APRON BOOTH

Anne Smith,

Irma Eliason.

Adele France,

Mary Flemming

Chairman; Clara Perkins,

Merrick Clements

Bessie Stuart. Hallie Toulson,

Mary Rogers.

We Are Headquarters

Cook Stoves, Ranges, Fire-Place Heaters, and

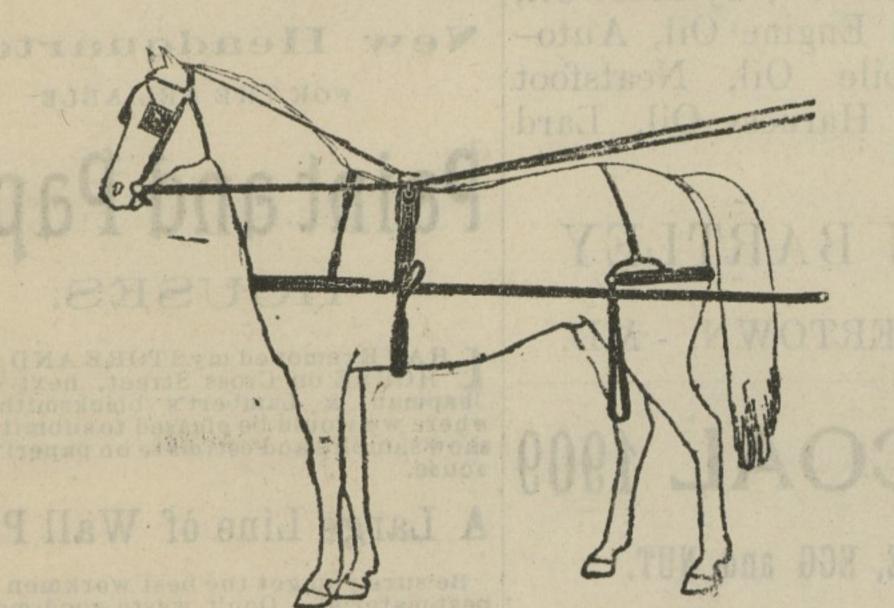
We have the "Penn Esther," "Tip Top Monarch" and Majestic Ranges, New Albion and New Excelsior Cook Stoves.

Parlor Stoves

A SPECIAL OFFER FOR THE

WE ARE GOING TO ALLOW 10 Per Cent. Discounn for

Cash on Harness



We have a full line of Brass and Rubber Mounted Harness, and those who are thinking of buying will do well to call and examine our stock and take advantage of this unprecented offer.

WE HAVE A CARLOAD OF THE CELEBRATED

"Old Hickory" Farm Wagons \$

(The Chapman & Lambert style) that have just arrived.

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS

And we would advise all those thinking of painting their homes during the year to get our estimate, and we will give you the best paint on the market One guaranteed to cover more surface, last longer and permanently look better than other paints including pure lead and oil.

WE ALSO CARRY Linseed Oil, Hard Oil, Turpentine, Varnish

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION;

Neatsfoot Oil, Separator Oil, Gas Engine Oil, &c.

OUR LINE OF

TINWARE AND AGATEWATE

is complete. We are making a specialty of 5c and 10c goods. Call and look them over.

WE WILL SELL

& 4 'qt. Agate Coffee Pot No WITH AGATE COVER,

FOR 19c EACH ONLY ONE TO A CUSTOMER

Glass Tumblers 25c Dozen

ABOVE ARTICLES FOR CASH ONLY

We now have in our employ MR WILLIAM ELLIOTT. an expert Tinsmith, and would be glad to do your Roofing, Spouting and Repair Work.

We wish to thank our many friends and customers for the liberal patronage that they gave us during the year 1908, and solicit their continuance for the year 1909, and those whom we have not as yet had the pleasure of serving, we extend to you all a cordial invitation to visit our store and get acquainted with us.

"A Square Deal Guaranteed to All." We think that we can save you money on quite a few things.

CHESTERTOWN,

: : : MARYLAND

A Great And Brilliant Success—Six Hundred Present Each Night—
Splendid Entertainments — Hand
The Apron Booth was arranged in the shape of an umbrella, covered with red roses of exquisite beauty, while the congenial and attractive company of maidens in charge wore roses. Mrs. George D.

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Never did Andersen nor Grimm paint a more gorgeous setting for their tales of fairyland than was presented at Stam's Hattie Bacch Hall this week which had been transformed as if by a magic wand into a Thomas S. Bordley, Mrs. Thomas D. white chrysanthemums for adornments. Country Store, estimate. Bowers and Mrs. James T. Dixon, and The beautiful and palatable cakes were

As the people began to pour into the Mrs.—Hall exclamations such as "How beautiful!" "How exquisite!" were heard on all sides and well were they justified.

The stage had been transformed into a beautiful scene with a background of Clara Usilton blooming flowers and evergreen and the entertainment presented, under the management of Misses Fannie and Bessie Stuart, delighted everyone. There were 600 people present, the largest audience ever crowded into the hall. The rainbow drill was a beautiful and graceful performance, the participants being Misses formance, the participants being Misses biscuits and coffee by the following the past week. Elizabeth Connelly, Edith Dunbracco, Estalena Deringer, Elizabeth Russell, Stephanie Ford, Mary Smith, Virginia Frederic H. Russell, T. S. Bordley, D. R. McMersey

"The Quarrel Among the Flowers" with the following characters:

Little. Pianist, Miss Eva Hurlock.

Emily Beaumont, Mary Miller, Edna Kirby Pianist-Mrs. Nesbit Trenchard.

Wednesday evening there were over 600 persons present at the celebrated Fowler Minstrels and peal after peal of laughter followed the jokes and stories of the boys. The singing was extra fine; the dancing up-to-date, the stories appropriate and the jokes especially strik-The characters follow

Pianist-Mrs. Nesbit Trenchard.

BOOTHS OF EQUISITE BEAUTY. There were seven booths, beside the 60 chickens, 8 hams and bushels ice cream parlor, each of which was con- biscuits, etc. ceived and artistically decorated by the Culp, Sam'l O. Crouch, George Burke, Blades and others. These booths would do credit to professionals and in themselves were marvels of the ingenious hands of the ladies of Chestertown. W would not dare say which was the pret-tiest as each one had a distinctive merit and a beauty which was in harmony with the articles presented for sale. To the credit for the brilliant and pleasing that means. illumination of the hall and booths.

COUNTRY STORE. First came the Country Store, ideal in took with cold and died because of too every respect—even to the accomodating L. Dodd. This table was presided over other pretty booths did not make any by the following:

Wm. L. Fowler,

Mary Elliott. FANCY TABLE.

Next came the Fancy Table, the favors | evening of whom cupid had recently captured. lows: This committee was as follows:

ilbur W. Hubbard, P. A. M. Brooks E. H. Gault. Eva Beauchamp.

CANDY BOOTH. Then nestling close to cupid was the Candy Booth with a bevy of debutantes warding off the shafts from Love's stringed weapon, as follows:

and placed them out on the bargain counter.

Ladies' Patent Colt

Lace Shoes

Ladies' Russia Calf Shoe

Reduced

Special Lot Ladies' Shoes

style. \$3.50 and \$3.00 grade this

Ladies' Dongola Kid Blucher

Hand sewed, all sizes, B C and

\$3.00 ones, this week, \$2.50.

\$2.50 ones, this week, \$2.00.

week, only \$2.95.

week, only \$2.25.

Perforated Tip, \$3.50 grade, this

Wednesday morning if you really want a shoe bargain.

THE SHOE STORE.

I have gone through my entire stock, have taken every odd pair of shoes

The price that I have put on these special lots will make lively selling,

rule has always been, no odds and ends, as soon as a line of shoes become

they'll tumble off the tables and roll out of the door, so be one of the first on

broken in size, push them out, get something for them, but let them go.

Lofland was chairman, here, with these Alice McFeely, Geo. W. McWhorter J. E. Graham.

Next to the apron booth came the

sisting of Mrs. Curtis E. Crane, Mrs. being a study in green and white with R. F. Parks, Fred. S. Russell, W. L. White.

> Nannie Bordley. COLONIAL VILLA. The Colonial Villa was simply idea

A. W. Carmine

H. B. Simmons. Harry Anthony Maud Kemp, Reba Strong. Fannie Anthony Anna Leaverton Louisa Urie.

indefatigable and popular ladies, viz.: near Still Pond. atterflies-Alice Skipper, Ellen Beck, Helen Mrs. J. Hydie Thompson, Mrs. J. E. prize packages, etc.

The Ice Cleam Booth occupied the stage and could not have been better managed than by these ladies:

Edith Dunbracco Nettie Sutton

SUPPER COMMITTEE. The Supper Committee managed their arduous task with the systematic perfection of a Barnum chef and fed over 500 Betterton. Our 4th Vice-President,

This committee comprised:

W. E. Jarrell. W. H. Brown, H. G. Simpers, S. E Ford, A. A. Harris, J. E. Ferguson, Wm. B. Usilton, J

the educated flies report that the animals waitresses. The articles sold there even included a Taft Opossum which was bought by Bryan's friend, Mr. Charles 420 votes; lemonade, 256; fancy, 225;

> The Chestertown band furnished music Messrs. Roland Matthews, Wilmer of the check room and did a big business.
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> Mr. Charles S. Smith auctioneered a life. large quantity of goods off Thursday

of which were hearts and cupids and There were drawings of all kinds presided over by energetic ladies, most among the successful ones being as fol-

C. Hughes, Virginia Little. Jr., Mrs. H. H. Barroll, Mrs. J. D. Bac- Flatbush, and Miss Helen Harper, Picture-Mrs. John C. Davis, Mr. W

Bradford Copper. Chair-Prof. T. H. Topping. Rifle-Mr. W. A. Wheatley, Jr. Bed Spread—Miss Agnes Estes. 5lb. candy-Miss Mary Fleming.

Very Special

\$4.00 values, this week \$2.50.

week, only \$2.50.

Men's Hand-Sewed

Dress Shoes

All Leathers and sizes, but not

The Modern Woodmen numbering 44 members attended the supper in a body. The Daughters of America, numbering 45, also attended. You may judge how delightful the en-

tertainment was when one lady lost her tooth laughing!

In order that the press should give to the public an idea of the receipts a meeting was held yesterday morning and the following unofficial returns given out: neat and tastily designed Cake Booth, it Candy

It is estimated that the gross receipts were over \$1400 and that over \$1200 will be turned over to the Fire Company after tonight's entertainment. A full list of the contributors to the

Carnival will be given in the NEWS next

STILL POND ITEMS.

Miss Mae Nicholson, of Galena, has een the guest of Mrs. Chas. Severson Miss Mary Capps is visiting relatives

Mrs. Chas. Walters has been visiting The Social held by Mrs. Chas. Severson's Sunday school class on Tuesday evening, in the Hall, was attended by a large crowd and the amount cleared was

On next Tuesday evening Mrs. Leonard Price's Sunday school class will hold an The prize booth was in charge of three apron and necktie social at her home Our pastor will have as an over-Sunday Ferguson and Mrs. Nesbit Trenchard, visitor, the Rev. W. C. Berckman, a local who took up this work under trying cir- preacher of Armory Methodist Episcopal cumstances and came out with flying Church, Dover, Del., who will preach colors. These ladies sold lemonade, the morning sermon in Still Pond church and at Betterton in the afternoon and evening. The meetings will close Sunday night at Betterton after a most successful meeting. This little church by

the sea is doing a great work for the On Sunday, Feb. 7, the extra meetings will begin in our church at Still Pond. Our pastor will be assisted the first week of the meetings by Rev. E. C. Sunfield, pastor of our church at Felton, Del. The Epworth League will hold their social and business meeting for January and February on Thursday evening on February 4th, at the home of Mr. and

drama, "Murder will out" as so few got to enjoy it before owing to weather con-The Epworth League devotional meeting will be led Sunday evening at 7 o'clock by Mr. F. H. Cornelius. Subject:

'For Love's Sake." Mr. Raymond Watts Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Price, of Betterton, and Miss Edith Virginia Coleman, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reese Coleman, of Crumpton, Md., were married at the parsonage Still Pond on Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock by the pastor. Rev. E. H. Collins. Mr. and Mrs. Price will make Betterton the place where they will begin their happy life

The ladies who were to have exhibited Mr. G. Spencer Boulden has set his bachelor friends of Still Pond and vicinity a good example by being united in marriage to Miss Cora B. Jewell, a well-known young lady of Still Pond, and very much loved by all her friends. The ceremony took place on Wednesday evening at 6.30 o'clock, January 27, 1909, at the parsonage, Still Pond, and was performed by Rev. E. H. Collins. Mr. Boulden is one of Still Pond's most successful young farmers, and the many Coleman and Simon Westcott had charge friends of both Mr. and Mrs. Boulden

DAVIS-HARPER. One of the prettiest weddings in Brookyn this winter was solemnized last Fri day evening, the 22nd instant, at the New York Avenue Methodist Episcopal Dolls-Mrs. H. B. Simmons, Dr. H. Church, being that of Mr. Thomas Joseph Davis, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Fancy pieces-Mrs. W. B. Usilton, Thomas J. Davis, of 1890 Ditwia Avenue, daughter of Mr. George W. Harper, of Still Pond, Md., formerly of Brooklyn. The bride who was given away by her father was attired in white duchess satin trimmed with duchess lace and pearls. The bridal bouquet was of white roses, lilies of the valley and orchards, and she wore a necklace of pearls, the gift of the groom. The bride was attended by Vases-Merrick Clements, Dr. Hughes. her sister, Miss Mary Harper, as maid of gown of nile green messaline, and whose bouquet was of sweet peas. The bridesmaids were Miss E. May S. Davis, a sister of the groom, Miss Corinne Gil-C. C. Jones bourne, of Portchester, and Miss Edith Plan, of Brooklyn, and whose gowns were of white net trimmed with nile green messaline. The bouquets were of white carnations. The best man was Mr. Albert McKee Canthers, of Flatbush. and the ushers were Messrs. Frank Phipps Rhaine, of Wautagh, Long Island, Philip Hait Hopkins, of Manhattan, H. LeRoy Demarest, of Tenafly, bard, of Brooklyn.

New Jersey, and Lester Stafford Heb-The floral decorations were by Applegate and were strikingly effective, the main isle of the church being converted A Week of Bargains into a bower of arches of smilax with standards of smilax and white roses. The altar was banked with a profusion of palms, and as the wedding party wended its way toward the altar to the strains of the wedding march from There isn't a shoe in the lot that isn't a good sturdy value, but my store "Lohengrin," it made a picture that number of friends who witnessed it. Immediately following the ceremony the wedding supper was served at the Union League Club, of Brooklyn, to the bridal party and the two immediate famlilies, among whom were: Mrs. Robert Taylor, of Westbury, England; Mr. and land; Miss Mary S. Watkins, of Baltimore, Judge and Mrs. John R. Davis, man, of Manhattan: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Samuel D. French, Miss Daisy Olin Berry; Mr. Wright Pearsall Humlett, Dr. and Mrs. Francis J. McConnell, Dr. and Mrs. John T. McFarland, and Mr. William Bennett, all of Brooklyn. Mr. and Mrs. Davis have gone South for their honey-moon and on their return will reside at 801 Ocean ave., Flatbush

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OPPOSITE STAM'S HALL.

SOMESHOESENSE

THIS SHOE SALE which starts today is entirely different from the usual shoe sales and from any sale that we have previously held. Shoe sales generally are made up of shoes bought for the occasion or undesirable shoes which neither have the store back of them as to comfort and wearing qualities.

We have put into this sale right from our regular stock shoes that sell at \$3.50 and \$4.00 a pair, they have to be moved during this dull season to make room for our mammoth spring business.

Now most of these we have in every size and width. These great values are not of the out-of-style shoes or the undesirable shapes, but brand new fall and winter styles, Patent Colt Skin, Kid and Gun Metal, button and lace.

Call and see the greatest values ever offered to the public in shoes and note the saving on each pair.

Shoes That Were \$3.50, \$4.00 NOW \$2.59

Tan Shoes for Ladies and Misses

The largest assortment ever shown in Chestertown of Ladies and Misses Tan Shoes.

The manufacturer came to us and offered us a lot of Tan Shoes that were made up for a party that failed in business at a great sacrifice, these shoes were made to retail at \$5.00 a pair. We are going to give our trade the advantage of this, they are here for the small sum of \$3.50. They are certainly beautiful.

Rubber Shoes for Ladies and Misses

Millinery Mercilessly Cut

The millinery season just closed surpassed by far our most sanguine expectations. To say the least, it exceeded all previous occasions, and this is saying much. Greater preparations were made, more varied styles were shown, detail and finish being given the most strict attention, hence the large season was the consequence Yet there still remains a few of the choice patterns that must move before the spring season draws upon us, and we right at the opening of the new year, have mercilessly slaughtered the price on all remaining stock. The price placed upon each hat is far below its actual value; yet they must go as we need the space—you need the hat? And it has been our purpose in the past and our intentions now to have a general clean-up at the close of each season. We start today, the sale is on and on in earnest and we suggest to those who have not as yet bought their winter head gear to call early and get the pick. The price will please and the hat must suit or no sale.

The Ladies' Store

Chestertown,

Maryland