Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING..........Nov. 6, 1886.

Kennedyville Notes.

Messrs. Editors:—Since our last writing our town has been enlivened to such an extent that one could well imagine that they were living in a place of a much larger growth. For a small town we are equal to any of like proportion in the State for generosity and love of literary amusement.

On Friday night, Oct. 29th, the second literary session of the "Ladies' Aid Society of the M. P. Church" met at the residence of Mr. Wm. McKnett; though a short distance in the country, there was an unusually large crowd in attendance, and it was evident from the presence of so many that they were interested in the success of the society, both in a literary and financial sense. The program was successfully carried out and the participants, one and all, did remarkably well, highly entertaining their audience. Their next meeting will be at the residence of Mr. John Barwick on Nov. 27.

For some weeks past the grange of the place, "Eureka, No. 11, P. of H.," has been making arrangements to give a supper and literary entertainment. This occurred last Wednesday afternoon and evening, at which time the "Fairlee Grange" were invited to be present and enjoy the festivities with their friends "of like faith and order." Between 3 and 4 o'clock the guests began arriving, and by half-past four the literary exercises had commenced; for an hour and a-half we were entertained mentally, when a recess was given and all invited to a splendidly-prepared dinner when each one, if he would, could satisfy his appetite. At seven o'clock the Grange Hall was filled and the literary program was completed. To mention each one separately would occupy too much space, suffice to say that all did creditably well, and the visiting friends appeared pleased with their visit. Their company was much enjoyed by the grange here, and we heartily welcome to our midst often so refined and cultivated a grange as Fairlee is favored with. "The Gleaner," the property of Eureka Grange, was very appropriate, and some wholesome advice was given to the farmer, which, if followed, would prove beneficial to his interests. We enjoyed highly the hospitality of our grange friends and anxiously await a similar occurence.

One of our estimable citizens, Mr. Thos. Jones, is quite ill at his residence near this place.

We have been favored with splendid rains and our wheat crop is looking splendidly.

Rev. Dr. Martin, of the P. E. Church, has removed from our town, and is making his home with his son in Wilmington, Del. We are sorry to part with the genial doctor but circumstances were such that he considered it wise to leave us.

Mr. Chas Warren our accommodating railroad agent has resigned and Mr. Merrick from Cambridge has been appointed in his place. B.

Queen Anne's Items.—The following items are from the Centreville *Observer* of Tuesday:

An interesting case to be tried at the present term of the circuit court is that of Robert W. Pearson vs. Dennis McCauley. The case is a suit for account and is removed to this county from Kent. It is a case where a son-in-law sues his father-in-law for articles in the possession of the latter belonging to the deceased wife of the plaintiff. Messrs. R. D. Hynson, Thomas J. Keating and Richard Hynson appear for the defense, and Stedman T. Wickes, J. B. and E. H. Brown for the plaintiff.

Mr. Wm. T. Hammond, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Queen Anne's county, died at his residence, near Centreville, on Monday night in the seventy-ninth year of his age, of malarial fever. Mr. Hammond was one of the most earnest and prominent members of the Methodist Protestant Church. He leaves two sons and one daughter. Mr. Hammond held the office of county commissioner from 1871 to 1873.

While Mrs. James Murphy, of this town, was waiting on the wharf at Queenstown on Wednesday last for the boat, she dropped her purse, containing over one hundred dollars, through a hole in the wharf. Mr. Wm. C. McConnor recovered the purse and returned it to Mrs. M.

Dogs got into a flock of sheep belonging to Senator Tarpin on Mr. Wm. Emory's farm, in Spaniard's Neck, on Monday night, and killed eleven head.

A photographer by the name of L. W. Atwood, who has been spending some weeks on Kent Island taking pictures, followed the example of Dr. Thayer, left without paying his bills. We understand he is operating in and around Queenstown.

A literary society, having for its object the mental improvement of members, has been organized in Centreville.

Michael C. Casey, who had been confined in the Centreville jail for the past four months on a charge of indecent assault on his daughter, was discharged on Wednesday, the grand jury failing to find a bill of indictment against him.

The Easton Bishopric.

We have received a copy of the Greenville, S. C., *Daily News* of October 29, which contains the following editorial:

This State and this community will feel natural pride in the fact that one of our most distinguished and justly beloved and honored citizens, the Rev. E. Capers, has been honored with the offer of elevation to the bishopric, the highest honor his church can give for zeal and ability and holiness of life.

It is not proper that one word should be said by anybody with the purpose of affecting Gen. Capers' decision regarding the acceptance or rejection of the position offered him. He will consider the matter earnestly and prayerfully and decide as he finds his duty to his God and his church demands.

But it is not inappropriate to say that the removal of Gen. Capers from this diocese would be the cause of universal sorrow, and a deeply felt loss to the diocese of which he has been an ornament and a power, the State, which has been very proud of him as soldier, citizen and clergyman, and this city, in which he is a valuable citizen recognized as a strong and active factor in every progressive movement in religious and material affairs.

If he feels that the work appointed for him is here, all those who have known him so long, honored him so much and loved him so well will be glad. If he believes that his duty calls him away he will take with him the hearty "well done" and God speed of all South Carolina and the earnest hope and belief that the church in the diocese of Easton has gained a strong and active leader who will do a great work for it.

Cotton-Planting on a Large Scale.—It is stated that C. P. Huntington, of New York; R. S. Wilson, president of the Louisville, New Orleans and Texas Railroad, and Leland Stanford, of California, have formed a syndicate for the purpose of establishing a cotton plantation in Mississippi which is to contain 100,000 acres of the best land in the South. The Louisville, New Orleans and Texas Railroad, in which the capitalists named are large stockholders, owned 760,000 acres of rich bottom land in the valley along the line of road, more than two-thirds of which has not been disposed of. This is the land to be converted into the cotton farm. The valley is well protected by a system of levees, and better cotton soil exists nowhere. The plantation is to be supplied with the latest machinery and agricultural appliances, and will be worked in the most approved manner. In that part of Mississippi careful cultivation insures a bale and a-half of cotton to the acre, and with good management this mammoth farm will produce 150,000 bales annually, worth over $7,000,000.

Handsome Marble Work.—Mr. Charles H. Moore, proprietor of the Chestertown Marble, Stone and Granite Works, has lately erected in Still Pond Cemetery a beautiful monument to the memory of Mrs. Mary Cornelia Leary. The monument is about thirteen feet high and about three and one-half feet square at bottom base. It consists of a very handsome bottom base, cut in rustic block form. The sub-base bears the inscription, "Our Mother," in large, artistic raised letters. The die block is about two feet square and diminishes toward the top. All four sides have beautiful raised panels, the front one bearing the inscription; the top of the die having a large moulding around it. A cap comes next, that sits on top of the die and projects on all sides about four inches, with a heavy moulding on both edges. The obelisk sits on this and is about five feet long and has some handsome work about the top. About midway on the front side is a beautiful bunch of fern-leaves and lilies artistically cut. This is highly ornamented by a heavy projecting cap about eighteen inches square, decorated with heavy mouldings. Next is a beautiful urn with morning-glory vines carved on the front and a beautiful handle on either side.

The whole is beautiful, and is the best piece of marble work ever erected by any Eastern Shore dealer, and is as nice as can be got anywhere. Mr. Moore refers to this as a sample of his work.

The President will leave Washington for Boston next Sunday to take part in the celebration on Monday of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Harvard College. He will be accompanied by Secretary Endicott.

The happy combination "comfort and economy" can be found at the Maltby House, Baltimore. It is conducted on both American and European plans, with unsurpassed facilities in each.

Items from Galena.

Messrs. Jacoby and Horsey, of Galena, visited New York last week and were present at the unveiling of the grand statue of Bartholdi. They express themselves amply rewarded for the time and means spent in the journey. New York city was "done" by them very thoroughly.

Mrs. Capt. Andrew Woodall, of Georgetown, has been confined to her room by severe sickness, but is now in a convalescent state.

Mrs. Eugene Gooding, wife of the ex-sheriff, has been lying until quite recently in a very critical condition. Dr. Latimer, who is in attendance, pronounces her symptoms better and the chances for recovery probable.

Rev. W. W. Heberton, of Philadelphia, will preach at Westminster and Grace Presbyterian Churches, morning and evening respectively on Sunday, Nov. 7th.

Father Flynn, of St. Dennis', proposes to give a grand fair and festival in Galena within a couple of weeks.

Dr. W. G. Phelps will be absent from his Galena dental office from Saturday until Wednesday evening.

Items from Masseys.

Messrs. Editors:—There is quite a revival in progress at M. E. Church in charge of Rev. Mr. Morris. Already there have been quite a number of conversions.

The election passed off quietly here. The blame for our reduced majority will have to be laid at the door of those democrats that stayed away from the polls. We hope it will not occur again.

I see in a recent issue of the News an item in reference to the belled buzzard, which reminded me of an incident that happened in this town in the fall of 1882. There was at that time a colored youth named Henry Sunnons, a hostler at the Central Hotel, who was very fond of sport of all kinds, and on this occasion he set a steel trap and caught a buzzard. He then got a small bell and fastened it to the buzzard and let it go. The jingle of the bell could be distinctly heard for a considerable distance as the buzzard flew skyward. Who knows but that was the belled buzzard that has been seen so often at different places? Namrod.

THE CONVENTION'S WORK.

Results of the Triennial Assembly of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

Reported for the Baltimore Sun.

The General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States after a session of more than three weeks at Chicago has adjourned to meet in 1889 in New York city. Naturally there exists a widespread desire to know what was accomplished by the body of eminent laymen, presbyters and bishops. As was expected, the greater part of the convention's time was occupied in the discussion of the questions of an appellate court, prayer-book revision, organic church unity and the change of the title of the church. By the appointment early in the session of a joint committee, the work of prayer-book revision was expedited. The committee carefully and laboriously discussed the one hundred and eighty proposed changes and the memorials pertaining thereto, and reported ninety-one, of which eighty-one were adopted by the House of Deputies and eighty by the House of Bishops. Most of these eighty changes are rubrical, and affect but in slight degree the worshipers. Probably the most important changes are the printing in the order for Morning Prayer of the Benedictus with the rubric, allowing the omission of the latter portion on Sundays in Advent, the required use of "he went into the place of departed spirits," or of the words "he descended into hell" in the Apostles' Creed, the insertion of the *Magnificat* and *Nunc Dimittis* in the Evening Prayer, the new suffrage in the litany, "That it may please Thee to send forth laborers into Thine harvest." These changes though permissive, will, it is believed, not be incorporated in the standard prayer-book until after the meeting of the General Convention in 1889, when it is expected that all the proposed changes will be finally acted upon and the prayer-book ratified anew.

The movement for the establishment of an appellate court was for the time checked by a non-concurrence of orders when the final vote was taken. There seems to have been an opinion that some change in the judicial system of the church was needed, but there was a difference of opinion as to whether the matter of a court of review should be a general one, representing the church in the country, or should be left to the jurisdiction of the separate dioceses. On motion of Rev. Dr. Hodges, of Maryland, a committee of five clergymen and five laymen was appointed to consider the judicial system and report any desirable changes to the next convention. The resolution of Mr. S. Corning Judd, that the words "Protestant Episcopal" be expunged from the title of the church, was lost by a vote of 183 nays and 112 yeas. A great deal was said about church unity, memorials and petitions were presented, and many resolutions were offered. A vote of fraternal greeting, however, to the Congregationalists assembled in the same city, though passed after some debate unanimously by the House of Deputies, was lost by the non-concurrence of the House of Bishops, which returned the resolution with a carefully-framed message, declaring its "hearty respect and affection for all who love the Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity, and at this time especially for their fellow-Christians assembled in this city as the 'National Council of Congregational Churches in the United States.'" The results of the debates, however, will result in further efforts to devise some plan by which the desired unity may be accomplished. Such were probably the most important measures which occupied the attention of the convention. The relations of the church to the colored people in the South was the subject of much debate. Propositions were unsuccessfully advanced looking to the consecration of a colored man to supervise the missionary work among them. The Southern deputies were almost unanimous in their opinions as to the necessity for some action, prompt and definite, and the result of the discussions was the appointment of a joint commission, who will have headquarters at Washington, D. C., where, midway between the North and the South, they can best promote the work for which they were appointed. Akin to this measure was the appointment of a committee to arrange some plan for evangelistic work. Action was also taken on the question of marriage and divorce, and measures were adopted to advance the cause of missions. Consent was granted to the consecration of Rev. M. N. Gilbert as assistant bishop of Minnesota, and Rev. R. M. Kirby and Rev. R. Talbot were appointed respectively missionary bishops of Utah and Nevada and Idaho and Wyoming. Many other matters of less importance were settled, and those who attended the convention, though in some instances they may have been disappointed in particular results, have returned to their homes gratified and benefited by the reports which they have heard, the debates in which they have participated or have been interested, and satisfied to leave to another convention the disposal of the measures to which another triennium of discussion and essaying may give birth.

Nearly Two Years in a Trance.—Maggie Beadling, a seventeen-year-old girl, living at Banksville, Allegheny county, Pa., has been in a trance for over two years, with the exception of three short lucid intervals. She fell down stairs in August, 1884, injured her spine and was permanently paralyzed. She does not seem to remember the names of the living, but sometimes bows and smiles when dead relatives or friends are mentioned, and indicates with her arms and eyes that she sees them. She sings hymns, but instead of the tune to which she learned the words she sings airs which have never been heard before. Their rhythm and harmony are perfect, and they are sweet and beautiful. Her mother and all her relatives firmly believe they are the songs of angels which she has heard and learned by hearing them singing.

One Hundred Earthquake Shocks in One Morning.—A letter published in the San Francisco *Bulletin* under date of Apia, October 15, says that authentic news has reached Samoa to the effect that on the morning of September 10 over one hundred heavy shocks of earthquake occurred on the Island of Ninafou, one of the Tonga group, and that from the bottom of the lake, which is two thousand feet deep, a mountain has arisen to the height of three hundred feet above its surface; also that this mountain has burst into flames, and thrown out hot stones and sand in such quantities as to destroy two-thirds of the cocoanut trees on the island. In Samoa light shocks of earthquakes occur so frequently now that they no longer cause any alarm.

President Cleveland believes that he was elected to attend to the public business and he means to do it. His official notification that he can listen to no office-seekers until after the meeting of Congress will give cold comfort to the patriots who want to serve the country at the public expense, but the infinitely larger portion of the people who do not want any offices will have the assurance that the President is giving the necessary time to a careful consideration of the real public questions which now agitate the public mind, and that his conclusions will be embodied in a carefully-prepared message to Congress. The office-seekers can wait; the public business cannot without serious detriment.

It is comforting to remember that the privilege of going to work still remains for those who were elected to stay at home.—*Phila. Times.*

If any man talks politics for several months to come, let a little bell peal merrily beside his ear.—*Phila. Times.*

The Bishopric of Easton.—The Charleston *News and Courier* intimates that a correspondence is in progress between ministers and laymen of the Diocese of Easton, Md., and the Rev. Dr. Ellison Capers, rector of the Episcopal Church at Greenville, S. C., looking to the election of that eminent divine to the bishopric of Easton. Referring to the matter, the *News and Courier* says: "It is a compliment to elect the Rev. Ellison Capers, the Bishop of Easton, Md. Nowhere can be found a minister of the gospel more zealous or more pious, and there are few ministers anywhere who have, in a larger degree, the great gift of eloquence. Yet we can't help hoping that Dr. Capers will decide to remain where he is. This State claims no pre-eminence in such respects, but we are constrained to admit that there are both sinners and sinned against, and that no clergyman need leave the State for want of spiritual employment." The Augusta (Ga.) *Chronicle* also says: "Rev. Dr. Capers will like Easton, and Easton will be proud of Rev. Dr. Capers, although Greenville is a place one does not care to leave."

The United States Express Company has another mysterious robbery on its hands to be cleared up and settled for. On the arrival of a Lake Shore train from Chicago last Monday night it was discovered there that something wrong existed in the through express car that runs closed and sealed between Chicago and New York. An examination developed the fact that the car had been entered, and that sundry packages containing valuable merchandise had been opened by the robbers and an unknown quantity carried away.

The colored people of Arkansas held a successful agricultural and mechanical exhibition at Pine Bluffs last week. Similar exhibitions have recently been held at Petersburg, Va.; Raleigh, N. C.; Columbia, S. C., and also in Louisiana and Mississippi. These expositions have been of decided advancement to the colored people in just that direction wherein they need aid and education. Each successive exposition has shown an improvement in the character of the exhibits and increased interest among the colored people.

The ducking season in Maryland began on Monday and will continue until March 31st. A large number of sportsmen opened the ball on the Susquehanna river flats, opposite Havre de Grace. The regular market gunners were also out in force. Sink-box shooting on the Susquehanna flats at this season is thought to be the ideal duck shooting. From now until January 1 shooting there is lawful on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. After January 1 shooting is also allowed on Saturday.

An incendiary fire just after midnight Tuesday morning almost destroyed Piney Point, on the Potomac river, in St. Mary's county. It was discovered in the ice-house, and rapidly spread. Ten cottages, billiard-room, ten-pin alley, stage hall, the old bar office, parlor and dining-room, all one-story frame buildings, were destroyed, furniture included, and one cottage was torn down to save the main buildings. The property belonged to Mrs. Mary Tavers, and is insured.

The commissioner of Indian affairs, J. D. C. Atkins, has just completed his annual report, showing the operations of the Indian bureau during the last fiscal year. He says that during the past year the Indian race has taken a firmer step in the march toward civilization than ever before in the same length of time. The commissioner advocates the division of the Indian lands in severalty and bringing the Indians within the circle of citizenship.

The report of Second Assistant Postmaster-General Knott shows that during the period beginning April 1, 1885, and ending June 30, 1886, the total savings in annual rate of cost effected by orders and by new contracts for transportation and mail equipments were $1,940,786. The report also shows increased efficiency in the various departments of the service and much greater frequency of mail service.

Mayor Hodges of Baltimore, has been notified by Mayor Courtenay that no further contributions in aid of the Charleston sufferers are needed. The distress at Salisbury being very great, the mayor has taken the liberty of sending the balance in the hands of the treasurer, Comptroller Horner, standing to the credit of the Charleston fund, amounting to $68.99, to Salisbury.

Durham, N. C., is another Southern town which has had a phenomenal growth. In 1870 its population was only 250; now it has a population of 6,500, with two or three thousand just outside the corporate limits. The property assessed for taxation in 1870 amounted to $50,000; it is now $3,500,000.

Charleston had twenty-eight shocks during the month of October. But on the island of Ninapou, in the Pacific Ocean, there were one hundred shocks in one day. So, Charleston need not feel too proud of her record, after all.

Ohio has received a setback. It claimed the birthplace of General P. H. Sheridan. The hot discussion over the matter has been settled by the general's mother. She says he was born at Albany, N. Y., on March 6, 1831.

Charleston, S. C., seems to be getting along comfortably. At least Barnum took in $14,000 there the other day, and the spectators took in the show with apparently much satisfaction.

The annual meeting of the association of Public School Commissioners will be held at the State Normal School, Baltimore, on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 23d and 24th.

Mr. James M. Thornton, for 26 years the steward and superintendent of the dining-rooms of Barnum's Hotel, Baltimore, died suddenly Monday evening of paralysis.

Surveyor Beattie of the New York custom-house was shot in his office on Monday by a discharged inspector. His wounds are not believed to be serious.

Attorney-General Garland has given an opinion that called three per cent bonds cannot be used as a basis of circulation by national banks.

Raymond Reese, aged 6, son of Daniel R. Reese, of Baltimore, was accidently shot and killed at Cambridge on Thursday.

President Cleveland has issued a proclamation designating Thursday, November 25, as a day of Thanksgiving and prayer.

There was a heavy snow-storm in the mountains near Oakland, Md., on Friday of last week.

Wm. T. Moore, of Salisbury, was shot on Wednesday by Thomas Ellis and died Thursday.

Don't forget Crane Bros., for they deliver Carpets free to purchaser and guarantee prices. See advertisement.

Baltimore Market.—The Baltimore papers of yesterday quote as follows: Wheat—Longberry 85c.@89c.; Fultz, 83c.@88c. for fair to good. Corn—White, prime, 43@45; yellow, 40@43. Oats—32.

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The Tax-Payers of the FOURTH DISTRICT are hereby notified that I am now prepared to receive their taxes for 1886.

For the convenience of tax-payers I will be at the Court House in Chestertown every Tuesday and every Saturday Afternoon, until further notice.

aug14-tf. STEPHEN LECATES, Collector 4th District.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

The Tax-Payers of the THIRD DISTRICT are hereby notified that I am now prepared to receive their taxes for 1886.

For the convenience of tax-payers I will be at the Court House in Chestertown every Tuesday and at Worton Heights every Saturday, until further notice.

oc23-tf. M. M. RASIN, Collector Third District.

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Feb. 27, 1886. JOHN N. DODD, UNDERTAKER.

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Oct. 23, 1886.

Order of Publication.

Isaac S. Rogers, plaintiff,
vs.
Albert L. Corey and the unknown heirs of Samuel Reed, defendants.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

THE object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of a lot of land and the improvements near Fairlee in Kent county, Maryland, containing four acres more or less and sold by Isaac S. Rogers to Samuel Reed, late of Kent county, deceased, for the payment of a balance of the purchase money of said lot still due and unpaid and amounting to two hundred and seventy-six dollars with interest from January 1st, 1870.

The Bill states: First, That the plaintiff Isaac S. Rogers sold said house and lot to the said Samuel Reed on the 9th day of November, 1866, for the sum of five hundred dollars payable as follows, namely: Fifty dollars on the signing of the agreement of purchase; one hundred dollars January 1, 1867; one hundred dollays January 1, 1868; one hundred dollars January 1, 1869, and the residue one hundred dollars January 1, 1870, with interest in the meantime annually on the amount unpaid from time to time.

Second, That the said Samuel Reed entered into possession of said house and lot in pursuance of said purchase and made the following payments on account, namely: Fifty dollars November 9, 1866; one hundred dollars January 3, 1867; one hundred dollars, January 15, 1868, with all interest up to January 1, 1870, on the amount unpaid, but that there is still due and unpaid on account of the principal of said purchase money, two hundred and seventy-six dollars with interest from January 1, 1870.

Third, That the said Samuel Reed died in the year 1879 or 1880 intestate, and that letters of administration have been granted upon his personal estate to Albert L. Corey, of Kent county, Maryland, who has fully administered the same, but that no part of the amount due said Isaac S. Rogers has been paid out of said personal estate.

Fourth, That the said Samuel Reed left no descendants or heirs so far as said Isaac S. Rogers has been able to ascertain, and that if any such heirs exist their name and residences are unknown to said Isaac S. Rogers, and that since the death of said Samuel Reed, the said Albert L. Corey has received the rents and profits of said house and lot in behalf of the unknown heirs of said Samuel Reed.

Fifth, That said house and lot cannot be sold for a sum sufficient to pay the purchase money still due to said Isaac S. Rogers, and that said Rogers is entitled to an account of said rents and profits from said Albert L. Corey, and to have the same applied in aid of the payment or the residue of said purchase money.

It is thereupon this 23d day of October, 1886, ordered by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the plaintiff causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Kent County once in each of four successive weeks before the first day of December, 1886, to give notice to the said unknown heirs of said Samuel Reed of the object of this Bill, warning them to appear in this Court in person or by Solicitor on or before the first day of March next, to show cause, if any they have, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True copy—Test:
SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
Oct. 30, 1886—5t.

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