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Personal and Social.

Rev. W. N. Sherwood, of Hebron, Md., visited his mother in Chestertown this week.

Mr. Earle Withgott, of Easton, spent the holidays with Chestertown friends.

Dr. Wm. S. Gardner and sons, William and Carville, of Baltimore, have been guests this week of Mrs. Wm. B. Usilton, Jr.

Mr. A. G. Stollenwerck, of Baltimore, spent several days in Chestertown the past week. Mr S. is connected with the firm of Alexander Brown & Sons, of Baltimore. He is remembered particularly by Washington College men as the celebrated drop-kicker of the Johns Hopkins football team of 1910 when his trusty toe played havoc with Washington's hope of defeating Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Noland entertained a large company Monday evening at one of their celebrated dinners.

Mr. J. Frank Wheatley and daughter, Miss Flora, were guests in Rock Hall recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hudson, of Baltimore, have been visiting Miss Minnie Hudson.

Mr. Thoreaux, of Charlotte Hall was a guest of Lewin Howard several days last week.

Little Misses Evelyn and Hannah Peacock and Master William and Joe Peacock of near Cecilton, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrr. Frank E. Duyer, on Queen street.

Messrs. Alonza and Elmer Sterling spent several days the past week at Crisfield.

Mr. and Mrs. William Peacock have removed from near Cecilton to farm near Earlville.

Mr. and Mrs, George Bacon have returned from a visit to their daughter in Media, Pa.

Mr. Herman Blackway spent several days last week in Philadelphia on business.

Messrs. George Titter and Edward Blackway are visiting friends in Wilmington.

Miss Jennie Thomas, of Philadelphia, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Dixon.

Mrs. Edward Ringold entertained her Sunday School class at her home Monday night.

R. Groom Parks, Esq , was in Balto. several days last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. White, of Salisbury, accompained by the latter's mother Mrs. M. E. Ringold, are visiting in town.

Dr. Leonard, of Baltimore, has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Russell.

Miss Lilliau Howard, of Fairlee is a guest of Mrs. S. A. Ivens.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarke were guests last week of relatives in Still Pond.

Miss Mayme Thompson entertained her Sunday School class Friday evening by taking them to the moving picture show and treating them to ice cream after the show.

Mrs Chas. Satterfield entertained her Sunday School class at her home Friday evening

Mr. Snowden Maslin and family visited his brother, Mr. Miller Marlin the past week.

Miss Edna Copper has been a guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Copper.

Miss Pearl Atwell, of Townsend, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Crew.

Father Urner, pastor of Sacred Heart Church, spent the holidays in Wilmington.

Mr. Thos Ellioit and family have returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wise, Baltimore.

Mrs. Harvey Boggs, of Wilimington, spent several days the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. William McIntire were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McIntire the past week.

Mrs E. E. Hudson and son spent several days recently in Kennedyville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moffett have been visiting friends in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Money and sisters, Misses Cooper, spent Sunday with Mrs. John Atwell, at Flatland.

Dr. L. E. Barrett has been visiting in Milford, Del.

Mr. Charles Senart, of Wilmington, has been a guest of relatives in town.

Mr. David Connelly, of Baltimore, has spent the past week in town.

Mr. Raymond Joiner spent Sunday in Massey.

Mrs. Harlan, of New York, has been visiting Miss Sophie Beck during the past waek.

Mr. John P. Nicholson and daughter Miss Florence, entertained at five o'ciock dinner Friday evening.

Mr. Frank Skirven is recovering from a recent severe attack of la grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Usilton, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Nicholson and Mr. Robert Nicholson gave family Xmas dinners on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday respectively.

Mr. Morris Ivens spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. S. A. Ivens on High street.

Mr. George B. Twilley, of Princess Anne, has been the guest of his brother, Dr. Charles R. Twilley.

Mr. James Wood, of Wilmington, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Jas. Lecates.

Mr. Robert Hendrix, of Baltimore was in town the past week.

Miss Fannie Edwards of Baltimore, was a guest the past week of her mother in Pomona.

Alva Lamkin, Esq., of Baltimore, was a guest of friends near town last week.

J. Henry Baker, Esq., of Baltimore, visited his parents, ex-Senator and Mrs. James H. Baker, near Pomona.

Mrs. Stockton Startt has been quite sick the past week.

Messrs R. F. Parks and son, Claude have been sick for a week with grip.

Mr. B. F. Fleming is quite sick at his home on Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Baxter has removed to the Hicks home on Washington Avenue, next door to Col. Wilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brice left Wednesday on their annnal trip to Tampa.

Mr. Carl M. Lynch and wife, of Federalsburg, Caroline county, spent several dass of last week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lynch, of Dover, Del.

Mr. Leager, of Chestertown, has purchased the lot, building and blacksmithing tools of Mr. J. N. Rickards, at Ridgely. He will open an automobile repair shop in the early spring, and also engage in the blacksmith business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bailey, of Baltimore, are now traveling in Mexico. Mrs. Bailey was before marriage Miss Anna Bryan, of Kent.

Mr. Brown and family, from Cecil county, have rented the Hatcherson house on High street formerly occupied by Deputy Treasurer Ollie Estes and family. Mr. Brown is the father of Mrs. Keithley, wife of one of our bakers.

Mr. Norton Silcox, of Still Pond, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lynch, of Dover, last week.

Mrs. Milton Crew returned Thursday from a visit to relatives in Wilmington. She reports her aunt quite sick.

Mr. John Cannan, of Wilmington, visited friends on Kent Circle.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Vannort and Mr. James W. Chapman spent the holidays with their grandchildren in Baltimore.

Mr. Milbourn Davis spent last week with his mother on Mill street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Emory spent last week with the "folks at nome" on Chester river.

Mrs. Wm. J. Vannort was a recipient of a Xmas card from Gov. Goldsborough which she prizes highly.

Mrs. Wm. B. Usilton and daughter, Miss Clara, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. McFeely, in Bogota, N. J.

Mrs. Stinchecum is entertaining her sister from Baltimore.

Mr Joseph Whitely visited his brother in town this week.

Mr. Wm. E Moody has been sick with the grip for a week

Prof. Frazier Russell of the faculty of of the Md. School for the blind, gave a most interes ing talk on Thursday last to the pupils of the Chestertown High School about the institution with which he is connected and the great talents of the blind scholars.

Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain of Georgetown have returned home from a pleaseant visit with relatives in Brooklyn N. Y.

Hon. Ross McMahon, of New York, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard this week. Mr. McMahon is President of the Ross Clan of America and is reputed to be the heir apparent to the Ross Castle of Scotland and Balnagown and Bonnington Manor.

Mrs. R. B. Lane, of Cove City, N. C., is the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Connelly, in Chestertown.

Mrs. Harry Griffith is quite sick at her home in Sassafras.

A very pleasant dance was given by Betterton people at Idlewhile hotel New Year's eve. The hall was tastefully decorated. The music furnished by Mrs. Charles Brice and Mrs. George Jones was delightful. Those present were :

Mr. and Mrs.—
John Brice,
Hough Gooding,
Littleton Crew,
Elwood Bramble,
Rotan Crew.

Mrs—
Mary Crew,
P. Taylor and daughters,

Misses—
Hazell Crew,
Margaret Brinsfield,
Minnie Brinsfield,
Edna Brinsfield,
Blanche Lewis,
Edna Lewis,
Elizabeth Brice,
Marie Brice,
Hallie Brice,
Louise Crew,
Ida Wood, of Still Pond;
Mary Smith, of Galena;
Ada Hurlock, of Kennedyville;
Ethel Jones,
Irene Crownhart,
Viola Hickman,

Messrs.—
John S. Owens,
Earle Crew,
Oscar Williams,
Raymond Herbert,
Earnest Brice,
Preston Smith,
Herman Robinson,
Louis Sykes,
Romie Sutton,

FUN FOR THE ROWDIES.

Revelries of the Mohocks In London In the Old Days.

Some curious particulars of the dangers of London streets in the old days are given in an article on "The Scowgers and the Mohocks" in a British magazine. The favorite practice of the Scowrers was to invade some tavern in the evening, drive out the customers, ill treat the proprietor and his attendants, wreck the premises and, above all, "roar." Steele tells of the Mohocks, one of whose pastimes was to "inclose women in casks and roll them down the street." In 1712 a royal proclamation was issued offering a reward of £100 for the apprehension of any Mohock.

Soon after the accession of George IV. to the throne in 1820 there was a recrudescence, though in a milder form, of Mohock rowdyism, and attacks on the watch—"boxing the Charlies," as the phrase went—once more became fashionable among the wilder spirits of London. These revelries, however, were rudely disturbed by the establishment in 1829 by Sir Robert Peel of an efficient body of police.

Yet again in early Victorian days there was another Mohock outburst under the auspices of the Marquis of Waterford, and once more knockers and bell handles were wrenched off, public monuments injured, lights extinguished and crockery smashed. This form of humor, however, was quite wasted upon the local authorities, the marquis being promptly knocked down by a watchman and taken up half dead. The same authority tells us that in the following year he and some other men of fashion were convicted at Derby assizes of trying to overturn a caravan, screwing up a toll barkeeper and painting houses and people red. For these recreations they were fined £100 apiece.

SHADOW OF THE MOON.

Its Rapidity of Motion as Shown In a Solar Eclipse.

Probably the fastest motion that man can perceive with his eyes is that of the shadow of the moon across the earth in a solar eclipse. This rate is practically that of the moon in its orbit, which is about 2,000 miles an hour. This is roughly half a mile a second. Now, if a person were to be stationed on a mountain whence he could see for some miles he could actually watch the approach of the shadow and keep his eye on its edge. Of course the shade would cover the whole landscape for any one person.

From the testimony of many men who have witnessed the phenomenon in such circumstances it is a terrible and awe inspiring spectacle. Thus Forbes of Turin: "I confess it was the most terrifying sight I ever saw. As always happens in the case of sudden, silent, unexpected movements, the spectator confounds real and relative motion. I felt almost giddy for a moment, as though the massive building under me bowed on the side of the coming eclipse." Another view is described by Langley: "The bright cloud I saw distinctly put out like a candle. The rapidity of the shadow and the intensity produced a feeling that something material was sweeping over the earth at a speed perfectly frightful. I involuntarily listened for the rushing noise of a mighty wind."

There are, of course, many velocities greater than this that occur on the earth, which, too, are measurable, such as the speed of light, which is 186,000 miles a second, and the speed of molecules of hot gases, but they are not directly perceptible to the human vision —Lawrence Hodges in Chicago Record-Herald.

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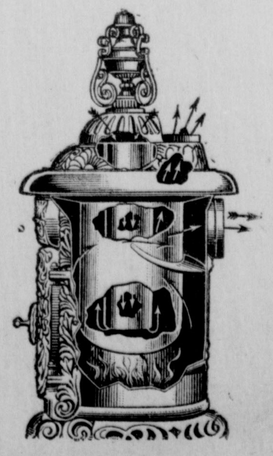
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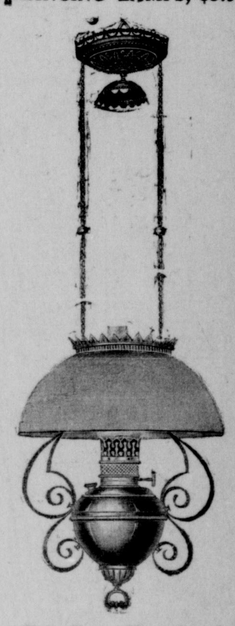
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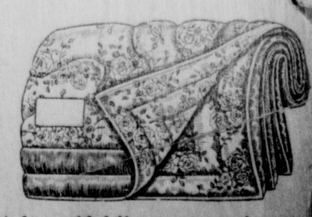


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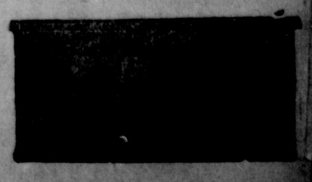
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