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Ratification Nisi.

Lavina B. Harper, guardian et al.
versus
Franklin B. Harper, et. al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity. No. 1668.

ORDERED, this 28th day of January, 1909, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the Auditors Account and Report, stated and reported by Wm. W. Beck, special auditor, in the above entitled cause, be Ratified and Confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 23rd day of February next;—provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of two successive weeks before the 15th day of February next.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
j30-4t JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

LEWIN W. WICKES, Attorney.

Ratification Nisi.

Thomas B. Willson,
versus
Ezekiel Hague, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity. No. 1484.

ORDERED this 28th day of January, 1909, by the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity, that the Auditors Account and Report, stated and reported by Wm W. Beck, Special Auditor, in the above entitled cause, be Ratified and Confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 23rd day of February next;—provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of two successive weeks before the 15th day of February, next.

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BUDGET OF NEWS FROM ROCK HALL

The big "flush" predicted for the Oyster Culture scheme, materializing so slow and the great abundance of oysters spreading on the bars the past two seasons in spite of the Hamanites, seems to be causing the Shell Fish Commission more or less uneasiness. The Attorney General has come to their assistance by announcing that planters may take up their stock in any manner they wish and dispose of the same anytime they please. This, if carried out, ought to work detrimental to the natural bar oystermen. Now they propose to shorten the time of notice to about 30 days and this too will no doubt result against the natural bar oystermen. Guess the oystermen will be heard from next fall and winter.

"We will venture to say that those Rock Hall people are the most orderly folks on the Peninsula and in more ways than one, too.". Right you are, young men, and many here manifest high appreciation of that assertion appearing in your editorial note of two weeks ago. Pat us again Messrs. Editors it feels good.

Owing to the non-operations of the oystering fleet last week, considerable dullness prevailed in all business of the town, not because of the scarcity of money for our Ex-Sheriff, always well supplied with change was completely cleansed out of change by the presentation of bank notes of large denomination from all points, but because our people, always frugal, hold up the circulation of money during times when none comes in. This week money is on the go again and trades are better.

Mr. J. M. Hersch, our erstwhile district judge, while bound out to the oyster bar to fish (?) up another jug of oysters on Friday last, became lost in a dense fog, luckily, Messrs. Boyer and Hindes faintly discerned his craft and hailing him informed him that he was lost, in reply Hersch said "Yes, I know it", but he didn't know it until so informed. Instead of him going up a small stream that used to be known as Huntingfield Creek but is now a mere pond. Later the Ex-judge told Boyer that his hailing was the biggest kind of a favor as he was lost right and could only imagine what the result would have been.

Mr. O. P. Leary on hearing herring frogs chirping concluded that herring was on the run and setting out his nets one evening was rewarded by a fine catch of Susquehanna robins and a gasoline boat or two. The boat got away however and so did a goodly portion of netting during the night.

The week night meetings of the M. E. Church are exceedingly loud and long, with large attendance. Frequently, the whole assembly are on their feet moving to and fro, rapturous praises.

"We uns" are are keeping a lookout for the Leeds Devil. Reports from our Love Point fisherman say the creature will make a sweep for this shore almost any day.

In the person of Mr. Charles Anderson, this section has an additional hauler and conveyor, He resides south of Greys's Inn lane. The neighborhood appreciates the addition.

Thursday was black snake day here about, and some of our wood choppers took much delight in catching them and extracting their teeth.

Capt. J. E. Apsley who has been ill with pneumonia for the past five weeks is now convalescent. He had the attention of his daughter-in-law Mrs. E. H. Apsley, of Philadelphia, who is a trained nurse, and this attention, the family physician, Dr. Beale, says was as an Angel hovering over the patient and himself during the illness.

The continued mild weather is causing more or less apprehension regarding the ice and fruit crops. There should be no occasion for alarm, the ground hog is due next Tuesday and there will be something doing then along the weather line thereafter.

Mr. Upton Rainbow, installed the new officers of the I. O. O. F. Lodge on Tuesday evening on the invitation of the Dist. Dept. Grand Master, of said Lodge. Mr. Rainbow will deliver a lecture in the M. E. Church this Saturday evening which promises to be a most interesting affair. A small admittance fee will be charged. Proceeds for the benefit of the church.

So many Lodge entertainments with no dancing is causing one of the belles residing south of town no little concern. If "Billy" doesn't let up on his non-dancing hobby, he may be read out of membership in the young ladies circle.

Saturday evening last, Mrs. Abe Casey entertained at supper, the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Shallcross; Mrs. Coburn, of Havre de Grace, and Messrs. Preston Shallcross and Wm. Shallcross, of upper Kent county.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l Griffin, of Denton, Md., spent Saturday and Sunday with their son and daughter, Ralph and Miss Pearl, one of our Rock Hall teachers.

Miss Sadie Kramer was with her sister and relatives in this town Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Clara Pierce, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Hattie Strong.

Miss Edna Strong is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. Selby.

Dr. Brice, of Baltimore, is the guest of his father, Mr. Tildon Brice, this week.

Mrs. A. Alexander is in a hospital in Baltimore, but with no serious trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Willson left Rock Hall last Friday for a two weeks trip to New York, Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Those who attended the dance last Friday night were: Mrs. James B. Willson, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Willson, Mrs. Dr. Willson, Mrs. Julia Ringgold, Mr. and Mrs. John Brice, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wickes, Mr. and Mrs. John Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Schwatka, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Selby, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Willson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Skirven, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Skirven, Mrs. Edgar Strong, Mrs. Walter Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Massey; Misses Sophia Willson, Loretto Willson, Mannie Willson, Bessie Willson, Alice Willson, Lillian Willson, Biddle, Pearl Griffin, Helen Strong, May Sutton, Hattie Strong, Freddie Strong, Rhetta Warfield Helen Kensley, Bertie Beck, Nettie Willson, Clara Biddle, Nannie Massey, and Blanche Kilbourn Messrs. Earl Nicholson, Harry Nicols, Joe Brice, Hynson Beck, Walter Kensley, Edgar Strong, Miller Strong, Willie Strong, Ruthwin Strong, Johnnie Willson, Notley Willson, Sr., Notley Jr., Ernest Willson, Richard Willson, Bernard Willson, Harry Eisenwein, Willie Francis, Spencer Biddle, Paul Willson, Bart Hatcherson, Leonard Willson, Smyth Willson, Wallace Kilbourn, Ralph P. Griffin.

Those from out of the county; Misses Cora Downes, Florence and Daisy McConner, Mr. Kennard Rhodes, Mr. John Wallis, of Queenstown, Mr. James Warner, of Easton; Misses Anna Melvin, Florence Nicholson Jerome McCauley, of Chestertown, Miss Pettijohn and Mr. George Gampe, of Wilmington, Del., Miss Clara Pierce, of Baltimore Mr. Cockran, of Middletown, Mr. Massey, of St. Mary's county.

FAIRLEE NOTES.

The Tolchester steamer made her way across the bay last Saturday morning but was delayed by the dense fog, not arriving at the Beach until about 11 o'clock. She did not make the trip in the afternoon. It was only by the best efforts of competent and skilled officers that she reached her landing at all.

The Fairlee Grange held a very interesting meeting on last Wednesday evening in their Fairlee Hall. The lecturer had in readiness a very pleasing program. Some interesting papers were read on different subjects.

Rev. S. R. S. Gray, with his estimabel family started from the county for Pueblo, Colorado, on last Wednesday morning. They made many friends while here. Kent county cannot afford to lose such citizens. This is the third family from our immediate neighborhood that has gone West, leaving here since New Year's Day—Mr. T. H. M. Bramble and Mr. James Willis and families. Mr. Purnell Jump is in the West, also, going before Christmas. Mrs. Willis wrote a few days since that they had reached Phoenix, Arizona, and that the weather was June-like summer.

The Sewing Meeting of St. Paul's P. E. Church was held at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Smyth's, last Tuesday evening. A large company was present and a fine supper was served.

During the sleety weather last week one of our school boys fell under a carriage and was run over. He wasn't hurt badly, but thought the carriage rather heavy.

Miss Annie Leaverton has been visiting friends in Rock Hall.

The many friends of Mrs. L. J. Legg will be glad to learn that she has recuperated sufficiently, after a severe spell of sickness, to be out again.

Miss Agnes Lewis, Worton Point School, visited Fairlee friends over Sunday last.

The Fairlee M. E. Church, under the auspices of the Mite Society, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Smyth, served a most excellent supper to many guests on Friday evening. This made the second Church supper held in one week in that hospitable home.

Mr. Wm. Lingo, Wilmington, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Staats a few days ago.

SASSAFRAS ITEMS.

Mrs. John F. Ernest was entertained by her mother, Mrs. I. Gunkie, of Warwick, for the day on Monday.

Messrs. Preston and William Shallcross attended the wedding of their brother, the Shallcross and Taylor nuptials on Thursday at Rock Hall.

Rev. C. M. Cullem preached in the Rehoboth M. P. Church on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffith entertained Sunday, his sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Staats and their two grand-children, Hodson and Elizabeth Clift.

Mr. John R. Ernest, of Wilmington, visited his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Ernest, from Friday until Monday morning.

Mr. John Hodson who has been quite sick has entirely recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Sylvester entertained their pastor for dinner on Sunday Rev. C. M. Cullum.

We learn with much regret of the illness of our former bright teacher Miss Elizabeth Anderson, of Cecilton, who is undergoing treatment at the Methodist Hospital in Philadelphia.

Judge and Mrs. Sheppard Morris and son delightfully entertained for the day heir son Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Morris and three daughters and son, on Sunday at their home near Wilson's Point.

Mr. W. W. Spry and family, of Middletown, visited his mother Mrs. W. W. Spry, here from Friday evening until Saturday evening.

The fishermen are out every day and had fine luck on Monday.

We have received word of the sudden death of Mr. Frank Ballett, of Only, Virginia, of typhoid fever. Mr. Ballett married the only daughter of Mrs. E. W. Staats, of Sassafras.

WHAT IS A GENTLEMAN?

The Baltimore Sun offered a $5 prize for the best definition of "What is a Gentleman?" It was won by Dr. John W. Wayland, of Charlottesville, Va., and was as follows:

"The true gentleman is the man whose conduct proceeds from good will and an acute sense of propriety, and whose self-control is equal to all emergencies; who does not make the poor man conscious of his poverty, the obscure man of his obscurity or any man of his inferiority or deformity; who is himself humbled if necessity compels him to humble another; who does not flatter wealth, cringe before power or boast of his own possessions or achievements; who speaks with frankness, but always with sincerity and sympathy, and whose deed follows his word; who thinks of the rights and feelings of others rather than of his own; who appears well in any company and who is at home what he seems to be abroad — a man with whom honor is sacred and virtue safe."

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