners' Notice.

THE County Commissioners of Carroll county will meet at their Office, in Westminster, on the FIRST Monday of DECEMBER, 1891, for the transaction of business.

By order, CHARLES BRILHART,
nov-14-1m Clerk.

THE best Rum in the county for Mince Pies, at STRASBURGER'S.

Notice to Tax-Payers.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mayor and Common Council of Westminster, Maryland, have made their annual levy for the year 1891, due and payable on and after November 1st, 1891. Interest will be charged on all accounts not settled by January 1st, 1892.

CHAS. E. GOODWIN,
Collector, No. 36 East Main street,
no-28-3t Westminster, Md.

MY special Double Distilled Whiskey, $1.60 gallon, at STRASBURGER'S.

ASK for the Kentucky Applewood, at STRASBURGER'S.

GET the Applewood Whiskey, at STRASBURGER'S

A Christmas SURPRISE

—FOR—

EVERYBODY.

Our Holiday Stock

WILL MAKE FRIENDS, PLEASE EVERYBODY AND SELL ITSELF!

DON'T WAIT!

THE BEAUTIFUL DISPLAY IS READY. NOVELTIES, NEW IDEAS, USEFUL THINGS, AND BEAUTIFUL THINGS!

A Great Assortment

OF APPROPRIATE GIFTS, FOR ALL PEOPLE, AND ALL AGES!

Beautiful Presents

THAT MEET ALL DEMANDS AND SATISFY ALL WANTS! AN UNEQUALED ASSORTMENT AND A VARIETY TO SUIT ALL TASTES.

A DAZZLING DISPLAY OF HOLIDAY GOODS,

AT SURPRISINGLY LOW PRICES,

AT

J. T. ORNDORFF'S

DOUBLE STORE,

No. 20 and 22 W. Main St., Westminster.

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A Big Drop.

Just when the season's at its height we begin to sacrifice all our winter goods, especially

OVERCOATS

AND

Children's Suits.

An opportunity like this seldom occurs.

Embrace it quickly. Every Child's Knee Pants Suits, half price. Every Child's Overcoat, age 4 to 12 years, half price.

Men's and Boy's Overcoats:

$15 and $16 Overcoats drop to $12.

$14 Overcoats drop to $12.

$12 Overcoats drop to $9.98.

$10 Overcoats drop to $7.98.

$8 Overcoats drop to $6.48.

$6 Overcoats drop to $4.98.

MEN'S SUITS:

$9.98 Takes choice of fifty $12, $14, $15 black and mixed

Cheviot Suits.

Never sold for less than 12 dollars. A big line of our own make Pants at greatly reduced prices.

All our 50 cent Undershirts and Drawers drop to 39 cents.

All our 50 cent Neckwear in Puffs, Tecks and Four-in-Hand, drop to 39 cents.

A big line of Men's Slippers, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Collars, Cuffs, Umbrellas, Trunks, Satchels and Valises for the Holidays.

SPECIAL:

Choice of fifty $7 and $8 Pants Patterns, reduced to $5, made to order. See our window.

FRED. D. MILLER,

WESTMINSTER, - - MARYLAND,

OPPOSITE R. R. DEPOT.

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A Merry Christmas

—AND A—

HAPPY NEW YEAR.

And now is your time to buy your Christmas Goods and to buy them cheap. My line of different departments is complete and of the best quality, and will compete with city prices.

My Fancy Grocery Department

contains Mixed Pickles, Chowchow, Olives, Olive Oil, Lea & Perrin's Sauce, Pepper Sauce, Catsup, Durkee's Salad Dressing, Canned Mushrooms, French Peas, Sardines, Salmon, Lobsters, Plum Pudding, Boston Baked Beans, Devil Crabs, Fine Apple, Brandy Peaches, Noodles, Snow Flake Hominy, Edam Cheese and Pine Apple Cheese, Raisins—Seedless, London Layers, Valencias; Currants, Citron, Dates, &c,

TEA, COFFEE, SPICES, &C.

MY CONFECTIONERY DEPARTMENT

cannot be surpassed. I have candy for 10 cents per pound and from that up. I supply Sunday Schools, Public Schools, &c.

My Fruits are:

Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Grapes, Apples, Cranberries, &c.

Queensware and Glassware.

Canned Goods:

Tomatoes,
Corn, Peas,
Lima Beans, &c

Staple Groceries, at rock bottom prices, such as

Flour, Bacon,
Sugar, Syrup, &c.

Tobacco and Cigars. Produce taken in trade. Hoping to receive a call I remain,

Yours Respy.,

John D. Bowers,

47 AND 49 EAST MAIN STREET,

OPPOSITE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

28-4t

NOTICE!

On Monday Next, Nov. 30th,

We will commence receiving our

MERCHANDISE

for the Wholesale Departments.

The building is now being completed from Main street to the alley in the rear. We intend wholesaling and retailing Groceries in general, and will include lines of goods to meet the demand.

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS IN GENERAL.

QUEENSWARE IN GENERAL.

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS.

FISH, SALT AND OILS.

As a specialty we have purchased extensively of

CONFECTIONERY.

Nuts, Raisins, Oranges, Lemons, &c., in quantities, for the cash; and we will at all times meet Baltimore prices. A call solicited.

Respectfully,

FRANK Z. MILLER & CO.,
Near the Railroad,
Opposite First National Bank,
no-28-91 Westminster, Md.

Christmas Goods.

Everybody is invited to see the finest line of

PLUSH GOODS, in Albums, Toilet Cases, Manicure Sets and Novelties.

We are Headquarters for

Pictures, Engravings, Pastels, Water Colors, Photograph Frames.

Come and learn our prices. It will cost you nothing and benefit you.

We would be glad to show you our entire stock.

Remember our prices are beyond competition, as we intend to let Christmas Goods sell at Christmas time.

MATTHEWS & MYERS,
45 E. Main St., Westminster, Md,
jy-25-1y Opposite Catholic Church.

Money to Loan on Mortgages.

JOSEPH D. BROOKS,
no-14-4t Westminster, Md.

5,000 Hickory Logs Wanted

Highest cash price paid for tough, clean WHITE HICKORY LOGS, 8 and 16 feet long. White Oak and Hickory Spokes bought by the thousand.

C. J. SCHMINKEY,
se-5-tf Warfieldsburg, Md.

FUN FOR EVERYBODY

—AND—

For Everybody.

S. Kann, Sons & Co.

BRING THE CHILDREN TO US!

Christmas is essentially the season of good cheer and merriment, and to liven the dull monotony of trade and make fun for everybody, young and old, we've secured, at considerable expense and trouble, the most marvelous and mirth provoking piece of mechanism ever exhibited. It depicts an irate butcher, clinging to the tail of a greased pig, and the tussle between the two is positively the most laughable thing you've ever beheld. You'll see it in our window, and in order to enable some one of our patrons to possess it,

We will give with every $2 worth of goods a Ticket for the famous "Pig Tussle."

Children go wild with joy over it; ladies laugh themselves to tears and big men almost split their sides with laughter. Don't fail to see it; don't fail to get a ticket on it—the funnest thing in all creation! The more you look at it the more you laugh. Couldn't stop to save your life.

BEAR IN MIND

that every two dollars worth you buy entitles you to one ticket; four dollars worth to two tickets; six dollars worth to three tickets, and so on. Begin to buy right away. Here are bargains the like of which we've never been able to give you; and you've almost double the stock of a year ago to select from.

BARGAINS IN DRESS GOODS.
BARGAINS IN BLANKETS.
BARGAINS IN WRAPS.
BARGAINS IN UNDERWEAR.
BARGAINS IN HOSIERY.
BARGAINS IN HANDKERCHIEFS.
BARGAINS IN CARPETS, RUGS, &c.
BARGAINS IN NECKWEAR.
BARGAINS IN XMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS.
BARGAINS IN BOOKS.
BARGAINS IN PERFUMERY.
BARGAINS IN PICTURES.
BARGAINS IN GLOVES.
BARGAINS IN NOTIONS.
BARGAINS IN FANCY GOODS, AND
BARGAINS IN REMNANTS.

TOYS AND DOLLS.

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