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THE GREAT MODEL EMPORIUM WEEKLY STORE NEWS.

DERR & LAMBERD.

Our New Century Methods.

The Old Year just gone was the most successful in our history. During the past season this business has been phenomenal. We thank you for it. We will not stand still. "Forward" is our watchword. With the beginning of this New Year we shall commence a series of sales such as you have never seen before.

Our buyer spent last week in New York filling the gaps made by our wonderful business in December. We are now prepared to offer you a complete assortment of the very choicest and most seasonable merchandise at prices which will save you much money. Remember, our service is the very best, salespeople are courteous and obliging, and no sale is made until you are perfectly satisfied. Money back if you wish.

STYLISH DRESS GOODS FOR HALF.

60c and 75c Dress Goods for 38c is not to be sneezed at, especially when they are new and fashionable. These goods were just bought in New York. They are Venetians, with dainty hair line stripes, and Camels Hair Cheviots, really this season's swellest goods, all good colors, 40 inches wide, pure wool of course, 60c and 75c values

AT 38 CENTS A YARD.

DOLLAR ZIBELINE FOR 49c.

If you do not need a New Gown before next winter, come now and buy one anyway. Such savings do not occur always. Handsome 40-inch all wool Zibeline, the season's most fashionable dollar sellers, at

49 CENTS YARD.

Lace Curtains.

Every kind of Lace Curtains a quarter to a third off.

One thousand pairs, from 55c to $5 pair. Here's a quick glance at the prices:

Ruffled Muslin Curtains, figured, **89c from $1.25.**

Nottingham Curtains, **79c to $2.39,** were $1 to $3.

Irish Point and Brussels Curtains, **$3 to $4.75,** were $3.50 to $6.

COVERED CUSHIONS 10c.

Just a small lot pretty covered Creton Cushions, worth 25c for 10c.

Books and Stationery.

Many good books are here at half their regular prices. Come book lovers, and make your selection. A hundred or more fine titles at

25c and 50c,

regularly 50c and 75c, some a dollar, all are nicely bound.

BOX PAPER 10c.

24 sheets of fine paper and envelopes, made specially for D. & L., really 15c paper, for 10c.

Better paper and envelopes for 25c box, 24 sheets and envelopes, in lovely tints, special value at 25c.

LADIES' HOSIERY AT 25c.

A dozen styles of the best 25c Hosiery made are here to-day—fancies or fast black, all full, regular made and imported goods, their value is a third more and cannot be duplicated.

WOMEN'S SHOES.

The best and most comfortable shoes made are to be had in this store.

Our goods are all made of the finest leathers and the styles are entirely new, being made to our special order.

$1.50, $2, and $2.50.

will buy you Shoes worth 50c to a dollar more.

AT $3.00 you get "Queen Quality" Shoes, the equals of any $5.00 shoe made. Any style you wish, sixty-eight in all.

Knit Petticoats.

Good warm close clinging skirts, for ladies underneath wear, all made of wool with pretty, bright borders and crocheted edge around the bottom.

Lot 1.—Regular Dollar Skirts reduced to 65c.

Lot 2.—Regular Two Dollar Skirts reduced to $1.20.

Fine all wool Skirt Patterns, all colors, full size, $1, $1.25.

CARPETS, RUGS, REDUCED.

Not old goods either, but new fresh goods, just opened, handsome patterns, just the wanted spring designs.

Best 10 Wire Brussels at 75c,

instead of one dollar, six beautiful styles, some of them with borders to match. Have you seen such a bargain recently? If you need Carpets buy them now.

FIRST GRADE SMYRNA RUGS. THIRD GRADE PRICES.

All sizes and styles, heavy weight and new patterns:

18-inch Rugs, 85c from $1.00.
26-inch Rugs, $1.69 from $2.00.
30-inch Rugs, $1.98 from $2.50.

50 MOTTLED RUGS FOR 25 CENTS.

One hundred of them, very pretty too, but not very large, only 18x30 inches.

10c OUTING at 6 1-2c.

2000 yards very best quality new dark Outing Cloth, in plaids and stripes, this quality always sells for 10c, special this week

At 6½c Yard.

6c DOMET FLANNEL 3c yd.

1000 yards cream white Domet Flannel at half price, 30 inches wide and all cotton sure, but awfully cheap at 3c yd.

Underwear, Men's and Women's.

500 dozen just bought from a good maker, at very much under regular value, is the news today. Don't put off buying any longer, this is your chance.

First Lot—Men's Underwear, all kinds Shirts and Drawers, some wool, others cotton, every size in the lot and many of them worth up to a dollar, none less than 50c; pick for only

35c PER GARMENT.

Second Lot—Ladies' Pearl Grey Vests and Pants, elegantly finished, Vests with silk trimmed fronts, mostly 50c goods, a few worth 75c, yet they all go at

JUST 35c EACH.

White Bed Spreads.

Two very special lots, both the best of their kind, full bed size and hemmed ready for use, pretty Marsailles patterns.

Usual 75c Spreads for 55c.

Usual $1.25 Spreads for 89c.

A hundred of each. See which you can buy out the quickest; we've never given so good a bargain.

All Linen Napkins 29c, 37c Dozen.

This is not half their value. They are made from Manufacturers' linen samples, hence this small price, 60 dozen each. If you want them be on time, they are worth at least 75c dozen, for 29c, 37c doz.

50-inch Muslin 12 1-2c.

Fine good quality Bleached Sheetings or Pillow Casing, worth 20c yd., while this lot lasts it goes for 12½c yd. Only about 300 yards, so come early.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

AT $1.00.—The best White Laundried Shirt made, open front and back, sizes cut full.

AT 25CTS.—Suspenders such as you usually pay 50c for half dozen good styles.

AT 49CTS.—Men's Muslin or Flannelette Night Robes, good 75c value.

Kid Gloves $1.

Our "Model" Gloves are truly the best ever made for $1. They cannot be equalled anywhere. All colors, sizes and fastenings, either hook or clasp.

Every pair guaranteed.

NEW COATS AND FURS AT A SACRIFICE.

With the winter still ahead of us such news as this is good news.

We have just purchased from a leading New York Manufacturer their entire sample line of Women's Stylish Coats at

50 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR.

There are about 200 garments in all and to-day we place them on sale, likewise at **HALF PRICE.** Think of it! Lovely new fashionable Coats and Jackets, actually worth $10 to $20,

FOR $5, $7.50, $10.

NEW FURS--UNDERPRICED.

We have just opened enough New Furs to supply as many people as have already bought, and that is a good many. The prices, however, are much less than usual: **$3 to $10,** instead of $5 to $15.

Blankets.

Fine White Wool Blankets, full 11-4 size, with pretty red or blue borders, just the kind you need for this weather, specially priced at **$4 to $6** pair and worth $5 to $8. If you need them they are very cheap.

Bed Comforts.

Covered with Fine Silkoline and filled with good cotton, full size and special values, at $1 to $2.50.

Toilet Goods.

A very important department indeed, but never much said about it. Here will say our goods are all of the very best character at lowest prices.

Just a few of them:

Tooth Powder 10c, 25c.
Face Powder 10c, 15c.
Evanola Cream 10c, 25c.
Vaseline 5c, 10c.
Best Bay Rum 25c.
Lavender Salts 25c.
Violet Water 25c, 50c.
Fine Florida Water 25c.

MILLINERY--LITTLE PRICES.

About 25 pretty trimmed Hats have just been brought from our work rooms for $2.49 each. We have sold no better or more fashionable for $5, many a time, you know what that means. Now $2.49.

75c Feathers for 25c.

One lot handsome Stylish Birds, Feathers and Breasts, reduced from 50c and 75c to only 25c each.

$2 Untrimmed Hats at 55c.

Eighty nobby shapes in black and colored untrimmed Hats, worth up to $2, will be sold to-day at only 55c each.

DERR & LAMBERD, WESTMINSTER, MARYLAND.

"THE WHITE PALACE."

John D. Bowers.

A Bright Prospect.

Happiness and health go hand in hand with wholesome food. We lead the procession, for we supply

The Best Products,

and cutting the margin down saves you money. Our delight is in your satisfaction. We propose to make the New Year's business a pleasure to our friends by supplying better things than ever.

PRIDE OF WESTMINSTER COFFEE 17c worth 25c lb.
MINCE MEAT 10c per lb, worth 12c per lb.
LONDON LAYER RAISINS 15c, worth 20c lb.
WHITMAN'S CONFECTIONS 20c to 80c per lb.

The finest Confections sold this side of Philadelphia, as they have the highest reputation in that city.

FANCY GROCERIES A SPECIALTY. JOHN D. BOWERS,
jan-25-00-1y TELEPHONE C & P., 11-3. 47 East Main St., Westminster.

WHERE DO YOU LIVE

THREE-QUARTERS OF YOUR TIME!

IN YOUR SHOES. That being the case you should buy

Our Comfort Fitting Shoes,

made by Allnutt, Moody & Co., for women, in all the latest shapes; prices from $2.00 to $3.50 per pair. Also agents for the

Walk-Over Shoes for Men;

best $3.50 Shoe in the world for the money. We carry the largest lines of Shoes in this city—in fact the only exclusive Shoe Store here. Everything new and up to date in Hats, Caps, Shirts, Collars, Neckties, Hosiery, Suspenders, Gloves, Underwear, Working Pants, etc. Call and examine our stock.

WM. C. DEVILBISS, 22 W. Main St., Westminster.
jan-7-01-1y

WILLIAM N. KEEFER.

HEADQUARTERS FOR WINTER

Groceries and Feed.

Sugars 5, 5½ and 6 cents pound.
Coffees 11, 13, 15, 18 and 40 cents pound.
Teas 40, 60 and 80 cents pound.
Baking Powders 10, 15 and 50 cts. lb.
Syrups 20, 30 and 40 cents gallon.
Coal Oil 12 13 and 15 cents gallon.
Flour—Gorsuch's, Bish's, Englar's, Pillsbury, and Pillsbury's Graham.
Canned Corn and Peas 7 cents can.
Canned Peas, Beans, Tomatoes 10 cts can.
Black Prunes 5 and 10 cents pound.
Silver Prunes, 15 cents.
Raisins 9, 10, 11 and 12 cents pound.
Citron, 15c pound, Figs, 15c pound, best Dates, 9c pound, Peaches, 10c pound. Apricots.
Cocoanuts, 5 6 and 7 cents each.
Candy 5c, 8c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c pound.
Dried Corn and Cracked Peas.
Mixed Nuts, Almonds, Walnuts, Pecans, and Butter Nuts, 15c lb.
White Fish, Buckwheat and Corn Meal.
Matches 1c, 2c, 3c and 5c a box.
Five gallons Oil and Can $1.00.
Soaps and Powders 3c, 4c, 5c, a bar.
Hominy, Soup and Lima Beans.
Lard Cans, Coal Buckets and Coal Stoves.

FEED DEPARTMENT CONSISTS OF
Middlings, Bran, Corn Chop, Mixed Chop, Corn, Oats, Screenings, Wheat and Cracked Corn, Fine and Coarse Salt, loose or sack; Baled Hay and Straw, Crocks, Jugs, and Jars.

Agent for the Dr. Hess Stock Food, Chicken Powder and Louse Killer.
Agent for Oliver Chilled Plows and Repairs.
Call and get our prices. Open at Night.

AGENT FOR THE ACME STEAM LAUNDRY OF WESTMINSTER, MD.

aug-11-00-1y-3 WM. N. KEFFER, 88 AND 92 E. MAIN ST., WESTMINSTER.

STOUFFER & ENSOR, NEW WINDSOR, MD.

Two Things Worth Remembering!

Take Time to Think!
Take Time to Buy!

GLOVES, from the cheap leather kind, at 25 cts., up to those of fine fur at $2.50 to $4.00. A fine lot of lined and unlined Kid Gloves at 95 cts., pair.

A beautiful blending of colors in our Neckwear: We have them in Teeks, Puffs, Imperials, Four-in-Hands, Bat-Wings, Band Bows, Strings, etc., at prices to suit all.

All that's new in Fancy Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Suspenders, Fancy Hosiery, Umbrellas, Mackintoshes, Grips, Dress Suit Cases, Telescopes, Trunks etc., at prices to suit every purse.

When in need of Shoes for the Boys or Girls we want you to examine the Solid Leather line we now control direct from the factory! Every pair is guaranteed! The prices range from 50 cents to $1.25 in Children's and Misses'; and $1.25 and $1.35 in Boys'.

REDUCTIONS IN CLOTHING.

On account of our heavy Fall purchases and the extremely mild weather, in order to greatly reduce our stock, we will offer, from December 15th, until further notice, a 10 per cent. reduction on all our Men's and Boys' Suits, Blacks and Blues excepted. All Children's Knee Pants Suits, from 4 to 16 years, must go at 20 per cent. off the regular price. This is an exceptional chance for rich bargains in the height of the season. Come and see us, you'll not regret it.

march 31-1900-1y-7 STOUFFER & ENSOR, New Windsor, Md.

Funeral Director.

I wish to inform my friends and patrons that I am still in the

UNDERTAKING BUSINESS,

and having purchased a new outfit am better equipped to give entire satisfaction. In my seven years' experience I have studied up new process

FOR EMBALMING

which, by careful study, has proved an entire success. (Carroll County Telephone.)

JAMES M. STONER.
Pennsylvania Avenue,
ap-23-1y Westminster Md.

Dr. J. W. Helm, Surgeon Dentist

(Graduate of Md. University, Baltimore).
New Windsor, Carroll County, Md.

OFFERS his professional services to the Public in all its branches. He will visit TANEYTOWN on the 1st WEDNESDAY of each month.

☞ Nitrous Oxide Gas administered.

A liberal share of public patronage solicited.

Respectfully, J. W. HELM, D. D. S.,
u-20-tf New Windsor Md.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County.
DECEMBER TERM, 1900.

Estate of John K. Diehl, deceased.

On application, it is ordered, this 17th day of December, 1900, that the sale of the real estate of John K. Diehl, late of Carroll county, deceased, made by John T. Cassell, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, and this day reported to this court by the said executor, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 3rd Monday, 21st day of January next; provided a copy of this order be inserted for three successive weeks in some newspaper printed and published in Carroll county, before the 2nd Monday, 14th day of January, next. The report states the amount of sale to be $17560.

WILLIAM Y. FRIZZELL,
JACOB RINEHART, } Judges.
L. CALVIN JORDAN,

True copy.—Test:
JOSEPH D. BROOKS,
dec 22-3t Register of Wills.

Sawed Lumber.

THE undersigned is prepared to fill orders for Sawed Oak Lumber of all kinds, for House and Barn Frames, Fence Boards, Palings &c. I have for sale White Oak Lumber, in any length or thickness. All orders will be delivered if desired.

WILLIAM Y FRIZZELL,
co-121-tf Bloom, Carroll county, Md.

ROAD EXAMINERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned, Examiners appointed by virtue of a commission issued to them by the Commissioners of Carroll County, to examine and determine whether the public convenience requires that a public road should be opened and located in said county, commencing at a point about one hundred yards southe st of the buildings of Mrs. Edward E. Roop, on the Medford road, thence on or near the old road bed, through the land of the said Mrs. Edward E. Roop to the land of Isaac N. Stoner, thence through the land of the said Isaac N. Stoner on or near the old road bed to connect with the Church or Brick Meeting House lot or ground, thence through the land of the said Isaac N. Stoner to connect with the Wakefield road at the corner of the lot of the late Joseph Bowers and the land of J. Fletcher Babylon, hereby give notice to all persons whom it may concern, that we will meet at the place of beginning of said proposed public road, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on MONDAY, the 7th day of JANUARY, 1901, to execute the trust reposed in us by the said commission.

JOHN T. CASSELL,
J. FRANK GETTY,
JEREMIAH MATHIAS,
de-1-3t Examiners.

Stockholders' Meeting of Westminster Water Company.

Westminster, Md., Dec. 11th, 1900.

Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders of the Westminster Water Company that the annual meeting will be held at the office of the Company, in the Hotel "Westminster" on TUESDAY, JANUARY 8th, 1901, being the second Tuesday of said month, at the hour of 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of electing nine (9) directors to manage the affairs of said Company during the coming year, commencing said January 8th, 1901, to receive the report of the Secretary and Treasurer, and to pass upon such other business as may be presented.

A. H. HUBER,
dec 154-t Secretary and Treasurer.

Commissioners' Notice

HEREAFTER, and until further notice the County Commissioners of Carroll county will meet at their office in Westminster, EVERY MONDAY, for the transaction of business.

By order JNO. E. MASENHIMER,
an-2-1y Clerk.

Select Poetry.

THE TOUCHING TALE OF THE TIPPER.

He tipped the porter on the train;
He tipped the waiter when he ate;
He tipped the able bodied man
Who tossed his satchel through the gate.

He had to tip the chambermaid;
The buttoned bellboy, too, he tipped
For bringing water that was death
To thoughtless fools who freely sipped.

He had to tip for sleeping, and
He had to tip for things to eat;
He had to tip to get a chance
To occupy a decent seat.

Too, made him tip to get the things
He paid enough for at the start,
And every tip was like a nip
Of some sharp-fanged thing at his heart.

And while he tipped they fawned on him
And stood in smiling groups about,
But when his change was gone, at last,
They turned and coldly tipped him out.

—Chicago Times-Herald.

For the Sentinel.

COAL MINING.

When we left the mine, in our last letter, we rode up the shaft on the front of a car loaded with coal. The 1760 yards was covered in less than two minutes, hence we thought we were going at a lively rate. We followed the car to the "breaker," which, as the name implies, is the place where the coal is broken into marketable grades and assorted, the chief business being the assorting of the slate from the coal. As the car approached the breaker it was cut loose from the engine, and went at quickening pace the slightly declined plane by the force of its own momentum.

While it was yet safe we got off and watched the cars as they were automatically dumped. At the proper moment a man on each side knocked the bar which held the end gate, and in less time than it takes to tell it the coal in great lumps rolled down the gangway to the next floor, where a dozen or more men with sledge hammers broke the larger lumps, and shoveled the coal over the next declivity, from which it ran into the large cylindrical sieves, which automatically divide the coal into the several larger grades.

The first grade which comes out is steamboat coal, which is as large as a man's head or larger; or perhaps the last that remains to come out is the steamboat coal. The dust which goes through first is "elevated" to the top of the building. The other grades each fall in their correct grooves, and as the coal slides down the chute it is assorted by hand, by dozens of boys and old men. Hour after hour these boys, from perhaps eleven to sixteen years old, sit in a cramped position and assort from the good coal the slate and "bony" coal. The first boy gets what he can and the second what the first leaves until perhaps, a dozen pairs of hands and as many "eagle" eyes have examined it. One of the sad thoughts of it all is, that every lump of coal we burn has been made the more precious by the fact that it has touched a dozen tiny hands, which at the time should be used in the schools to educate them for greater usefulness than that of the fate of a "breaker boy." In free America free education should mean compulsory education.

The slate that has been picked out goes to its destination the "culm bank," while the "bony coal," which is a combination of coal and slate, is elevated to the crusher from whence it is made into the smaller sizes and inferior grades of coal. The dust and dirt goes through the washer and it too is turned into a marketable article. But time is wanting for further description. At another time we may have more to say. Suffice it to say that the collieries here turn out eight grades of coal ranging in size from "steamboat"—the size of a man's head or larger—to "rice," which, as its name implies, is almost microscopic.

W. J. H.

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