msa_sc2901_scm8626-0740 ©Maryland State Archives

Kent News.

VOL. 68. CHESTERTOWN, MD., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1906. NO. 24

CAUNION.

The public are hereby notified against trespassing upon the lands of the undersigned known as "Deep Point" and "Curry Farm" with dog, gun or otherwise as we shall prosecute all offenders.

n10-3t. J. G. WESTCOTT.

CAUTION.

ALL PERSONS are hereby warned not to trespass upon the lands of the undersigned with dog, gun or otherwise as we shall prosecute all such offenders.

W. T. MASLIN,
A. C. LOUD,
J. R. BOWERS,
n3-3t. W. W. BECK.

CAUTION.

ALL PERSONS are warned not to trespass on the lands of the undersigned, with dog, gun or otherwise after this date

n3-3t. B. I. TAYLOR.

TRESPASS NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned against trespassing upon the lands of the undersigned with dog, gun, or otherwise.

JAMES S. ELIAS,
JOHN W. ELIAS.
WM. D. ELIAS,
n10 3t JOHN LOUIS,

CAUTION.

All persons are hereby cautioned from trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise upon the premises of the undersigned at Tolchester. The law will be enforced against all offenders.

FRED G. USILTON,
P. HENDRICKSON,
oc27-3t. WALTER U. LUSBY.

CAUTION.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise upon the lands of the undersigned, as we shall surely prosecute all offenders.

J. B. WILLSON,
LOUIS SMITH,
ELMER E. LEARY,
JOHN BRICE,
R. B. WILLSON,
JAMES MOFFETT,
ROBERT WICKES,
n10 3t.* HUNTINGFIELD.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise upon the farms or shores in Third District of Kent county of the undersigned, after this date, under penalty of the law.

JAMES G. HARRIS,
WALTER HARRIS,
J. H. O. STOKES,
F. H. MEEKS,
T. B. CREW,
J. S. HARRIS,
C. W. HARRIS,
oc27-3t*. A. L. HARRIS.

TAKE WARNING.

There are some party or parties who are fishing our nets, and we are very tired of it. We are going to break it up, regardless of trouble or cost. Be careful, for we mean what we say.

FISHERMEN of Northwest and Northeast Prongs of Lankford's Bay. oc27 3t*.

DR. SIMON WICKES MERRITT,

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, 1901.

Office—Transcript Building, Court St.

Residence—Water Street.

Telephone, 76. Chestertown, Md.

DR. FRANK B. HINES,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Office at residence of Dr. W. F. Hines.

JOSEPH N. WHEATLEY & CO.

INSURANCE

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

HARRY L. BOYD,

FIRE INSURANCE,

—NEWS BUILDING—

Feb.20-1yr CHESTERTOWN, MD.

TREES! TREES!

I have a splendid lot of trees for this season—PEACH, APPLE and PEAR TREES.

Our Peach Trees are grown on the mountains of Tennessee on wild Tennessee pits. Scale is unknown and our Peach Trees are absolutely immune from yellows and prematures.

HARRY L. BOYD,
n3-1m. Chestertown, Md.

Trees for Sale.

Peach, Apple, Plum, Ornamental and Shade Trees, Gooseberry and Asparagus Crowns.

The above stock is guaranteed to be healthy true to name, and grown by Franklin Davis & Co. The Peach Trees are grown especially for the undersigned, the buds having been taken from bearing trees.

For this Fall Planting orders must be in by November 10. Write or call for catalog.

JOHN BELL,
oc20-3t. Chestertown.

Idle Money!

Make your idle money earn you

FOUR PER CENT

Interest by depositing it in

THE TALBOT SAVINGS BANK,

OF EASTON, MD.

The Bank that pays 4 per cent. interest on deposits. The popularity and usefulness of this "Bank for the People" is shown in its growth in a few years to ASSETS OF NEARLY $500,000 WITH OVER 1,000 DEPOSITORS.

This Bank will accept depositors in any amount by mail and will allow 4 per cent. interest compounded. Deposits may be sent by Registered Mail, P. O. Order, Express Order, by Draft or Check on your local bank. Call on or write the Cashier.

THE TALBOT SAVINGS BANK,
Capital, $25,000. Surplus, $10,000.
s6 6m. Easton Maryland.

WANTED

A sober, industrious and experienced CLERK at once. Apply to

R. F. PARKS & SON,
n10-tf. Chestertown.

WANTED.

A WHEELWRIGHT; a steady job for good all round mechanic. Apply to

C. W HAGUE,
n3 3t. Still Pond, Md.

WANTED.

We will pay BRIGHT GIRLS, over [illegible] years of age $4.00 per week until they can earn more and teach them to become operators. Our operators make from 6 to [illegible] dollars per week. Address

FRANK-KLINE STEWART CO.
519 W. Pratt street, Baltimore.

R. F. PARKS & SON are paying 32 cents for Eggs today (Saturday.)

C. E. LUNCHEON.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Christ Church will hold a LUNCHEON in the store room adjoining the postoffice NEXT WEDNESDAY EVENING, November 20th, beginning at 6 o'clock; price 25 cents. Ice cream and cake will also be on sale.

FESTIVAL & OYSTER SUPPER.

There will be a FESTIVAL and OYSTER SUPPER at Stevens or Cacy's School near Millington on FRIDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS, NOV. 23rd, 24th for benefit of school. Public cordially invited. n17

NOTICE.

The Election Supervisors for Kent county meet today, Nov. 17, 1906, at 2 o'clock for purpose of passing bills and any other business that may be brought before them, this is the last meeting.

By order of Board,
7-1t. EDW. ROBINSON, Sec'y.

IF YOU WANT A

GAS ENGINE

MARINE OR STATIONARY

LET US SHOW YOU WHY YOU SHOULD USE

THE FAIRBANKS

INSTALLING A SPECIALTY

WILBUR ELIASON, JR., CHESTERTOWN, MD.

THE Chestertown Bank Of Maryland

SUCCESSOR TO
THE FARMERS AND MECHANICS BANK
THE KENT NATIONAL BANK
THE CHESTERTOWN NATIONAL BANK,

Protection given our depositors in every way—by conservative management—by

BURGLARY INSURANCE

that protects against day light holdups as well as robbery at night.

WE PAY INTEREST.

on deposits in Savings Department.

Loans made on Approved Notes, Stocks, Bonds, and Real Estate.
We would be glad to have you call and talk over with us any Banking Matter that may interest you.

ALDAY CLEMENTS, Prest. R. D. HYNSON, Vice-Pres't.
M. DEK. SMITH, Attorney. ALLAN A. HARRIS, Cashier

WE HAVE TRIED

By means of this paper and in other ways to call your attention to the advantages of THE KENT COUNTY SAVINGS BANK.

We have not done this simply to increase our deposits, but to impress upon your minds THE VALUE OF A DOLLAR and THE IMPORTANCE OF SAVING THEM

It is not our ambition merely to secure your account, but WE DESIRE TO TEACH YOU THE GOOD HABIT OF SAVING.

There are so many who put off saving in the radiant June of their lives, and then allow pitiless December find them ABSOLUTELY UNPREPARED.

As the world grows older the general condition of our people should IMPROVE and THE KENT COUNTY SAVINGS BANK is here to help and to serve you. Very truly yours,

J. K. ALDRIDGE, President
M. A. TOULSON, Vice-President
WILLIAM F. RUSSELL, Cashier

DIRECTORS:

JOHN K. ALDRIDGE, FRED. G. USILTON. JAMES H. BAKER,
MILBOURN A TOULSON, RICH'D T. TURNER, JR. CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN D. URIE, JAMES A CASEY, G. IRVIN BARWICK,
JEFFERSON D. BACCHUS, J. EDWIN HURLOCK L. W. WICKES.

GALENA BANK

—OF THE—

FARMERS TRUST, BANKING & DEPOSIT CO.

[Paid In Capital and Surplus, $225,000.]

TRANSACTS A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS.

WE PAY 4% INTEREST ON TIME DEPOSITS.

JOHN W. WOODLAND, President, Baltimore, Md.
WM. D. ALLEN, Secretary Treasurer, Baltimore, Md.
EDWARD A. SCOTT, President Local Board, Galena, Md.
RICHARD S. WALLIS, Cashier, Galena, Md.

DIRECTORS (LOCAL BOARD)

DR. EDWARD A. SCOTT, J. THOMAS PENINGTON, E. THOMAS MASSEY,
HENRY PARR, W. A. WHITAKER, REV. A. P. PRETTYMAN,
J. FLETCHER WILSON, A. H. MALSBERGER, L. E. VANSANT,
S. WILLS LUSBY. JOHN T. QUINN. RICHARD S. WALLIS.

ESTRAY.

TAN BEAGLE DOG came to my house MONDAY MORNING. The owner can get same by paying cost of this ad.

1t. LEWIN U. SKIRVEN.

FARM FOR SALE.

ABOUT 16 ARES of arable land under cultivation, and a nice meadow, located ¼ mile from Lynch's Station, Kent county, Md. Excellent water. House and out-buildings in fair repair, some being new, and are insured for $800, being ¾ of estimated value. New fencing, including a large high wire chicken yard. Land is productive and very easily tilled.

This is a rare opportunity for anyone wishing to buy a small home property at a very reasonable price. Owner wants $1600.00 Terms to suit purchaser. Possession given Jan. 1st. Address

D. B. STEWART.
17n—tf 118 E. Pratt St., Baltimore, Md.

NOTICE.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS!

Give thanks and cast your wandering eye about where you can get some oysters from, go to A. ROBINSON, ladies and gents Dining Parlor, where you can get them right fresh from the shell cooked or raw, in every style. By the pint, quart or gallon, steamed or scalded. Chincoteague Salt water oyster on half shell. Your order will receive special attention. Special Prices for Church Festivals. Give him a call.

Ladies' and gents' Dining Parlor, A. ROBINSON, Proprietor. Remember next door to the office of E. H. Barroll, Esq., Court St., Chestertown, Md. n10-3 m.

FOR SALE.

Having decided to do without my team I now offer it for sale. A MARE 8 years old, gentle and safe and will work anywhere. A Waterloo Buggy, good as new, having only been used five months. I will sell the entire team, including horse, buggy, harness and blanket, or will sell horse and buggy separately.

REV. J. G. HOOKER.
n10 3t. Kennedyville, Md.

FOR RENT FOR 1907.

FOR RENT FOR 1907, five room dwelling in first class condition, large garden all kinds fruit, good water. Possession given Dec. 1st, very convenient. Also Canoe 33 foot long for sale. Apply to

JOHN URIE,
n17-1t.* Rock Hall, Md.

FOR RENT.

BLACKSMITH WHEELWRIGHT AND DWELLING HOUSE at Coleman's for rent. Apply to

W. J. COLEMAN,
Nov 17 3t. Coleman, Md.

FOR RENT.

STORE ON HIGH STREET occupied by Misses C. & H. Reed. Possession given January 1, 1907.

J. S. BRADLEY.
sep29-tf.

LIVE STOCK FOR SALE.

I HAVE HORSES, MULES, SOWS, PIGS and YOUNG COWS FOR SALE. Come and see me.

A. L. HUDSON,
"Fairlee Stock Farm,"
ss-v. Fairlee, Md

STOCK FOR SALE.

TWO THOROUGHBRED HEREFORD BULLS 15 months old, for sale or exchange. Bucks for sale or hire.

JOHN GALE & SON, Agents.

ABOUT 20,000

Peach Trees

TO DISPOSE OF.

The buds were selected from the best strain of each variety which were sent out from Nicholson's nurseries 25 to 30 years ago and many of these orchards were more healthier and vigorous the past season than quite a few orchards five and six years old.

The trees have been inspected by authorities from the State Entomologist, Professor Symons, and found entirely free from any root disease, San Jose scale or other insects.

Orders will be carefully attended to.

LITTLE GROVE NURSERIES.
R. G. NICHOLSON, Prop'r.
n17 tf. Chestertown, Md.

Photographs For Christmas

John M. South, Photographer, Chestertown, is making the following exceptionally attractive offer for holiday orders, viz:

ONE LIFE-SIZE PORTRAIT AND SIX FULL-SIZE CABINET PHOTOS FOR ONLY..... $2,50

☞ The Portrait is the same size for which you pay traveling agents $4 to $5.

FOUR QUARTER CABINETS FOR ONLY..... 25c
(All other work at low prices.)

☞ This offer is good until January 1st, 1907. All work guaranteed. Cloudy weather the same as clear. Respectfully,

JOHN M. SOUTH, Photographer.
n10-4t. "Gallery" Queen St., Chestertown.

Stoves, Stoves

FOR WOOD AND COAL

We have in stock as good a line of Stoves as you will find and every stove guaranteed to do what we claim. If you are in need of a COOK STOVE or RANGE, call and see our line of Excelsiors, New Albion, Home Ideal, Marigold and Penn Glory and our Border Steel Range for the farmer, cannot be beat. Heating Stoves from the Hot Airs to Fire Heaters.

A FULL LINE OF HARDWARE.

ROPE YARN, CORN BASKETS, BARN SHOVELS, HUSKING PEGS and GLOVES.

Flour—FFF and Superlative in wood or sack; low prices for cash.

Robes and Blankets for the stable and the street. Keep the horse warm and save feed.

Feed in any quantity—Cracked Corn and Chops; 55c bu., ground from old corn.

Leave us your orders for FINE SALT for hog killing.

Hague, Hackett & Turner,

STILL POND, MD.

THE Washington College football team defeated Western Maryland College last Friday afternoon in a warm contest by score of 5 to 0. It was a great game.

The College Reserves defeated Goldey College by score of 5 to 0. The Wilmington players were big fellows but the sinewy country boys played all around them.

ICE PLANT SOLD.

R. G. Nicholson Builds Up a Large Business in Chestertown—Arthur D. Bradley Purchases Same For $15,000.

Mr. Arthur D. Bradley, son of Mr. James S. Bradley, has purchased of Mr. Robert G. Nicholson the ice plant, stable and dwelling at Chestertown, near old depot, for $15,000, and takes charge of same at once.

July 1, 1890, the first cake of artificial ice was made in Chestertown at the ice plant erected by Mr. Robert G. Nicholson, since which time he has supplied this community with this luxury which now has become a necessity.

The small plant was inadequate to the needs of this community so that in 1899 the new plant at the depot was erected at considerable cost. This plant was built by the York Manufacturing Co. and will supply ten tons of ice every 24 hours. It can be easily enlarged to 15 tons per day.

Mr. Bradley is well known to our people and has every inducement to make the business a success. He has the best wishes of the whole community. Mr. Nicholson will devote his whole attention to "Little Grove" nurseries which has become an extensive business.

GUNNING NOTES.

Messrs. Wm. F. and John Nickerson hold the belt for the best record in gunning this season. They have killed 90 rabbits since Nov. 1.

Three gentlemen from Chestertown and Kennedyville tramped all day Monday over Mr. J. G. Westcott's farm and killed one rabbit each! They report the meal spread by Chef Wilber to have been specially fine.

H. Lynn Worthington, one of the most popular young men in the upper section of Cecil county, met with a very painful accident on Wednesday morning while out ducking on the Susquehanna Flats. Mr. Worthington was getting out of a small boat and was stooping over to pick up his gun, when the weapon was accidentally discharged, the full load of No. 4 shot entering his right side about the hip and coming out just above the hip.

Walter Crum, 12 year old, son of Noble D. Crum, of Walkersville, Frederick county, while hunting yesterday afternoon accidentally shot himself in the breast with a rifle and is in a dangerous condition. The boy poked the rifle through a fence, with the hammer up, when it was discharged, the ball entering his breast, passing through the lobe of one of his lungs and lodging in the muscles of the back. After being shot he ran some distance for assistance and finally fell in an exhausted condition.

In February last Mr Henry W. Archer released a number of partridges, which he has secured from Kansas, with the design of assisting in restocking the depleted fields of Harford county with those valuable game birds. But little had been heard from them until Mr. John C. Smith discovered a nest upon the farm of Mr. McCormick, near Bel Air. He related the incident when he arrived at home, and shortly afterwards his wife went out to look at the nest, which contained a number of eggs. Unknown to the lady, she was followed by the family cat, which came to the house some time later with the corpse of the mother bird. Mr. Smith when informed of the fact, went immediately to the nest and took the eggs to the house. They were cared for with such success that ten of them were raised. They are very attractive and have been seen by a number of persons.—Bel Air Aegis.

Four gunners from Baltimore were arrested near Betterton a few days ago and taken before the Still Pond magistrate charged with gunning in Kent without license. The hunters claimed that they were after crippled ducks!

Mr. J. E. Ferguson has killed over 40 rabbits thus far this season.

C. J. Reiche, J. E. Ferguson, Wm. Toulson and Edward Wilkins bagged 21 rabbits Wednesday on the Wilkins farm.

Gunning in Queen Anne's began Thursday. Kent countian's will not forget that a license is required to gun anywhere outside of the county.

A woman in Kentucky sometime ago went to town and bought some furs of the fox variety. In driving back home, she happened to pass a forest in which several lovers of the chase were out fox hunting. She heard the baying of hounds in the distance, but gave no thought to the matter until suddenly the pack burst out of the woods and made for her. The dogs, infuriated because of the near approach of what they thought was the victim of their chase, soon overtook her. She drove faster but the beasts kept up with her and made strenuous efforts to get into the carriage.

Fires.—The residents of Galena were alarmed Friday evening by the cry of "fire" and but for the favorable wind a serious loss would have resulted. The fire originated in a stable, owned by the Woodall estate in rear of the Horsey store and tenanted by Pierce & Bolton, which was burned together with an adjoining stable owned by Rev. J. W. Prettyman. The loss will amount to about $500; no insurance.

The home of Mr. William Felton, about one mile from Millington in Queen Anne, was totally destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon. The origin of fire is unknown.

GEO. Z. ROLAND.

Today's Market

Butter, Choice Buckwheat and Sausage, Sauer Kraut, Grape Fruit, Cooking and Eating Apples, Smoked and Bologna Sausage, Celery, Hog Casings, Danish Cabbage and Live Chickens.

GEO. Z. ROLAND,
n17-tf. Chestertown, Md.

A. COHEN, Sandy Bottom, is paying 32 cents per dozen for eggs

SALE OF PERSONALTY.

The sale of the late Andrew Woodall personalty advertised in the NEWS drew a large crowd to Georgetown Wednesday and everything brought good prices under the direction of Auctioneer John H. Greenwood. The first ten shares of the Tolchester Beach Improvement Co. were bought at $105 per share by J. M. McCulloh, of Port Deposit, second ten at $102, third ten at $101 and the remaining 100 shares at $100 each, all having been purchased by Mr. McCulloh. Capt. J. P. Leonard, of Cambridge, boughtt 22 shares Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic R R. Co. at $47.50 per share; J. F. M. Woodall bought 35 shares Citizens National Bank, Middletown, Del., at $66.50 per share; Andrew W. Woodall bought 5 shares Galena Bank for $51 per share; gasoline launch, "Toddy," was bought by Andrew W. Woodall for $775 and the 24 foot skiff by J. E. Woodall for $135.

The stock at Mr. Clements Jester's sale near town brought fine prices—Auctioneer C. H. Hurlock. Cows brought $50 and $60, hogs six cents alive, etc.

WEDDING EVENTS.

HURD—WATTS.

Mr. Charles H. Hurd, of Still Pond Neck, and Miss Anita Watts were married at Christ Church parsonage, Chestertown, Monday evening by Dr. D. L. Greenfield in the presence of the C. E. Lookout Committee.

TYLER—JOHNSON.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Julia Mallaneu, on Sassafras Street, Millington, Thursday afternoon, when her granddaughter, Miss Julia Johnson, became the bride of Mr. Arthur Tyler, formerly of Frostburg, Md., but now of Bethlehem, Pa. The bride was tastefully attired in a beautiful tailored suit of blue chiffon broadcloth, with hat to match, white silk waist and pearl colored gloves. The bridegroom wore a light grey suit with gloves to match the bride. The bride was unattended. Mr. R. W. Moffett acted as best man. Rev. Albert Ware read the beautiful ring ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Tyler took the 3 20 northbound train for their future home in Bethlehem, where Mr. Tyler holds a lucrative position.

BASTIAN—McCOLLISTER.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at 6 a. m. Wednesday morning, when Miss Evelyn McCollister, of "River View," near Church Hill, was married to Dr. J. W. Bastian, a prominent physician of Wilmington, Del. The ceremony took place at the old homestead of Mrs. S. G. McCollister (nee) Miss Gould. The room was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and ferns and the mantels were banked with chrysanthemums. The ceremony was performed under an arch of evergreen and a marriage bell. Mr. Harris Crew, of Kent county, a graduate of the Peabody Institute, presided at the piano, and promptly at six o'clock the happy couple entered the parlor to the sweet strains of Lohengrin. They were attended by the bride's sister, Miss Dorrell McCollister, maid of honor. Mr. Wm. Marston, of Wilmington, was the best man. The bride was given away by her father and was married with the ring service, throughout all of this the tender music of "Oh! Promise Me" floated through the room like a soft sweet echo. The bride was gowned in a steel chiffon broad-cloth tailored-gown with hat and gloves to match and carried brides' roses. Miss McCollister, the maid of honor, worh a pearl tailor-made gown and carried pink carnations and ferns. After the ceremony an "En Buffett" breakfast was served, after which Dr. and Mrs. Bastiad left for a trip south. On their return they will reside at No. 511 South 4th street, Wilmington. The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. McCollister, and the grand-daughter of the late Judge Chas. McCollister, of Queen Anne's county.

WADDINGTON—SPRIGG.

An interesting wedding was solemnized Wednesday when Miss Edith Montandon Sprigg, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Sprigg, 1010 Edmondson avenue, Baltimore, was united in marriage to Mr. Ernest Antone Waddington, Jr., at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Y. Dobbins, pastor of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, in the presence of relatives and friends. To the strains of "Lohengrin," rendered by Miss Nettie Jones, the bride entered the parlor on the arm of her father, by whom she was given in marriage, and was met at an improvised altar of palms by the groom, attended by his best man, Dr. Harry Janney Walton. She wore a handsome gown of white chiffon cloth over satin, trimmed with real lace and pearl ornaments. Her tulle veil was caught with a few sprays of lilies-of-the-valley, held by a heart of pearl and diamonds, the gift of the groom. Miss Ella Louise Sprigg, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore an attractive gown of blue chiffon over taffeta and carried Golden Gate roses. The wedding was followed by a reception. Many beautiful gifts were received. Late in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Waddington left for a wedding trip North, and upon their return will be at home to their friends at the Terrace Apartments on the first and third Tuesdays of December. The bride is well-known in Kent having often been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Watson near Fairlee.

A marriage license was issued in Baltimore Wednesday to August Hastmann, 26; Mary A. Rollison, 28, widow, Kent county. Applicant Mary A. Rollison, 719 West Lombard street.

Accidents.—Mr. Silas L. Weller, of near Chester bridge, was seriously hurt Saturday evening by being kicked by a horse. He entered his stable after dark and the horse implanted one foot in his face and the other just above his heart. He was unconscious for nearly three hours. Dr. W. Frank Hines, who attended him, reports him improved.

Little Edgar Chairs accidentally dislocated his elbow while playing at the Chestertown High School on Tuesday. Drs. Hines and Simpers attended him.

THURSDAY was a wintry day. Snow fell for five hours while the mercury registered 32°.

PERSONAL NOTES....

Col. W. Hopper Gibson, of Centreville, was in Chestertown last Monday on business.

Mrs. E. A. Jones, of Warwick, and Mrs. J. H. Weer, of Kennedyville, are at the bedside of their sister, Mrs. W. S. Petticord, who has been very ill for the past week, but is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Joseph Gerker, of Bi[illegible] Ala., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hynson, in Chestertown.

Mr. D. B. McMenamin attended the wedding of his sister in Philadelphia this week.

Mr. James D. Lucas was raised to the sublime degree of a Master Mason in Chester Lodge Wednesday evening at a special communication.

Dr. H.G. Simpers, Thomas Massey and M. Wilber Thomas have been elected delegates to the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons to be held in Baltimore next week.

Mrs. Dr Charles R. Twilley and sons, Merritt and Richard, are spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Dr. John Lowe, of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. William Adkinson and daughter, of near Sudlersville, visited relatives near Middletown and Townsend, Del., the latter part of last week.

Mr. Frank M. Miller was injured on the limb Tuesday night by a kick from his horse.

Rev. Wm. N. Sherwood, of Trappe M. P. Church, visited his mother in Chestertown this week.

Mrs. Mary Whiteford, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Mrs. J. H. Simpers on Queen street, Chestertown.

Mrs. J. H. Simpers and Mrs. Mollie Faringer, of Chestertown, are visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Mr. J. Cordray Loud has been visiting Philadelphia and Wilmington friends. He witnessed the big Pennsylvania-Lafayette foot ball game in Philadelphia on Saturday.

Mrs. W. C. Sutton is visiting her mother in Baltimore.

Mr. James Coleman, the well-known trapper, has become an artist in applying tar and concrete to roofs. During the past month he has put on roofs in Wilmington, Pittsburg and Baltimore, "Huck" is a wonder.

Mrs. J. L. Smyth returned Saturday from Baltimore very much improved in health.

Mrs. J. G. Westcott is visiting her parents in St. Mary's.

Mrs. G. Allen Jarman is able to be out after a week's illness.

Alva A. Lamkin, Esq., of Baltimore, attorney for the company that will construct an electric railroad in Kent county, was in Centreville last Saturday. He stated that he was very much pleased with the town and county, and as soon as the road is completed in Kent it is the purpose of the company to extend its lines to Queen Annes.—Record.

Mr. Milbourn Davis visited his mother on Mill street this week.

Mr. Wm. Burke, of Philadelphia, visited his parents on Cross street Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. E. Timanus will celebrate their 20th wedding anniversary at 1307 Maryland avenue, Baltimore, next Thursday evening. Mrs. T. is well-known in Chestertown as Miss May Zimmerman.

Miss Ada Barnett who is at the City Hospital for special treatment is doing nicely and hopes to be home in a few days.

SUICIDE OF A YOUNG MAN

G. Bedford Hackett, Jr., Kills Himself With A Shotgun.

Despondency, brought on by nervousness, caused G. Bedford Hackett, Jr., to commit suicide by blowing off the top of his head with a shotgun at his home, at Newport News, Tuesday. The young man's aged mother and father were in the house when the fatal shot was fired, and they rushed to their son's room, where they found him on the floor, one side of his head gone, the walls and ceilings spattered with blood and blood gushing from the wound in his head.

A shotgun was between his legs, and at his side was a strip of wood that had been torn from a window frame. It is supposed that the young man used the strip of wood to pull the trigger, and that he was looking down the barrel of the gun when the shot was discharged.

Young Hackett was employed in office of Furness, Withy & Co., and was well known. He had been a resident of Newport News since his early boyhood, and was a Mason of high standing in Bermond Lodge.

He was a native of Kent and his many friends here are pained to hear of the distressing affair.

Announcements.—Mrs. J. C. Stevens announces the marriage of her daughter, Sarah Augusta, to Mr. Howard Turner, of Kent county, at the home of the bride near Barclay, Nov. 15, at one o'clock. No cards.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Davis, of Chestertown, Md., have issued invitations, to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Emma Davis, to Mr. Norman W. Coleman, of Smyrna, which will take place Wednesday, November the twenty eighth, at 12 o'clock, at the Methodist Episcopal Church South, Chesterville, Md. The groom is a salesman in Edw. G. Walls' clothing store, Smyrna.

MR. S. G. BILYERS, of Shippensburg, Pa., is in Kent this week. He is a well-known nurseryman and horticulturist. He furnished the late Col. Edw. W. Wilkins with 60,000 peach trees for his big "Riverside" orchard in 1865. Mr. Bilyers has been carrying on many experiments for preventing scale, yellows and other diseases and thinks the scale is not so much to be dreaded as yellows and crown gall. He is here to select trees to bud from and has found in Mr. R. G. Nicholson's orchard a good grade of trees to place in his new orchard.