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MILLINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Corkran, of Lutherville, Md., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Kate Benson.

Mrs. Merritt Brice spent this week with her sister, Mrs. W. O. Selby, of Rock Hall.

Miss Fannie Hurtt and Mrs. Lucy Spear and daughter, Miss Edna, returned home last Monday after spending a week with the former's neice, Mrs. F. E. Maddox, of Chestertown.

Services to-morrow, Jan. 14, at Asbury M. E. Church will be as follows: 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor, Rev. G. P. Smith, 2 p. m. Sunday school, subject, "John the Baptist and Jesus"; 7 30 p. m. revival services. All are invited to attend these services.

Lieut. and Mrs. Frances Fitch and little son, Fitch, Jr., returned last Saturday to their home in New York after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Abern.

Dr. D. C. Blevins and family are occupying the Kirk house formerly occupied by Mr. Sudler Wiest.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. I Jarvis, last Tuesday evening and left a fine baby girl.

Mr. Irving Sturtevant died at his home in Wilmington on Monday of last week. His remains were brought to Millington by train on Thursday morning, January 11, interment in Millington cemetery. The deceased was 46 years of age. Besides his wife, who was Miss Bertha Britton before marriage, he leaves four small children.

The young folks of our town had a fine time on Friday evening of last week serenading Prof. and Mrs A. L. Greenwood.

Mrs. Annie S. Price is visiting relatives at St. George's, Del.

Quite a number of our people are sick with the grippe and colds.

Miss Willie Moffett is spending some time in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Miss Bess Brice, of Chestertown, was the guest this week of her brother, Dr. Merritt Brice.

Mr. Harold Britton, of this town, and Miss Lillian Coleman, of Rock Hall, were married at the home of the bride's parents on Tuesday of last week.

Asbury M. E Sunday-school held its re-election of officers last Sunday, and the following were elected for the ensuing year:

Superintendent—Rev. G. P. Smith.
Secretary—Mr. Harry Higman.
Asst. Secretary—Mr. Spencer Stevens.
Librarian—Mr. James Moore.
Treasurer—Mrs Lizzie Jones.
Missionary Treasurer—Miss Mary Numbers.
Organist—Miss Helen Numbers.
Asst. Organist—Miss Susie Jones.
Chorister—Mr. N. A. Wallen.

Mr. and Mrs. McCosh Walls, of near town, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a fine son.

Misses Vic and Annie Power left last Wednesday for Palm Beach, Fla., where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Good wages paid at the Chestertown Pants Factory.

STILL POND

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Moore and daughter, Jessie, visited Baltimore during the week.

Mr. J. S. Clark, of Princess Anne, Md. visited our town during the week.

Mrs. J. W. Howard is visiting friends and relatives in Baltimore.

Mrs. Mary Robinson, of Camden, N. J., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Crowding at her home here.

Mr. Thomas Mann spent several days of the past week with his sister, Mrs. Harry Hoyle, of Fairlee.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldwin Ford were given a kitchen shower at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hackett Wednesday evening. It was a great surprise to Mr. and Mrs Ford, and they received many articles that will be useful in the kitchen.

A large tribe of gypsies have camped in Bower's woods, near here.

The Epworth League business and social meeting met in the home of Miss Lucille Parr Thursday evening. Quite a large crowd spent a very pleasant evening.

The following officers were installed by Still Pond Grange Saturday afternoon:

Master—Brother Arthur Harris.
Overseer—Brother Harvey Moore.
Lecturer—Sister Catherine Fogwell.
Steward—Brother J. L. Price.
Asst. Steward—Brother R. P. Nichols.
Chaplain—Brother S. S. Hepburn.
Secretary—Walter Harris.
Treasurer—Sister Mary Harris.
Ceres—Sister Evelyn Harris.
Pomona—Sister Hannah Moore.
Flora—Sister Alta Price.
Lady Asst. Steward—Sister Harriet Nichols.
Pianist—Sister Evelyn Harris.
Press Correspondent—Sister Ollie Medders.
Critic—Bro. R. P. Nichols.

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Local Notes

If you want employment you can get it at the Pants Factory, Chestertown.

Another new residence has been started by Contractor Price for Mrs. Wickes on her property corner of Queen and Cannon streets.

J. D. Bacchus will accept our thanks for one of his beautiful calendars. Lofland & Culp are giving their patrons a pause while the Chestertown Bank is giving a thermometer.

J. E. Newton is building a causeway for W. Frank Jarrell across the head of Radcliffe mill pond so as to connect his farms. It will be quite a saving in time when going to and from the farms.

The Boyer farm in Quaker Neck was sold at public sale Tuesday by Wm. M. Slay, Esq., attorney for owner, to Robt. J. McWhorter for $4725.

The Neal-Cannon farm in Quaker Neck was sold by Sheriff same day to S. Scott Beck, Esq., for $2850 including mortgage and taxes.

A most enjoyable dance was given at the Eastern Shore Inn on Saturday evening last by Misses Eugenia and Alice Hynson, daughters of Mrs Richard Dunn Hynson. Music was furnished by Mrs. Hatcherson, Mr. Merritt Twilley and Mr. William Smith. Refreshments were served at 10.30 p. m.

President William W. Beck, of the Chestertown Bank of Maryland, entertained the directors of that institution on Wednesday last at a sumptuous turkey dinner at his home on Water street. Every director with the Cashier and Teller were present The annual meeting of the stockholders took place the same day when the same directors and officers were re-elected.

Wishing to have a live subject to work with, girl students of the domestic science department of the Appleton High School have adopted a 2-month-old baby from a poor family. The girls are kept busy feeding and dressing the baby, according to approved scientific methods.

The will of the late Mrs. George B. McWhorter was filed for probate in the Orphans' Court Tuesday. It names Mr. Frank McWhorter as executor and divides the property equally between the children, Mrs. A. L. Sterling being given the privilege of buying the home at a fixed price James W. Chapman, Jr., Esq., appeared for Mrs. Sterling and entered a protest to the will and stated a caveat would be filed.

The Public Service Commission have interpreted the law so as to permit Mr. Walter U. Lusby to resume his auto route to Tolchester. The public are well cared for by Mr. Lusby and it is well that an agreement has been reached. An announcement will be made officially later.

The unique and elaborate Xmas tree, yard and electrical apparatus in the home of Dr. Charles R. Twilley was removed this week after giving pleasure to many. It was a wonder.

The notice of finding a body in the woods near town caught the eye of Mr. Briscoe in Baltimore and thinking it might be his long-missing brother came to Chestertown Saturday. The body was taken up and the initials G. B. on the arm tallied with the lost man's name but it did not prove to be the right man. Mr. Briscoe says his brother had not been heard from since 1915.

Brown, the clothier, has decided to remove from Chestertown after March. He has been here four years during which time he has established a reputation for honesty and fair dealing that is enviable. He and his brother have made many friends here who regret his decision to leave. He has not decided as to his future plans.

Next Monday night at the Lyceum Theatre the celebrated Guy Bros. Minstrels will show here. This well-known company are now on their 43rd town and need no introduction. If you want to hear good music and enjoy a good laugh go see these fun makers. Watch for their brass band at noon.

John Fox, who lives below Port Penn, has caught ten otters this season. The otter makes profitable trapping, the pelts bringing from $8 to $16 apiece.

Help wanted at the Pants Factory, Chestertown. Good Wages.

A delegation of ladies made application to the Town Commissioners Monday for a meeting place for the Boy Scouts and the Board cheerfully granted their office as a temporary headquarters until a better place could be provided. The Scouts under the leadership of R. Groome Parks, Esq., are gratified at this recognition and convenience which is so much needed.

The annual election of directors at the Kent County Savings Bank was held Wednesday and the same board was re-elected. A splendid turkey dinner was served to the stockholders in the mezzanine parlor of the bank.

The younger son of Mrs. Fannie Davis, of Mill street, upon his visit from Philadelphia last week greeted his mother so enthusiastically as to hurt her side. It was first thought her rib was broken, but after a day's rest, Mrs. Davis has recovered but will not soon forget "Mill's" hug. We therefore warn sons and sweethearts against too enthusiastic greetings.

Geo. W. Sutton has purchased at private sale the big Sutton farm near Black's and will occupy same next year. He has been on the Beaston farm for many years and is an industrious and successful farmer. The price paid for the Sutton farm is $15,000.

Girls make from $4 to $9 per week at the Chestertown Pants Factory.

Honey raisers have had a good year. Mr. Spencer Biddle has sold about $500 worth of the sweetness during the past year and his expenses were not over $40!

S. G. Caldwell sold a fine lot of mules in Chestertown last Tuesday at fair prices.

Kent county bought 16 more mules last week to be used in working roads.

All canned goods, now rapidly advancing in price because of scarcity, will be higher next season by reason of increased labor and material costs. Members of the principal canning associations declare they must make smaller cans or charge more, reports the American Agriculturist.

Mrs. W. W. Beck, of Chestertown, awoke about 3 o'clock one morning recently and thought she smelled smoke as if from wood burning. She arose and began to investigate. As she descended the stairs the smell from burning wood became more acute, and upon reaching the entrance to the kitchen, she saw what looked like a blaze! She opened the door and there she saw the electric lights turned on and her faithful man starting the fire in the range. "Why, John, what are you doing," she asked. "My clock stopped and I thought it was time to get up," replied John. He was told that it was only 3 A. M. and the household's fears allayed.

The executive board of the Chestertown Choral and Dramatic Club at a meeting held Tuesday evening, January 9th, announced the following cast for the production of the operetta "Priscilla": Priscilla, Miss Isabel Beck or Mrs. David B. Ford; Resignation, Mrs. David B. Ford or Mrs. W. Frank Jarrell; Barbara, Miss Helen Boyd; understudy, Miss Ruth Clements; Faith, Mrs. W. Frank Jarrell or Mrs. William Spielberger; John Alden, Mr. Thomas W. Perkins; understudy, Mr. A. M. Culp; Miles Standish, Mr. Charles F. Monzani, understudy, Mr. Hydie Thompson; Governor Bradford, Mr. A. L Sparks, understudy, Mr. J. W. Dykes; Higgins, Mr. E. F. Bowen; Squanto, a reformed Red-man, Mr. Clarence Newcomb, understudy, Mr. Joe Wheatley; Prudence, Mrs. Wm. Spielberger.

Announcement has just been made of one of the most promising musical events of the season. The Washington College Glee and Dramatic Clubs will present at the Lyceum Theatre on the evenings of February 19th and 20th, the operetta "Captain Van Der Hum." Permission has been secured from the publishers, J. Fischer and Bros., to produce this play in Chestertown. The operetta abounds in good music arranged as solos, quartets and choruses. The lines are clever and relate the amusing adventuree of a wily pirate and a blustering coxswain. The cast of the operetta, which is under the direction of Prof. Martin Ten Hoor, includes the best solo voices at the college. The chorus is large and exceptionally well balanced. Mr. E. F. Bowen will take the part of the pirate, "Captain Van Der Hum"; Mr. Charles F. Monzani will take the part of the coxswain; Mr. T. R Spedden will take the part of "Jim Spray," the love sick sailor; Mr. J. W Dykes will take the part of "Tom Tupper," the loquacious sailor whose wild-eyed tales are the talk of the navy. Tickets will be placed on sale two weeks before the date of the performance.

The thermometer was down to 12° yesterday morning.

Guy's great minstrel show is to be in Chestertown Lyceum Monday next. Street parade at noon.

Thieves have been busy about Still Pond stealing meat, chickens, corn, etc.

The Sheriff has opened a meat shop in Millington and placed his son there. They are doing a fine business, keeping a sanitary and clean business place.

Sachs & Son were aroused late Wednesday night by gypsies who wanted to buy clothing. They returned to the store and sold them $18 worth of dresses, &c. This special sale is still going on but Sachs & Son prefer to do business during regular hours.

The State Committee for the sale of Red Cross Seals requires that returns from the county be in by Jan. 25, 1917. The Kent county committee is responsible for all seals distributed so it is imperative that we have returned to us all seals unsold. All persons having seals or money from sale of same please return at once to Mrs. Louis H. Wood, secretary, Chestertown.

The Peninsula Horticultural Society adjourned at Dover Wednesday to meet in Cambridge next year. Walter B. Harris was elected a member of the executive committee.

The Guernsey Breeders' Association of the Eastern Shore met in Easton on Wednesday. J. T. Anthony was re-elected vice-president and Walter T. Morris a member of the executive committee.

On Sunday evening while Rev. C. M. Elderdice was at church, a burglar tried to rob his house. His wife was at home and notwithstanding that the man pointed a pistol at her and demanded her money, she ran out of the house and called assistance. When the burglar saw that the community was aroused he fled.

It costs $128 per year to board a hired man, according to estimates as furnished to the Department of Agriculture by 1,000 farmers representing widely separated sections in 14 states.

Pomona Grange will meet at Kennedyville Saturday, Jan. 27th. All members are requested to be present and bring a nice basket.

Elkton continues to maintain its reputation as the Gretna Green of Maryland. Notwithstanding the high cost of living and loving, the records of the clerk's office show that 1916 was the banner year in marriage licenses. From December 1, 1915, to December 1, 1916, Clerk of the Court Charles S. Peacock issued 3,345 marriage licenses, and in December 350 licenses were issued, the greatest number in any one month since Elkton became the Gretna Green. Of the licenses issued about 95 per cent. were to couples from the neighboring States of Delaware, Pennsylvania and New Jersey, with the majority from Philadelphia.

Four colored residents of Talbot county are richer to day because Perry F. Chase, an intelligent and ambitious negro, left this part of the state and went to Chatham, Ontario, forty-five years ago, and accumulated a fortune of $40,000. Chase went into business in the Canadian province and was successful in competing with the white men of the locality.

Failing to keep the public from traveling over the partly built stone road between Cecilton and Warwick, by threatening arrest, the contractors built a fence across the road at either end. This was torn down. Then the contractors had stone hauled and piled in the middle of the road, and placed the steam rollers at each end, but this also has failed. The stone piles have been leveled at night, and the rollers fired up and run off to the side of the road.

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Come in and inspect these offerings even if you do not intend to buy. Also tell your friends about this sale.

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