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As I am going to move 司意 on or about the first of October, I wish to RE-DUCE MY STOCK to 词 the smallest possible amount.

IT WILL PAY YOU !! to come in and get my 100 PRICES ON ALL lines 5 of Clothing, Gent's Furnishings, Etc.

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(Successor to J. D. LUCAS) CLOTHIER

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We wish to thank all our friends and patrons who helped to save our stock on the night of I the big fire, and those ? who have so kindly sympathized with us in our distress.

We are erecting temporary shops on our lot near the depot and hope त to be ready by Wednes- री day, October 5, 1910.

We have the goods saved from fire in our New Warehouse at the depot and will be glad to have our friends call.

TIMOTHY SEED

now in stock and prices " are thankfully,

CHESTERTOWN, - MARYLAND

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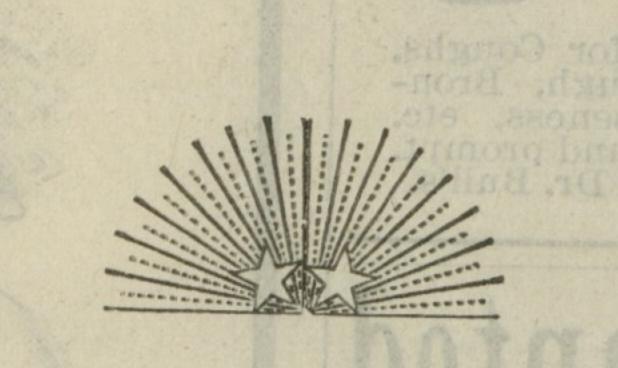
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We desire to express our praise and appreciation of the heroic work done by our Volunteer Fire Company and others during the conflagration of last Monday

To the Chestertown Volunteer Firemen is due the credit for checking the flames that to all appearances meant destruction to the entire upper portion of our town.

We also express our thanks to the Wilmington Fire Companies for their able

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Blaze Starts in Davis & Satterfield's Blacksmith Shops And Burns for Four Hours—20 Business Houses and a Half Dozen Homes Burned--Chestertown's Volunteer Fire. men Do Heroic Work and Get Control of Flames Before Help Arrives—Wilmington Sends Aid

LOSS \$90,000.00 COVERED BY ONE-HALF INSURANCE-BRICK STRUCTURES AND METAL ROOFS A GREAT PROTECTION.

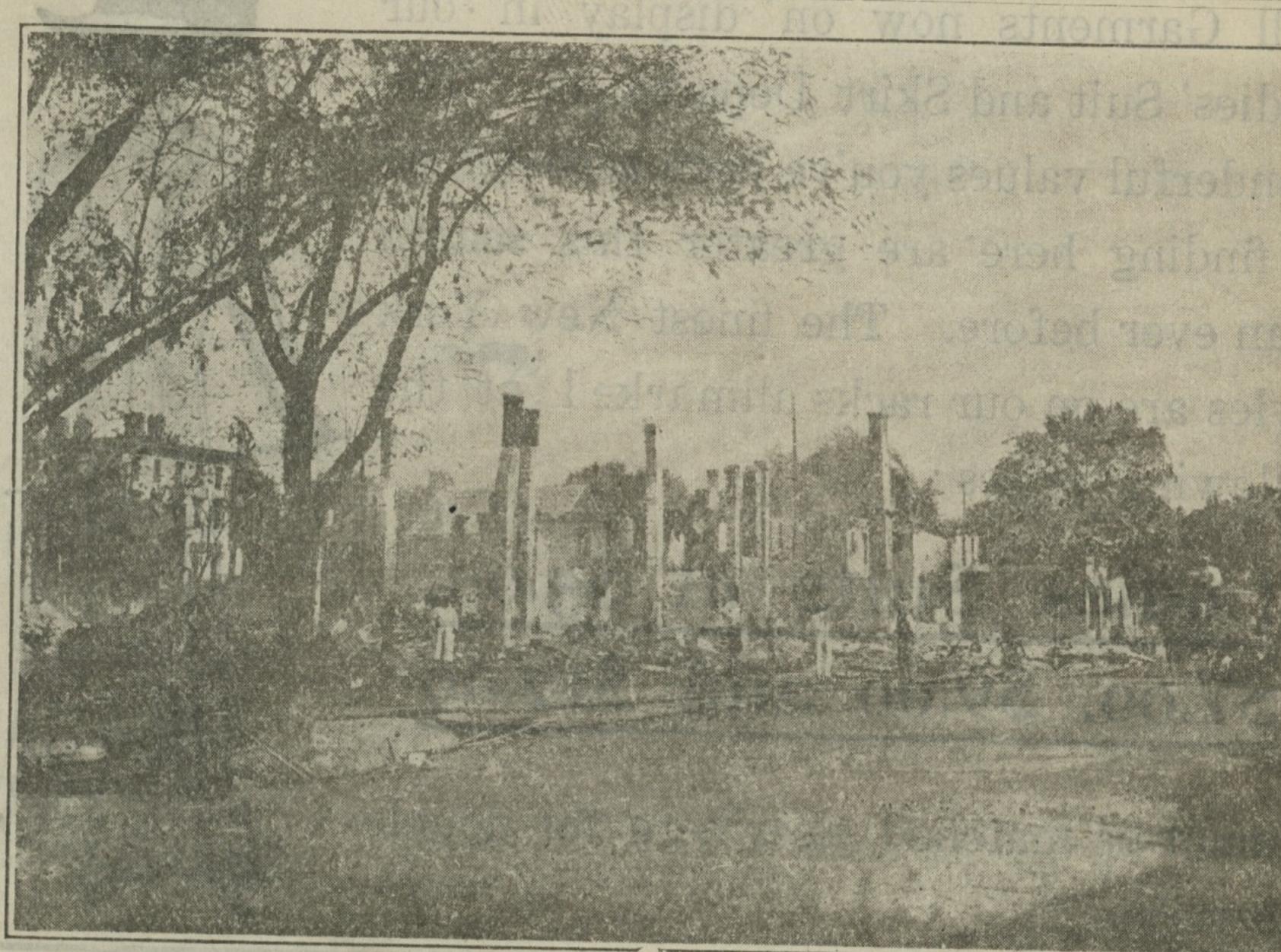
Chestertown was the scene of a con- | The big brick Bordley building on flagration Monday evening which sur- corner of High and Cross Street was passed anything ever witnessed here hoped for to break the onward rush of and no one cares to see its rival. With the flames but not so. With the ravenevery home and business place, stables ous appetite of an hungry animal the and outhouses as dry as powder and flames licked up building after building with a supply of water that was thought until the telephone office and W. R. to be small every one shuddered at the Maul's home was reached. Here a thought of a fire. desperate stand was made by the fire-

But at 7 o'clock Monday evening fire men and the good Protector caused the broke out in Davis & Satterfield's big wind to change to the West which blacksmith shop on Cross street and shifted the blaze more in the direction within a few minutes the shop and big of the big square. The water supply carriage and implement emporium was was holding out finely and seemed to be all ablaze, together with lumber, etc. getting better and better. All sorts The gallant Volunteer Firemen of Ches of reports about the Wilmington tertown with Chief Harry Cannan in Companies were circulated but at 9.23 it command were on the scene with the was learned they had left and would arquickness of a highly trained company rive here at about eleven o'clock, which and at once realized they had a difficult they did. It was now ten o'clock.

jable aid.

task before them. President France All the fencing and outhouses in the was with the "boys" too and gave valu- rear of this property were torn away and although exhausted with the long fight

The flames leaped across the small the brave fire "boys" went at the task alley to the express office and home of heroically. At 10.30 o'clock the fire Mr. John T. Matthews, agent. Then reached Moffett's home and shop. This there came Mr. W. L. Fowler's home, was covered with a metal roof while inpaint and paper house, J W. Kirby's side was a large refrigerator packed with home and marble room. By this time ice. Here the "boys" made the fight nearly everybody in town had arrived of their lives and conquered the blaze!



View of the Ruins Looking from Cannon Street down Cross toward the Voshell House. Notice the tin roof hanging down over Moffett's home where the Firemen made a successful stand.

and families were moving their house- We would like to mention some of the hold effects into the streets and great 'boys' seen scaling the roofs in the rear excitement prevailed. There was a stiff be missed we refrain. But the News breeze blowing from the southwest men were at their sides and saw the which carried the blaze toward High noble work of Chestertown's brave fire street toward much valuable prop- fighters. erty. As the fire grew hotter the breeze It was after 11 o'clock when Wilming.

higher and higher. ! Nickerson's shop.

grew stronger. By the time two or three ton help arrived, being delayed in loadbuildings were blazing it was deemed ing and 11.30 before they turned on the advisable to ask aid of Wilmington. water from the river. These companies The Water Board, Mr. J. D. Bacchus, responded, the Liberty, Weccacoe and president, and commissioners, Wm. T. Reliance, with Simon Moran, chief. Duyer, president, held a hurried confer- The engines were brought to the fire by J.WALTER SKIRVEN & CO ence and sent for help. This act gave Mr. Wm. Needles with his two big bays confidence to every one and inspired and for hours thousands of gallons of hope as the flames continued to rise river water were turned on the smoking embers. The three engines were sta-After the Kirby building was burned tioned at intervals on High street and the flames leaped across a small alley their continued chuck, chuck, chuck, and soon enveloped Wm. A. Burk's and whistling reminded one of the big home and shoe shop, John S. Vande- Baltimore blaze. These companies, al-Let us talk with you before buying stock ewes. grift's home and barber shop, J. E. though late in arriving, did good work

on the dying embers and in preventing the spread of the fire, but also in bringing confidence to our people and allaying fear, lest it might break out in other places, as the sparks flew all over town. Fraternal Hall took fire and was quickly discovered and put out by Messrs. G. B. Westcott and C. W. Wroth. Mr. T. W. Eliason had at least 20 men on his properties in the neighborhood putting out the burning embers as they fell on his roofs, as did Dr. H. B. Simmons, W. R. Pippin, A. L. Sparks, George Rouse and others. Simon Evans with others were on the roof of the Voshell House and did good service. As far out as Mr. W. A. Bell's the sparks flew, setting fire to a post. Messrs. Elwood Baker and James Bartley were on top of the big Bartley building and put out the sparks as they fell and kept the cornices covered

The Smith-Estes home and Bramble harness room were in direct line of the blaze. All of Mr. Ollie Estes' goods were moved but Mr. Bramble did not remove anything. |Messrs. Ollie Estes, Wm. Malin, C. L. Dodd, W. U. Lusby and others placed metal roofing outside all windows and prepared to make a last stand here in case the fire got beyond

Bradley's store. It was a wise act. While the fire was burning up High street the residences and houses on the south side of Cross street and on Cannon 1. street were kept saturated with water by owners and friends.

The colored tenaments in Wm. R. Maul's double house on Cannon street (Continued on Eighth Page)

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