

# A FEW OF OUR Worthy Articles for Fall Shoppers

## OSTERMOOR MATTRESS \$15.



Our store  
is the local  
home of this  
celebrated mattress.

It's the best mattress ever  
made. It will never mat  
or pack.

Costs nothing for repairs—  
requires no renovation.

The Ostermoor Trade Mark  
is a guarantee of the makers, put  
there for your protection. We only sell the genuine.

## GUNN SECTIONAL BOOKCASES

Solid in Appearance, Simple in Con-  
struction, Economic, Convenient  
Combination Unlimited.



### Removable Doors

Nonsightly  
brass bands  
to tarnish

Doors Will Not  
Bind.

Made in  
Golden,  
Missouri or  
Early English  
Oak and  
Mahogany,  
dull or pol-  
ished.

Realizing the fact that the wise and economic shopper of today  
demands, and must have, an article which combines durability with  
snappy appearance, we are calling your attention to the following arti-  
cles. Not that they in themselves need or require the advertising. As  
they have been advertised in every leading magazine in the country, but  
that we are anxious for you to know that we are the exclusive agents for  
the city.

YOU WILL EVENTUALLY WANT THE BEST  
IN THIS LINE. WHY NOT NOW?

### Bissel's Carpet Sweepers



### The "Caloric" Fireless Cooker



Bakes,  
Boils,  
Roasts,  
and Stews.

FREE 30  
DAYS  
TRIAL.



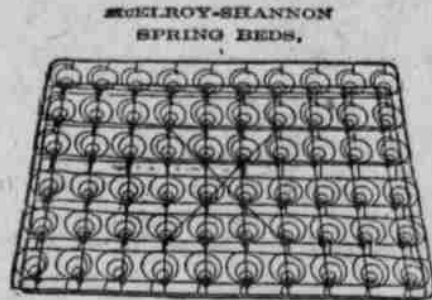
### "No Piece" Curtain Stretcher

We sell

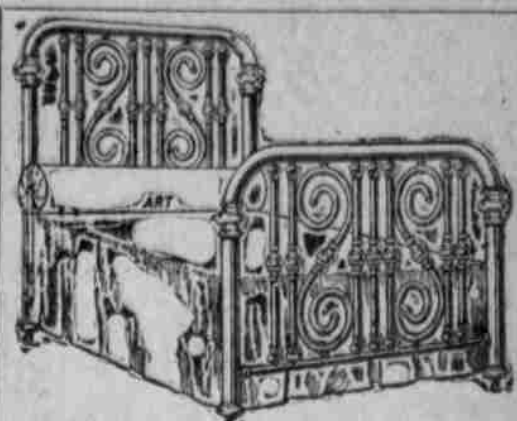
**Brenlin**

the new Window Shade Material

### VICTOR SPRINGS



NOISELESS AND WILL NEVER SAG.



"Art Brass and Iron  
Beds are sold by us  
with a full 20 years'  
guarantee.

### Join a Hoosier Club



And Get a  
Hoosier  
Special  
Kitchen  
Cabinet

At once—Begin to enjoy it just as  
thousands of Hoosier Club Members all  
over the county are doing.

It cost \$1.00 a week to join—and  
much of this is actually saved by the  
New Hoosier Special Cabinet in the  
waste it prevents, time and labor it  
saves. No extra fancy prices on Hoosier  
Cabinets, as all prices are controlled  
by the manufacturer and you pay exactly  
on the same basis and get every ad-  
vantage as if you pay cash.

## MORTON & HALL,

MADISONVILLE, KENTUCKY.

## MINING NOTES.

### Big Storm Loss.

Paducah, Ky., Sept. 23.—As a  
result of the Gulf storm, the  
West Kentucky Coal Co., with  
headquarters here, lost property  
valued at \$176,500 at Donald-  
sonville, La. The towboat Har-  
vester sank in eighty feet of  
water. The Harvester is a total  
loss, valued at \$50,000. Eight  
loaded barges also went down.

Geo. C. Atkinson was in Mad-  
isonville Monday on business.

R. M. Salmon, of Ilsey, was  
in the city Tuesday.



MR. ROBERT DALTON  
In "When His Wife's Away."

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to  
learn that there is at least one dreaded disease  
that science has been able to cure in all its stages,  
and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the  
only positive cure now known to the medical profes-  
sion. Catarrh being a constitutional disease,  
requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Cat-  
arrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon  
the blood and mucous surfaces of the system,  
thereby destroying the foundation of the disease  
and giving the patient strength by building up  
the constitution and assisting nature in doing its  
work. The proprietors have so much faith in its  
curative powers that they offer One Hundred  
Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send  
for list of testimonials.  
Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.  
Sold by druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## COLORED COLUMN.

S. E. DRIVER, EDITOR

Every regular pastor was out of  
town last Sunday for the faithful,  
wended their way to their several  
churches and did good work for the  
Master.

The Epworth League will be re-  
organized at the C. M. E. church  
soon.

Faithful Temple No. 48 S. W. T. at-  
tended the funeral services of Mrs.  
Mildred Morton, W. P. of Hall's  
Temple No. 72, Morton's Gap.

Rev. P. S. Smith is visiting his  
daughter in Louisville.

The Earthquake proves that many  
who have declared a readiness and  
fitness to enter "The Land of Light"  
to be most woefully mistaken.

### A Letter.

Mr. Editor: Please allow me to  
say that I certainly enjoyed my  
visit to Earlington. It is with ex-  
quisite delight that I congratulate  
the enterprising citizens of Earling-  
ton upon their magnificent church-  
es and school building. No town  
of this size in America has such  
excellent churches and schools.  
They even excel many cities of five  
times inhabitants. Then, again, I  
delight to congratulate you upon ef-  
ficient and faithful principal and  
staff of teachers. It was my ex-  
ceptionally delightful privilege to  
look in upon the teachers at work.  
They each seem at home in the  
school room. I have met many ex-  
cellent people, but I have never met  
a class of people that hold the claim  
upon my affections as the people of  
Earlington. They are "The" people  
with me. Of all the great philan-  
thropist Earlington I believe has  
the greatest in unselfishness, great-  
est in thoroughness. He looks after  
everything that makes for the bet-  
terment of the common people and  
all the people. He is the most  
greatly beloved of all philanthrop-  
ist. I believe that more people  
really love Mr. J. B. Atkinson than  
any other national character.

I wish to publicly thank the com-  
mittee that invited me to visit  
Earlington, before taking my de-  
parture for the Capitol City, Wash-  
ington, D. C., and say that I can  
never forget the many kind acts  
and the sweet fellowship of the peo-

ple of Earlington. You shall ever  
have my sincere love and prayers.  
I had rather miss Heaven myself  
than to know that any of you  
missed.

Yours very truly,  
L. Gatewood.

### Pertinent Observation.

"Some men," says Hans, the baker's  
boy, "was always like der keyhole on  
der back of a clock. They was behind  
time."

### BOOKKEEPING ON THE FARM.

Important Point That Seems to Gen-  
eral Agriculturists Altogether  
Too Little.

It may be necessary to give up all  
cherished hopes for our life work as  
planned and partly entered upon, and  
betake ourselves to farming to get  
the outdoor life and activity which is  
demanded if we expect to remain in  
good health. We are like boys at  
school now, and must endeavor to  
learn how to do everything required  
in the best possible way. If future  
conditions demand less detail in any  
of our methods we shall cast out what  
is useless; on the other hand, greater  
elaboration and more care may be  
found requisite to attain the ends  
desired in a satisfactory way.

We are determined to learn all we  
can by experience of our own and  
from the experience of others. For  
whatever we do in the years to come  
in the line of outdoor work, be it  
truck gardening, light farming, raising  
poultry, or breeding live stock, it is  
our intention to be thoroughly busi-  
ness-like and aggressive to the extent  
that changed conditions of health de-  
mand. Whatever we do shall be well  
done and according to approved  
standards—and there is no better  
guide to profitable activity for the ag-  
gressive, ambitious business man than  
an efficient method of accounting, as  
simple as circumstances permit.

Many farmers now struggling to pay  
the interest on their heavily mort-  
gaged properties might be happy and  
prosperous and owe no man if they  
could be brought to the point of will-  
ingness to learn the significance of  
the terms "debit" and "credit" and of  
routing themselves up and applying  
the knowledge to the business in hand.

### A Good Excuse.

He—Confound it! We've been sit-  
ting on wet paint.  
She—Yes, dear. I know we have.  
He—And you never told me!  
She—Don't be angry, dearest. You  
had just begun to tell me that you  
loved me, and how could I interrupt  
you?

### COOK HAD BECOME FIXTURE

Much Wonderment at Social Matrons'  
Meeting Before the New Mem-  
ber Explained.

It was almost the unanimous opin-  
ion at the Social Matrons' meeting  
that it was impossible to keep a cook  
more than a month without changing.

"However," announced the presi-  
dent, "if any person present knows  
of an exceptional case let her speak!"  
At this the New Member timidly  
arose in their midst. "The exception  
is in my house," she said.

This caused the others to sit up.  
"How long have you had your  
cook?" quizzed the president.

"Over five years."

For a moment the others stared in  
amazement; then heads began to bob  
in admiration and more heads began  
to swing sideways in vigorous dis-  
trust of this statement.

"Is this cook entirely satisfactory  
as a cook?"

"My husband thinks not, but she  
stays, nevertheless."

"How do you manage to keep her,  
then?"

"Because she won't go."

"Aha!"

This ejaculation which escaped from  
the president's mouth was flashed like  
magic through the meeting until it  
became a huge wave.

The president regarded the New  
Member with half pity, half scorn.

"New Member," said she, the next  
moment, "instead of advancing a case  
in which a long-sought solution might  
have been found, you expose yourself  
as being worse off than any of your  
sisters. You show that by allowing  
this cook to stay over the month you  
have enabled the menial to attain and  
hold an ascendancy over you and your  
husband—just the thing this society  
has so long fought against! No doubt  
you rue this day, New Member?"

"I do not!" she replied, bridling  
through the sniffs and tart insinua-  
tions that scintillated about her, "for  
in my house I am the cook!"

### Devotion to Sarah.

That matinee girls in an exaggerated  
form are not specialties of this country  
is evidenced by the following from a  
Paris paper:

"They were a bevy of about ten  
young girls, seated yesterday morning  
on a bench opposite 56 Boulevard Pe-  
reire.

"Why? They were waiting the re-  
turn home of Mme. Sarah Bernhardt  
from a triumphal tour of the north of  
France, for which she had used an au-  
tomobile for the first time.

"The girls knew very well that Mme.  
Bernhardt was due to arrive yesterday,  
but at what time? Having no pre-

cise information on that point, they  
had begun mounting guard at nine in  
the morning before the home of their  
idol. Noon came—one o'clock—but  
no automobile.

"But they were not discouraged.  
Rather than desert their post they de-  
cided to lunch right there on the  
bench.

"Two o'clock, three, four. At last  
there is the bank of a horn. The ten  
girls pick up ten bouquets and rush to-  
ward the approaching automobile.

"A radiant smile from Sarah is their  
reward, and they trip away, quite  
happy."

### Holland Lives Up to Her Pictures.

Holland is one European country  
that looks like her pictures. There  
is no better use for the word quaint  
than to apply it to Holland. The  
farmers really wear wooden shoes.  
The land really is diked. Black and  
white Holstein cattle really pervade  
the landscape. The men really wear  
blue jeans shirts outside their trousers  
as they work in the fields. On hun-  
dreds of heads of women in any  
crowd the silver hair baskets, covered  
with lace net, really may be seen. The  
girls and women are really red-  
checked, without artificial coloring.  
The fields really abound with wind-  
mills and windmills really sway  
their gaunt, awkward arms in the  
wind. There is no sham, no pompos-  
ity and splendor, no fuss and feather in  
the country. One gets the impression  
of a rugged, sham-hating, simple,  
kind-hearted, hopeful race in going  
through Holland.—From William Al-  
ton White's Letter to the Emporia Ga-  
zette.

### A Few Words to Fools.

There is a fool born every minute,  
so we are told, but there is also a  
great mortality among them. There  
are fewer active ones alive to-day  
than there were last week, or than  
there will be next Monday morning.  
It seems useless to say much to this  
kind of people, but we do wish to give  
a few suggestions in the interest of  
those who are not fools, but friends  
and relatives of fools.

Unless you are an expert boatman,  
do not take a boat out on the water  
and in no event unless you are able  
to control all those who are in it.

Do not try to see how deep you can  
dive nor how far you can swim into  
danger.

Do not try to see if your automo-  
bile can make 70 miles an hour, as  
guaranteed by the man from whom  
you bought it.

Do not blow your brains out simply  
because the girl doesn't like you or  
because you can't pay your debts. Let  
others do the worrying.

Mocking Birds in Massachusetts.  
The coming of a mocking bird to  
Massachusetts is so rare that those  
who have made a study of birds  
are apt to be puzzled by the un-  
familiar visitor. To such persons it will  
be of interest to learn that a pair of  
mocking birds are making Duxbury  
their summer home this year. They  
first noticed several weeks ago, when  
they made themselves at home about  
a house in the southern part of the  
town. The beauty of their song  
brought neighbors to watch them. In  
a few days they left the place, having  
apparently found more to their liking  
in a swamp near by at the bottom of  
an apple orchard.

Two enterprising nature students  
spent an afternoon under these trees,  
and they were rewarded by abundant  
opportunities for observing the birds,  
which left no doubt as to their iden-  
tity. Their nest is probably in the  
thicket of the swamp, but no one wants  
to risk disturbing them by hunting for  
it. They have improved their visit to  
the north by increasing their repertory  
toire and have added imitations of  
several northern birds to the long list  
of songs they already had.—Boston  
Globe.

### Unprejudiced.

Mike McGinnis was being examined  
for jury duty in a murder trial.  
"Mr. McGinnis," asked the judge,  
"have you formed or expressed an  
opinion as to the guilt or innocence  
of the prisoner at the bar?"

"No, sir," replied Mike.

"Have you any conscientious scruples  
against capital punishment?"

"Not in this case, your honor," Mike  
replied.—Success.

### No Rest There.

Uncle Eben—If ye ever visit New  
York and are tired walkin' around the  
city, do as I go into th' stock ex-  
change, rest!  
Aunt Martha—Why not?  
Uncle Eben—Gracious sakes! They  
they charge \$40,000 for a seat—  
Judge.

### His Ambition.

"Berty, what are you going to do  
when you grow up?" asked the min-  
ister.  
"A milkman," said Tommy, prompt-  
ly, "so's I can go round in the morn-  
ing making all the noise I want."  
—Buffalo Express.

### The Important Feature.

Katherine, aged two, who had on a  
new pair of shoes, had her picture  
taken, and when asked why she did  
not look up instead of down, said: "I  
wanted to see if my new shoes got  
their picture taken."—Delineator.