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The Rexall Store GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Simplify the Gift Problems and Minimize the Expenditure By Shopping at Our Store.

Candies.

Price and Quality compared, we emphatically say, we have

The Candy.

This we know because we have tried them all. Our continued increased trade proves that the public is learning the High Quality of

Guth's and Liggett's Chocolates.

They are made in the finest equipped and most sanitary factories in the world and cannot be compared with the cheap inferior makes. Your friend and yourself will appreciate the difference.

Put Up in Beautiful Christmas Packages.

- One pounds - 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50.
- Two pounds - 69c, 1.75, 2.00, 2.40, 2.75.
- Three pounds - 3.00, 3.25.
- Five pounds - 2.25, 5.50, 6.75.

Stationery.

Our assortment of Distinctive Box Paper, consists of many styles and sizes of

Symphony Lawn, Symphony Charm, Marshal France, Lord Baltimore,

And other Exclusive Brands, always Acceptable Gifts for friends. Prices from

25c to \$5.00.

Perfumes.

The Finest American and Imported Perfumes in Smart Sets and Individual Bottles.

- Langlois Car. Nome Extract - \$3.50
- " Toilet Water - \$3.50
- " Boquet Dazira Water - \$4.25
- Coty's L'Origan Extract - \$5.98
- " Toilet - 3.60
- " Sachet Powder - 2.39
- Houbigant's Ideal Toilet Water - 3.30
- Houbigant's Quelque fleur - 4.38
- Arllys LaBoheme - \$1.39
- Djer Kiss Extract - 1.69
- " Toilet Water - 1.67
- Azurea Extract - 1.80, 2.70, 4.50
- Mavis-Mary Garden-Boquet Ramee-Jontee and all the popular American makes in Boxes at 50c, 75c, 90c, 1.00 and up-in single packages and combination Sets.

Cigars.

In Boxes of 25 and 50 Cigars in Imported and Domestic Goods.

- The LaSolica, A Clear Havana Cigar made in Bond, 5.35 and 4.88.
- The Royal Sovereign-A blend of fine Havana and Porto Rican Tobacco, 3.50 and 6.75.
- The Pletora-A Pure Porto Rican Cigar 2.50 and 4.80.
- The Murat-A Havana Blend Cigar, 3.00 and 5.85
- The Westminster-A Domestic Seed Blend with Java wrapper, 1.60 and 3.00.
- Also Engagement,--W. D.--Black and White--and many other popular brands.
- Cigarettes in Christmas packages. Cigar and Cigarette Cases.

Other suggestions are White Ivory Toilet Articles--Manicure Sets--Ladies' and Gents' Leather Goods--Safety Razors--Fountain Pens--Signet Pencils, Card Cases and Cards--Kodaks and Cameras--Thermos Bottles--Brushes of all description, Etc., Etc.

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BLUE RIDGE

The Harold Proctor Company will give the third annual Lecture Course of Blue Ridge College, in the Auditorium on Tuesday evening, December 20.

The two basket ball games played on the home floor resulted very favorably for Blue Ridge. Score with Loyola: Blue Ridge 23, Loyola 15; with Polytechnic, Blue Ridge 18, Polytechnic 13. At this writing the students are making big plans for a basket ball game with the Navy at Annapolis this week. There will be a number of boys to accompany the team. By the time this falls into the hands of our readers the game will have been played and the score made. On Friday evening, December 15, the Blue Ridge boys will meet the Army and Navy on the home floor.

Mr. Bibb Mills, a representative of the Anti-Saloon League of Maryland, spoke before the students before the College on Sunday evening, December 11, presenting the work of the League in Maryland.

Earl Flohr, field representative of Blue Ridge, gave during the past week his illustrated lecture on "Does Education Pay?" before the following High Schools: Resigsville, W. Va., Middletown, Md.; and Boonsboro, Md. During the same week he gave the lecture before the Hagerstown Church of the Brethren and before the Johnsontown (W. Va.) church. This week's schedule will include Myersville High School, Brunswick High School, Burdettville High School, Wolfsville High School and Grossnickle's church of the Brethren.

Prof. Wm. Kinsey, of the Bible Department, attended as a delegate the Twentieth National Convention of the Anti-Saloon League, held at Washington, D. C. from December 6 to 8. Prof. Kinsey was one of the six hundred out of the one thousand delegates to be received by the President and to shake his hand. On Sunday morning Prof. Kinsey gave before the students a report of the convention.

The Christmas program to be given by the Music Department of this College on this Sunday evening, December 18, is as follows: Hymn, Oh, Come All Ye Faithful, congregation; prayer; "Silent Night, Hallowed Night," Men's Glee Club; piano solo, "Angels Harp," Miss Geraldyn Wood; anthem, "O Night of Glory," chorus; Nazareth, Women's Glee Club; "Praise the Lord," Male Quartet; vocal solo, "Manger Cradle," Miss Olga Bomack; Christmas hymn, "O Holy Night," Men's Glee Club; piano solo, "In the Hour of Trial," Miss Katherine Leister; "He Shall Be Great," Mixed Quartet; "Adore and Be Still," Women's Glee Club; address, "The Christ Child," Pres. Ross D. Murphy; anthem, "O Zion that Bringest Good Tidings," Women's Glee Club; congregation, benediction.

SANDYVILLE

Sunday school at 9.45. Preaching at 10.45. C. E. at 7 and Union revival services at 7.30. The meeting has been in progress a couple weeks with much interest at this time. The most helpful and deep sermons have been preached by the two pastors. All cordially invited to attend these services. The Life Society met at the home of

Mrs. Emory Zapp on Friday afternoon, December 2. Notwithstanding the down pour of rain, a number of ladies braved the storm, and enjoyed the afternoon quilting. Sandwiches, cake, coffee and ice cream were served to all. The next meeting will be held at the church in January, when the male members will be entertained.

Mrs. Wilbur Arnold went to the Maryland University this Wednesday to have her tonsils removed. Mrs. Emma Tanner has been sick in bed over a week. The stork left a fine baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mummaugh last Saturday.

Mrs. T. O. Shipley was sick with the grip last week.

Mr. Ralph Lockard, of Baltimore, spent Sunday at his parent's home. Mrs. Seaford, of Baltimore, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Catherine Hill. Mr. Edward Osterhaus died suddenly last Friday evening. He was buried on Monday afternoon at Providence. He left a widow, a son, two daughters and a number of grandchildren. He was a kind, good husband, father and neighbor.

Several snows have fallen recently.

STONE CHAPEL

Sunday school 1.30 p. m. Preaching 2.30 p. m. December 18. We are looking forward to hearing a Christmas sermon on Sunday, as that will be the last sermon for us in this year. We will expect a full house. Dr. Albin Duvall lost thru death his fine driving horse, Maud.

A snow three inches deep fell Tuesday, December 13. All indications are for a white Christmas.

Mrs. Willie Radloff, of Baltimore, while visiting Mrs. Weidon Duvall, had an acute attack of bronchitis, but is improving at this writing.

Word came to the home folks of J. Wesley Poole, of Chicago, that he was feeling stronger. Mrs. Laura Selman returned home Friday, December 9, after visiting one of her school girls, Mrs. George Knox, Sigwood, and niece, Mrs. Vinton Cable, Eastview.

Our state road is to be built in 1922. We are all rejoicing over the news. Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dull and family on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dull and four children, Madeline, Roy, Raymond and Mary Dull, of Patuxent; Mr. Claud Mummaugh, of Westminster; Mr. Jesse Hermitz, of Virginia; Edward and Paul Ness and Mr. Vernon Yinzling, all of Sydenhursburg. They all enjoyed the day and had a good time.

While Mr. Robert S. Shriver, East Green street was attending early Mass at St. John's Catholic Church, Sunday, his two spare tires were taken from his machine. The strap that held the tires fast were cut and tires removed without detection. Officer Helm called Pikesville police headquarters to keep a look out for a clue. The tires have not been heard of. Tire stealing has been going on for some time here without finally ending the guilty. This tire was pulled off in broad daylight.



STONESIFER'S

The Real Christmas Store!

The roads are in a terrible condition, but if will pay you to come a long way to our Store for your Xmas Gifts. We have the nicest line of Xmas Goods that we have ever carried and we are sure you can't get the same Quality anywhere at the same Price. Here are a few Good Suggestions for Ladies:

Turk Knit Guest Sets.

1 Bath Towel, 1 Guest Towel and Wash Cloth put up in a nice Box.

\$1.19.

Beautiful Table or Lunch Cloths \$1.25.

\$1.00 Fancy Turkish Towels, now 69c.

A Beautiful Box of Ladies' Handkerchiefs for 50c.

\$1.25 Corsets for 98c

\$10.00 to \$15.00 Choker Furs, now \$4.98 to \$6.75

Bargain in Ladies' Purses.

We have bought a lot of Sample Purses that sell everywhere from \$2.50 to \$5.00. You can take your pick for \$1.98.

Ladies' \$1.50 Silk and Wool Hose, now 98c.

Ladies' Fine Imported Kid Gloves at the Pre War Price \$2.00.

The well known BUSTER BROWN Silk Hose for Ladies. Special for Xmas 98c.

Ladies' Buster Brown Fine Lisle, now only 50c.

50c to \$1.00 Collar and Cuff Sets, Your Choice 35c.

While in Westminster don't fail to visit our New Cloak and Suit Department. We are offering One Piece Wool Serge Dresses as Low as \$5.98. We also have some nice Coats for Ladies as Low as \$9.98.

We have a lot of Real French Ivory Comb and Brush Sets. Also the separate pieces which we are offering at about the wholesale prices.

Boys, this is a good chance for you to get your Girl a good Set at the Right Price.

A FEW SUGGESTIONS FOR THE CHILDREN.

\$3.50 White Sweaters, now \$1.98.

Children's Coats \$4.98 Up. Child's \$2.50 Plush Hats, now \$1.48.

ONE WORD ABOUT SHOES.

If you can't find Shoes that give you satisfactory wear, come in and see us. We have, we think, the Best Wearing Shoes made. The Famous Star Brand Shoes of St. Louis, and the Price is about the same as you are paying for the Cheaper Kind.

SUGGESTIONS FOR MEN'S GIFTS.

Gillette, Gem and Durham Duplex Safety Razors, 98c each.

We are closing out of Men's Wear and we are offering all \$1.25 goods at 75c.

\$1.00 Heavy Ribbed Underwear 60c.

High Rock Heavy Fleeced Lined 79c each.

Come in and hear the New Christmas Records on the Victrola.

Wishing You A Merry Xmas, We Are Yours to Serve.

A. L. STONESIFER.

BLACKS

Mr. James J. Harner, who is suffering from a cancerous affection of the neck, is in a very critical condition. He is at the home and bedside of Mrs. James J. Harner and son, Paul, Jr., of near the New Church. Mr. and Mrs. Mervin J. Harner and son, Laverne, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Wolfe, of Market's Mill; Mr. and Mrs. Eli Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Harner, of Hanover; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Mayers, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson H. Study, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice A. Reine, man and sons Raymond and Bernie, Jr.; Mrs. Henry Wolfe, Messrs. Murry Reinhold and Jeremiah Study, Dr. Linschman, of Littlestown; Mr. and Mrs. David L. Crabbs and daughters, Virginia and Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. George Decroft and son, Willie; Maurice Reinhold, Mrs. George Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Copenhaver and Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers, of near Bethel Church; Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Harner, of near Kingsdale, and Mr. Harry D. Harner, of near Pleasant Grove.

Master Ralph W. Copenhaver is spending several days this week at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Copenhaver, of near Bethel.

We are having some very unpleasant weather at this writing.

MOUNT TUSCARORA

One night last week a prisoner broke out of the local lockup and after gaining liberty had nerve enough to bank it in the top of a tree, so our Mayor and police force have decided to use Eislerod's cistern for the cooler until another jail can be built. Don't forget to host the "Old Maids' Aid Society." Even if we do not derive any benefit from it, remember it is helping Buxard's Glory along.

Last Friday morning our police force went to the Mayor's barn to get his "worn" horse, "Speed Ball," and found him on his back with his feet up in the air. So he broke out his alarm clock and started it ringing, but Speed Ball had evidently gone on a strike, as he did not get up. Schmitz then sent the mayor's trombone and played the "Star Spangled Banner" through four times, without getting any results, so he called in the neighbors and had an old time horse raising with all the trimmings. Now Schmitz has ordered a bicycle to do mounted duty with.

Walter Duchman, a well-known resident of Tuscarora township, paid a visit to our thriving metropolis last week in search of pop corn, which he intends to feed along with buttermilk and bran mash to his Christmas goose. Walter says this is just an experiment with this food, but thinks it should heat any he has ever used.

SMALLWOOD

The Deer Park Christmas Endeavor social was a great success. It was a calendar social, the twelve months were represented with twelve booths on a long table. The different repre-

sentations were:

January--a mountain of ice cream, by Father Fink.

February--Beautiful valentines and George Washington.

March--by Shamrock around the foot of a mound of green holding pipes entwined by a snake.

April--a large bunch of pure Easter Bowers, basket of eggs and rabbits.

May--Bouquet of flowers and two immense cakes.

June--A sweet graduate holding her certificate.

July--George Washington holding flags and draped with flags.

August--Seashore, a huge bowl of sea surrounded by earth shells with little people going to fish.

September--Dish of fruit and autumn leaves.

October--A beautiful artificial pumpkin and corn.

December--Xmas hush, wise men and camels.

November--A farm yard, a stack of straw with a large turkey on top and in yard other fowls.

The booths were separated by arches of red, white and green paper. The table presented a scenery very pleasing to the eye. One had to be there and view it to appreciate its worth, for the grouping was so artistic you could not describe the pleasing effect. The financial results were also gratifying.

The menu for the supper was chicken and pork sandwiches, salads of all kinds, pickles, jelly, coffee, tea, cream, home made candies and cakes, pop corn was also sold.

The Deer Park Sunday school will hold its Xmas service on second Christmas night, December 26. There will be music, singing, dialogues and recitation. Come early. If weather is inclement it will be held the next fair night.

The Deer Park public school will hold its entertainment on December 22, Thursday night. Everybody welcome. Come, as the proceeds are to be used for play ground equipments and other necessary improvements.

Parents ought to be interested, for this school is where their children spend most of their childhood.

Union Bridge corporation tax rate has been made 45 cents on the \$100.

Mr. Charles Thomson, Pennsylvania avenue, spent the week's end with relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. Mark O. Shriver, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his nephews, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Traas, of Baltimore, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crowl, Center street.

William Hoffman, this city, has contracted to haul the mail from the trains to the postoffice with the government.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Schaeffer, Hanover, Pa., visited the former's sister, Mrs. Russell Mowen, Center street.

The Christmas shoppers were out in force Saturday in this city. The stores were packed with eager purchasers.

Mrs. Ralph Whitman and daughter, who have been spending some time with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Seabrook, have returned to Charleston, W. Va., her home.

An interesting entertainment will be held at Friendship School near Westminster, on Friday, December 23, at 7.30 o'clock. Proceeds for benefit of school. Everybody invited.

Irvine Riddinger, Hanover, who was taken to Springfield Hospital, for treatment several weeks ago, and was apparently well when he returned, was returned for further treatment.

Stoner & Hobby, insurance agents, presented the Advocate with one of their most excellent calendars for the coming year. At the head of the calendar is an elaborate painting titled "The Price of His Robe."

Nineteen-year-old Harry Lessner was convicted of first degree murder for killing Isadore Rabinowitz, while trying to escape after attempting to hold up the jewelry store of Samuel Bugay in Philadelphia.

The scholars of Leister's school will hold an entertainment and social in the school on Thursday evening, December 22. If the weather is inclement on Thursday evening it will be held on Friday evening, December 23. Entertainment starts at 7.30 p. m. H. J. Mathias, teacher.

Steve Fred Katonka and his wife, Mrs. Alice Katonka were arrested at Greensburg, Pa. in connection with the disappearance of two taxicab drivers in New Mexico last July. It was charged the drivers disappeared on an Indian reservation in New Mexico after Katonka and his wife had tried them to drive them 150 miles.

The Western Union Telegraph Company has a force of men overhauling their lines along the W. M. R. R. They are temporarily camped here in cars after their day of toil. New poles and repairing wires are their work. They are working around Avondale present.

Miss Anna M. Cook, Baltimore, who has a florist stall in Lexington Market, holds \$1200 worth of Boulevard Theatre stock. She says stock salesman of E. J. Wiley painted such rose pictures of the investment that she and other women of her acquaintance bought nearly \$20,000 worth of the stock.

Three negroes held up Leonard Raych of Raych & Hoffman, jewelers, in Buffalo, N. Y., seized jewelry said to be worth \$10,000 and escaped. Raych was forced into a rear room and bound to a chair, but managed to work loose and gave the alarm. The hold-up occurred in daylight while many persons were passing the store.