

"SIMPLY GRAND!"

IS THE GENERAL EXCLAMATION
of all who visit the

Mammoth One-Price Cash Store.

It is my delight to announce to you a first class line of **FALL and WINTER GOODS**. It is truly a Variety Store. If I cannot save you from 25 to 40 per cent. over any concern south of Baltimore City, I will "throw up the sponge and say nothing more upon the subject."

I only can give a few in each department as it would fill every column of this valuable paper to give in detail all its innumerable contents, so will give you a faint idea in the following departments:

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

I call your attention to the **extra-ordinary** Tucker, Smith & Co's Shoes, which need no commendation from me. But suffice to say that you can count on them **always**.

Men's fine ties, \$1.25, worth \$1.50;
do " button calf, \$1.65, " 2.00
do " " " 1.95, " 2.25
do " " " 1.87, " 2.15
do " " " 2.05, " 2.30
do " " " 3.00, " 3.50
do " " " 1.95, " 2.25
do " " " 1.65, " 1.75
do " split plows, 1.15, " 1.25
do " " " 1.25, " 1.50
do " extra seamless, 1.00, " 1.25
Boys' wool calf, 1.30, " 1.50
do " do " 1.15, " 1.35
do " do " 1.37, " 1.50
Ladies' do " 1.37, " 1.50
do bright dongolas, 2.65, " 3.00
do do kid, \$3.37, 3.50, 3.75 worth 2.50,
[275, 3.85

do grain button \$1.25 to 1.50 " 1.50 to 1.75
do kid fox, 1.50 " 1.75
do do gloves, 1.20 " 1.40
Misses' ped. grain but. 1.25 " 1.35
do do goat, 1.50 " 1.65
Children's fine grain, 1.20 worth 1.35
do do do 95 do 1.10
do do do 1.00 do 1.25
do do do 65 do 75
Men's boots, \$1.90, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.45
Boys do \$1.75, 1.95, " "
Child's do \$1.20.

Grocery Department. All Standard Goods
Port-wine Molasses, 28c worth 35
Cuba, do 35 do 45
Golden Syrup, 40 do 45
Bright Drips, 50 do 60
Grated Sugars, 9c. Light C Sugars, 7 1/2
Coffee, 15, 20 and 25. Tea, 25, 40, 50 a 90c
Flour—standard family, \$5.80 to \$6.25

Furniture Department.
I have the pleasure to call again your attention to Furniture. To young men as well as old who contemplate beautifying their dearest spot on earth; "HOME," I am right here to gladly serve you. How grand a thing it is for every well thinking young man to have a cozy, though humble little home wherein to rest from his toil. It is a joy to me to be able to say that since my advent here I have been instrumental in making many cheerful homes. I shall be pleased to furnish you in this all important start, at prices "beyond the shadow of a doubt" 25 and 40 per cent. below Baltimore prices. This is a bold assertion, but rest assured, they are solid facts or I will forfeit a suit.

Chamber Suits, 7 pieces, \$18, worth \$24
do do 10 do 25, " 30
do do 10 do 28, " 35
Bureaus and Dressers, 6.80 to 8.25
Bedsteads, 3.75 to 5.50
Centre and leaf tables, 2.50 to 3.00
Wood split chairs, \$2.75 per half dozen
do do bow backs, 3.75 " "
Oak chairs, \$4.00 to 4.50 " "
Cane Seat 4.75 to 5.50 " "

Clothing Department.
I have positively the Finest, Cheapest line of Clothing ever shown in Leonardtown, and styles that all admire. To see them is to buy them.
Men's Suits from \$5.50 to \$17.50
Youths' do do 3.50 to 9.50
Children's do 2.25 to 5.50

Holton Department.
Men's Suspenders, 8, 12, 14, 16, 17, 30, 34c
do Hosiery, 40, 6, 7, 8, 10 to 35c
do Collars, all styles and sizes, 10, 12, 15
do Dress Shirts, made of N. Y. Mills
[Famalin, 80c. worth \$1.25
do do standard goods, 50, 90 do 1.10
Boy Shirts, 25, 35, 50
do under-shirts, 25, 35, 50
adies' Jerseys, 50, 75, to 1.00
do Hosiery, 8, 10, 12, 15, 20
do Bustles, latest styles, 25 and 50c
do Collars, all 5, 10, 12, 13
Prints, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10 to 14c
Spool cotton, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c
Box paper, 24 envelopes, 24 sheets paper,
[5, 8, 9, 18c
Aest. hair pins, 100 in box, " "
Butter Dishes, 10 cents, worth 25 cents

Tinware Department.
1 gallon covered buckets 9 cents
do " " 15 " "
Milk pans, 5 to 10 " "
Wash Basins, 5 to 10 " "
Tea Pans, 12, 15, 25 and 35 cts

Ladies' Cloak Department.
Your attention, Ladies, please to these goods, never before brought to Leonardtown in such quantities and styles. These goods are bought direct from the manufacturer, so they are 25 per cent. below anywhere else. All first-class goods and all of the very latest styles. I shall make this line one of my specialties.

Ladies' Cloaks, \$3.25 to \$12.00
Misses' School do, \$2.00 to \$3.50

Five Cent Counter.
It is a pleasure to say that the 5 and 10 Cent Counter is a perfect wonder in itself. The surprise of all, it contains tinware really worth 10 and 25 cents. Glassware worth 10 to 25 cents. Granite Ware, Stone Ware and one hundred other articles worth 10 and 25 cents. Come often to this novelty as they are swept off as fast as they come in. I shall have them coming steady along.

Terms. Cash on Delivery.
By taking no risks I can serve you at very bottom figures.
Standing upon merit alone, fair and square to all, I ask you to command.
Your faithful servant,
J. W. JOHNSON,
Leonardtown.

ESTABLISHED 1822.

JOSIAH H. D. SMOOT,
DEALER IN

Lumber, Shingles, Laths,

NAILS, LIME, CEMENT, CALCINED
PLASTER, &c., &c., &c.

MANUFACTURER OF
FLOORING, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS
RAMES, MOULDINGS, MANTELS,
BRACKETS AND ALL KIND OF
WOOD WORK.

Office and yard No. 21 North Union St. Fac
tory Nos. 13 and 15 North Lee St.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Seasoned Lumber and flooring kept
under cover.

B. R. ABELL, Agent, Leonardtown, is
authorized to sell and collect. Orders left
with him will receive prompt attention.
March 18, 1889—y.

**FINE DIAMONDS,
WATCHES,
JEWELRY,**

SOLID SILVER AND PLATED WARE,
Wedding and Birthday Presents,
CHARLES A. ROUSH,
42 West Lexington St., NEAR LIBERTY,
Oct. 11—1y. BALTIMORE, MD.

UNDERTAKING.
COFFINS and CASKETS of latest
style finished at shortest notice and at prices
to suit the times.

TWO HEARSES
always at hand.
HORSESHOEING, \$1.00 Cash.
(If booked, \$1.25.)
In conjunction with my BLACKSMITH and
WHEELWRIGHT department, I am prepared to
do all kinds of work at low prices.

**CARTS, WAGONS,
BUGGIES, &c**
at low prices,
REPAIRING,
PAINTING
and TRIMMING
a specialty.

Having accepted an agency for J.
W. Delaplaine's Marble Works, I am pre-
pared to furnish Monuments, etc. at re-
asonable rates.
J. A. DILLON,
Leonardtown, Md.
April 21, 87—4f

LUMBER.
B. R. ABELL, agent for the large
lumber dealer, J. H. D. SMOOT, of Alexan-
dria, will keep constantly on hand in Leon-
ardtown
Boards, Scantling,
Weather Boarding,
Flooring, Fallings,
Dressed Boards, Shingles,
Doors, Sash, &c.
Also, Laths, Lime and Hair, which he will
sell at city prices.
Orders for lumber from the yard in Al-
exandria will be promptly attended to.
Aug 16—4f

CARROLL & ENEY,
DEALERS IN
FINE SHOES & HATS,
203 Hanover Street,
1 Door South of Pratt,
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c 1—y

SAINT MARY'S ACADEMY,

Leonardtown, Md.,
UNDER CHARGE OF THE
Sisters of Charity

OF NAZARETH, KENTUCKY.

The course of Studies includes Christian
Doctrine, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic,
Book-keeping, Algebra, Geometry, Eng-
lish Grammar, Geography, History, Rhetoric,
the Elements of Botany, Mental and
Natural Philosophy, Astronomy, Chemis-
try, Literature, Plain and Ornamental
Needlework, Music on the Piano and Gut-
tar and French.

Boys from the age of 7 to 14 years are
received.
For terms or further information apply to
SISTER MADEIRA,
Leonardtown, Md.

Harry Spalding,
LEONARDTOWN, MD.
DRUGGIST,

Pure Drugs, Pharmaceutical Preparations
and genuine Perfumes, Extracts,
Colognes, Soaps, Tooth
and Nail Brush-
es, Hair
Brushes, Flesh
Brushes, Pomades, Cos-
metics and Hair Oils of the most
celebrated French, English and Domestic
Makers.

Physicians' orders promptly filled
and prescriptions carefully compounded.
All are invited to call and examine my
stock.

For the accommodation of n.y. cus-
tomers, stamps, postal cards, etc. will be al-
ways on hand.
March 1, 1883—4f

EDWARD D. R. BEAN. T. ALEXIS BERRY
BEAN & BERRY,
General Commission Merchants

FOR THE SALE OF
Tobacco, Grain, Wool, Hides, Live Stock,
FURS, EGGS, FRUIT, PRODUCE, &c.
No. 110 S. Charles Street,
BALTIMORE, MD.
Orders solicited for Provisions, Seeds, Fer-
tilizers, &c. Oct. 4—1y.

PURKER.
DEALER AND MANUFACTURER
Fine Guns,
Rifles,
Pistols, &c.
POWDER, SHOT, SHELLS, &c.
constantly on hand and at the lowest
prices.
E. PRATT ST., near Light, BALTIMORE.

THE COMMERCIAL HOUSE,
MECHANICVILLE, MD.,
G. W. BURROUGHS, Proprietor.

Good rooms, good table and everything
first class. Give me a call. Livery at-
tached, and travelers sent to all parts of the
county. Rates low. June 24—4f.

JO F. MORGAN,
Insurance Agent & Broker,
LEONARDTOWN, MD.
Represents the following First Class Com-
panies with combined assets of twelve mil-
lions of dollars, and has facilities for placing
large lines of insurance on the most favor-
able terms in home or foreign companies.
Royal Fire Insurance of Liverpool,
Waterloo Fire, of New York,
London, Liverpool & Globe, Fire,
Mutual Endowment Assurance of Baltimore,
New York Mutual Life,
Connecticut Mutual Life.
Jan 12, 83—4f

MISS E. S. MILBURN,
719 NORTH EUTAW STREET,
[Old No. 197.]
BALTIMORE, MD.
Ladies' Underwear,
Children's Costumes,
Children's Dresses,
Children's Bonnets and Caps,
Infants' Wardrobes.
All orders promptly attended to.
Oct. 28, 1886—y.

What is

CASTORIA

Castoria is Dr. Sam'l Pitcher's old, harmless and quick cure for
Infants' and Children's Complaints. Superior to Castor Oil,
Fragorice or Narcotic Syrups. Children cry for Castoria. Mil-
lions of Mothers bless Castoria.

Castoria cures Colic, Constipation;
Stomach, Diarrhea, Eructation;
Gives healthy sleep; also aids digestion;
Without narcotic stupefaction.

I recommend Castoria for children's
complaints, as superior to any preparation
known to me. E. A. ANTON, M. D.,
111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

THE CHEMISTS COMPANY, 71 Murray St., New York.

1824. My Maryland

BY BRIDE
The rosy rays of morning
Upon a verdant hill
The quick waves of a sea
Wash o'er the golden sand

A quiet peace, a calm
Hovers o'er all around
A soothing, soft tranquility
Unbroken by a sound

The first green buds of spring
Just opening to the eye
Shiny and timid as the
Half smiling of a bride

Gaily, and rich, and clear
The strains of myriad warblers burst
Forth on the listener's ear

Out on the stream no speck is seen—
Nothing yet look on more,
Are not two tiny, white-sailed boats
Bearing towards the shore?

The Ark—oh blessed, precious Ark!
Laden not as of old—
But with a fervent gathering
Of earnest hearts and bold.

The Dove—sweet harbinger of peace!
That brings within her breast,
A true religious zeal, and hopes
Of happiness and rest.

Soon on the land, this little group
Return their thanks to God;
Beneath the mulberry a cross
Is planted in the sod.

The sky their only roof, the birds
Their wild, untutored choir,
Yet kneeling there, their hearts are filled
With Heaven's holy fire.

Despite rough Claborn's jealous wrath,
The little band grew great,
And made St. Mary's Colony
The mother of the State.

And though most parts of Maryland
Are rich and fair, 'tis plain
There's none so rich in history,
And none so free from stain.

From year to year it rose and grew
'Till now, to-day, it stands,
A monument of victory—
Fair land among fair lands.

Oh! Maryland, loved Maryland,
Thy star, though small, is bright;
And glitters through the mist of years
A beacon-head of light.

Thus may it ever shine 'till Time
Its utmost course has run;
And may each year some glory add
To that already won.

OAKVILLE, Md., Jan. 29th.

Parting with the Family Pet.
The other morning, while the pro-
prietor of the approaching circus and
menagerie was picking his teeth on
the steps of the Russ House, a tall,
sun-burned, bald-headed man, with
pina barra in his clothes and a stick
of saasarra in his mouth, approached
and said:
"Be you the wild animal man, mis-
ter?"

The proprietor of the circus admit-
ted that such was the fact.
"Then," proceeded the man from
the mountains, "I think I'll get you
to make me an offer for a large-sized
California lion I've got."

"Good specimen, eh?" asked the
circus man.
"Good? Well, I should say so.
Measures eleven feet from the tip of
his nose to the tip of his tail. Caught
him myself when a cub. Just 4 years
old to morrow."

"Hum—good appetite."
"Appetite? Great Scott—appetite?
Well, I should smile—that's just the
point—that's just why I am parting
with Jay—I call him Jay Gould be-
cause he takes everything in. If it
wasn't for his appetite and the queer
little things it makes him do, I would
not part with Gould for a fortune."

"Savage, eh?"
"Well, no, I don't know as I should
call Jay savage exactly—sorter nib-
bish, though, he may be." Has a kin-
der habit of gnawing up things, so to
speak. In fact, the neighbors—I live
in Bladder's Peak—have gotten to be
so fussy and particular of late that I
can't so much as unchain J. G. for a
little fresh air without their getting
grumpy about it."

"There's no pleasing some people,"
said the hippodrome.
"I should say not. Now, first-
instance, 'bout three months after Jay got
as big as a boarding house sofa I came
home one day from a picnic and found
he had eaten up Aunt Maria, who had
been left at home to mind the house
—leastwise she was nowhere to be
found; and as Jay Gould seemed sorter
pungy like and kept coughing up hair-
pins and false teeth for a day or two,
we kinder suspicioned the whole thing."

"Maternal aunt?" inquired the
showman, thoughtfully.
"Exactly. My wife took on dread-
fully at first, and wanted me to shoot
Jay right off. But I told her that he
had probably suffered a good deal as
it was, and that as most likely he'd
catch the rheumatism and things from
the remains, we'd better call it square."

"And did she?"

"Well, she kinder got reconciled
after a while, especially as Jay seemed
fond of playing with the children.
One morning soon after that my wife's
mother—whole family lived with me,
you see—didn't come down to break-
fast. As all her false hair was hang-
ing over a chairback, and Gould
crawled out from under the bed lick-
ing his chops, and with his tongue a
good deal coated—mother-in-law was
always taking things for the liver
and such like—she kinder got suspi-
cious."

"By the law you may sell it to men
and women, if they will buy. You
have given your bond and paid your
license to sell to them, and no one has
a right to molest you in your legal
business. No matter what the com-
plaints may be, no matter what pos-
sible injury or destruction are produced
by your selling according to law, you
have paid your money for this privilege
and you are licensed to pursue your call-
ing. No matter what families are dis-
tracted and rendered miserable; no
matter what wives are treated with
violence; what children starve or
mourn over the degradation of a pa-
rent—your business is legalized, and
no one may interfere with you for it.
No matter what mother may agonize
over the loss of a son, or a sister blush
at the shame of a brother, you have
a right to disregard them all and pursue
your legal calling—you are licensed.
You may fit up your lawful place of
business in the most enticing and cap-
tivating form; you may furnish it
with the most costly and elegant
equipments for your own lawful trade;
you may fill it with the allurement
of music; you may use all arts to al-
lure visitors; you may skillfully ar-
range and expose to view your choicest
wines and captivating beverages; you
may induce thirst by all contrivances
to produce a raging appetite for drinks,
and then you may supply that appe-
tite to the full because it is lawful;
you have paid for it—you have a li-
cense. You may allow boys and chil-
dren to frequent your saloon; they
may witness the apparent satisfaction
with which their seniors quaff the
sparkling glass; you may be schooling
and training them for the period of
twenty-one, when they, too, can partici-
pate, for all this is lawful. You
may hold the cup to their lips, but
you must not let them drink—that is
unlawful. For, while you have all
these privileges for the money you
pay, this poor privilege of selling to
children is denied you. Here parents
have the right to say, 'Leave my son
to me until the law gives you a right
to destroy him. Do not anticipate
that terrible moment when I can as-
sert for him no further rights of pro-
tection. That will be soon enough for
me, for his sister, for his mother, for
his friends, for the community, to see
him take the road to death. Give
him to us in his childhood at least.
Let us have a few hours of his youth
in which we can enjoy his innocence,
to repay us in some small degree of
the care and love we have lavished
upon him.' This is something which
you who now stand a prisoner at the
bar have not paid for; this is not em-
braced in your license. For this of-
fense the court sentences you to ten
days imprisonment in the county jail,
and that you pay a fine of \$75 and
costs; and that you stand committed
until the fine and costs of this prose-
cution are paid."

"Don't wonder you want to sell the
beast," remarked the menagerie man,
after a pause.

"Well, I sorter do and sorter don't,"
said Mr. Skidmore, abstractedly.
"There's so many memories and things
clustered around J. G.—seems kinder
like parting with one's family bury-
ing lot, as it were. On the other hand,
though, now that the old lady is gone,
I sorter feel as if the old insect had—
well, had outlived his usefulness, so to
speak. So, suppose I just have this
box hauled around to your show, af-
ter the performance this afternoon, and
see if we can't strike a bargain."

"All right," said the manager. "I'm
going up Salt Lake way after awhile,
and perhaps I can work him off for
big money to some of the Mormon el-
ders."

"There's a mint of money in him as
a family pet," said the other earnest-
ly, and after striking the circus pro-
prietor for a season dead-head the
widower shouldered his umbrella and
drifted sadly down the street.—San
Francisco Post.

Do not consult anybody, but
invest twenty-five cents in a bottle of
Salvation Oil. It kills pain!

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must come to the conclusion that
everybody should be provided with
Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the poor con-
sumptive's friend.

Want of principal is the prin-
cipal want of many people.

An Extraordinary Sentence by a Judge.

The following extract is taken from
a sentence pronounced by a Judge
upon a liquor dealer who had viola-
ted the law by selling liquor to a minor.
It will pay a careful perusal:

"By the law you may sell it to men
and women, if they will buy. You
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MARRIAGE IN HINDOSTAN.—The

coolies of Hindostan begin the mar-
riage ceremony by the contracting
parties seating themselves in a circle
of friends, who sing, while the bride-
maids rub them both with a powder
called huldee or tumeric. This is sup-
posed to beautify them, and make
them as valuable as gold to each other.
Then they are taken out and
wedded to two trees—the bride to a
mukwa-tree, the bridegroom to a man-
grove. Then they sing the *trav* to their
stra.

Entering the house, they are placed,
standing face to face, on a stone used
for grinding curry powder, beneath
which is a plow yoke, supported on
sheaves of grass or straw. Next the
bride and groom tread on each other's
toes, for they are barefooted, or
butt their heads against each other.
The bridemaid then pours a jar of wa-
ter over the head of each, which is
taken as an emblem of purity. This
ends the first day's performances.

The next morning they go down to
a river or a pond, and, forming two
parties, the girls under the leadership
of the bride, the boys under the bride-
groom, they pelt each other with clods
of mud. Then the bride and groom
hide in the water a water vessel, which
the other party must find. The girl
having filled the vessel with water
places it on her head, while the groom
shoots an arrow between her arm and
the pitcher. The bride walks to where
the arrow has fallen, and picks it up
with her foot, returning it to her hus-
band. This shows that she can wait
upon and serve her lord and master,
while the shooting of the arrow indi-
cates that he must protect her, but
she must not venture beyond his pro-
tection.

THE VEILED PICTURE.—Two ar-
tist-lovers sought the hand of a noted
painter's daughter. The question
which of the two should possess him-
self of the prize so earnestly coveted
by both having finally come to the
father he promised to give his child
to the one who could paint best. So,
with the highest skill his genius could
command, each strove for the maiden.
One painted a picture of fruit and
displayed it to the father's inspection
in a beautiful grove, where gay birds
sang sweetly among the foliage, and
all nature rejoiced in the luxuriance
of a bountiful life. Presently the
birds came down to the canvases of
the young painter, and attempted to
eat the fruit he had pictured there. In
his surprise and joy at the young ar-
tist's skill the father declared that no
one could triumph over that.

Soon, however, the other lover came
with his picture, and it was veiled.
"Take the veil from your painting,"
said the old man.

"I leave that to you," said the
young artist with simple modesty.

The father approached the veiled
picture, and attempted to uncover it.
But great was his astonishment when,
as he attempted to take off the veil,
he found the veil itself to be a picture.
Plainly he who could so veil his can-
vases with the brush as to deceive a
skillful master was the greater artist.

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