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Local Notes

THE Southern Packing Co, has settled with the tomato growers in Quaker Neck in full of all claims.

THE wedding of school teachers still goes on and makes changes in the ranks. Miss Eva Kelley's school at Locust Grove is being filled by Miss Carrie Bolton, of Hanesville, while Miss Rebecca Davis is teaching in Miss Bolton's place. Miss Margeret Harris has been appointed assistant teacher at Pomona.

IN this issue Mr. Thomas W. Perkins advertises his fine residence on Water street for sale. This is one of the most beautiful as well as nicely located residences in Chestertown and has been kept in perfect repair. Mr. Perkins and family will reside in their newly-purchased home across the street from where they now reside.

THE W. C. T. U. held a well attended meeting at Fairlee M. E. parsonage last Friday afternoon.

THE People's Laundry has established an office in their home on High street pending an adjustment of some financial difficulties. It is hoped these boys can resume business at the laundry as the town is greatly in need of this plant. They have been doing a big business.

THE following officers were elected on Monday night by the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company.

President—Thomas D. France.
1st Vice President—William S. Usilton.
2nd Vice-President—Harry R. Graham.
3rd Vice-President—Walter Wright.
Secretary—J. Raymond Simpers.
Asst. Sec'y—M. Wilbur Thomas.
Treasurer—William L. Fowler.
Chief—G. Harry Cannan.

IF the prevailing prices of the Milk Producers' Association of Delaware are held by all other milk dealers as a standard the price of milk during February will be the same as in January. At the meeting of the Association held in Irish-American Hall Monday afternoon, the members unanimously decided to demand 5½ cents a quart wholesale for their milk during February. This price has prevailed during January and according to the members of the association they had no trouble in disposing of their milk at this price. Some of the members seemed to think that the price should go up during the coming month but when the vote was taken all present voted to keep the milk at the present price.

THE Volunteer Fire Company of Chestertown finished paying for their new building, on Cross street, this week. We join in congratulating them on their accomplishment.

THE Nowland property in Cecilton ha passed from the management of Mr. Jesse L. Shepherd, of Middletown, to that of Mr. Thomas W. Perkins, of Chestertown.

THROUGH a business arrangement with Mr. N. R. Lockerman, proprietor of the Arlington Hotel, Mr. Wm. C. McDaniel, who formerly kept the hostelry, will return to Centreville and resume the proprietorship on January 20. Mr. McDaniel, who now resides in Delaware, is well known to the traveling public of the Eastern Shore. He formerly ran the Imperial, in this town.

CAROLINE farmers met in Denton Saturday and thoroughly discussed tomato growing. Figures were given showing the cost of growing and delivering to the canning-houses on a basis of three tons, $31 being stated as the actual cost to the farmer for this quantity. The canners offer $12 per ton, or $36 for the three tons. This margin, it was argued, would not be sufficient to justify the growing of tomatoes this year, when corn and other crops are much higher. A resolution was offered and unanimously adopted that the farmers here would not contract to grow any tomatoes for less than $15 per ton. For some time, it is said, farmers have been discouraged in the tomato growing on account of the very great scarcity of labor and increasing prices of fertilizer.

THE Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company has partially lifted its embargo against wheat, corn and oats to Baltimore market. It was announced Tuesday that these cereals will be received when headed to Baltimore for export from points on its system east of Chicago Junction. The embargo continues in force from connecting lines and from points west of Chicago Junction. The grain merchants, however, were gratified to obtain this relief. It is said the effect will be to let much of the waiting grain come forward to fill the orders of the local exporters. The exporters have been seriously handicapped by the stopping of the movement of grain to the East and have had to rely on the stock already in the elevators to fill the vessels which have been brought there for loading.

SOME interesting features of the performance of the operetta, "Captain Van der Hum," to be staged by the Washington College Glee and Dramatic Clubs in the Lyceum, on the evening of Feb. 20, have just been announced. "A Sailor's Hornpipe," special solo dances by members of the cast representing Dutch, Chinese, Fiji and Spanish girls, and artistic stage figures by the chorus, are some of the treats in store for patrons. The costumes will be elaborate and will be furnished by Fischer & Son, of Philadelphia. An orchestra of ten pieces will accompany the musical numbers. The advance subscription seat sale has already begun. More than one hundred tickets have been sold. Those wishing to subscribe for seats may do so by mail or telephone or by ordering tickets direct from members of the clubs. The reservations for subscribers and for mail orders will be filled on the three days immediately preceding the general seat sale.

THE poster now in the window of Stam's Drug Store announcing the production of the operetta, "Captain Van der Hum," is attracting much attention. This artistic advertisement was painted by Carl N. Bordley.

THE Shriver estate, in Quaker Neck, was settled this week each of the heirs receiving $70.

THE musicale given at the Eastern Shore Inn Thursday evening was thoroughly appreciated and enjoyed by a fine audience. The vocal soloists were Mr. and Mrs Wm. B. Shafer, of Easton and Mr. T. Kemp Bordley, violinists, Mrs. Henry Davies, of Easton and Miss Mabel Toulson were the accompanists. The selections were of the very best while the renditions were of a high standard.

THE Kent County Teachers Association will be held in Chestertown next Friday, Jan. 26. The following excellent program has been arranged:

Opening exercises. Music, prayer, roll call.
Pupils in the rural schools spend most of their time at their desks.
Give some suggestions for practical and profitable seat-work for such pupils who are in the lower grades. Misses Alice D. Wood, Myrtle Hoover, Mary L. Rouse, L. Nellie Pearce.
Demostration of Ward Method for children who have not been in school and for second grade pupils in phonetic work. Miss Bessie Coleman, Reading Specialist for Silver, Burdette Company.
Can the study of Grammar be made realir interesting? If so, how? Misses K. Celeste Stokel, Florence M. Jewell, Sarah N. Hessey, Edith B. Collson.
How do you teach Sixth Grade Maryland History? Misses Anna W. Melvin, Era M. Duver, Bertie M. Brockson, Blanche B. Huhn.
Give your plans for checking the work of pupils so that the teacher will need not spend several hours each evening overlooking and examining papers. Misses Nellie E. Walters, Estelle J. Biddle, Edith W. Harley, Carrie S. Bolton.

DEATHS

J. Louis Evans, aged about 48 years, died at his home on Bloomfield farm near Centreville, Wednesday morning. He had just asked for a glass of milk and when in a few minutes Mr. Story returned with it he found he was dead. Dr. McPherson had attended him the night before, but his heart trouble finally took him away. He was the eldest son of Col. John H. Evans and was true and loyal to his friends. The funeral took place yesterday from the home of his sister, Mrs. S. P. Towns hend on Washington avenue, Chestertown, interment at Chester cemetery, Dr. H. B. Martin officiating. The bearers were Paul C. Massey, Carroll Catlin, Chas. E. Tacker, Spencer Newnam, Thos. R. L. Price, John Friel.

Mr. Reuben W. Warren, aged 57 years, a highly respected citizen of Delaware City, died there on Friday, Jan. 12, 1917. Mr. Warren was a good man and always had something good to say for everyone. He was a great lover of horses and he attended all the State fairs and it will be remembered that his fast racing horse Arkin raced at the Kent and Queen Anne's Fair last season. His funeral services were held at his late home The Robinson House, interment was made at the Odd Fellows cemetery, Smyrna, Del. He leaves a widow, who was Miss Rachel Deakyne, of Smyrna.

STRANGE FATE OF A CAR

The automobile of Rev. R. P. Nichols, of Still Pond, has been taken a second time from its owner. On November 21 the first occasion, while revival services were going on in the church, the car was taken from the church green and discovered by E. M. Bonwill, Jr., overturned and badly injured on the road to Betterton. With the aid of J. T. Baxter, F. B. Harper and W. L. Ford, whom he summoned, Bonwill brought the wrecked auto back to the church door, where the surprised preacher found it at the close of the meeting.

The car was taken the second time in the early hours of Wednesday morning, January 17. When the family arose it was found that the door of the garage was open and the automobile was gone. Late the same night, however, the car was returned to its owner. E. M. Bonwill and J. T. Baxter are a second time responsible for its return. The car had been taken to Newark, Del., and was brought by Bonwill and Baxter from that place to Still Pond.

When it arrived home the automobile could not be recognized as the same car. Except for the engine, everything about it was new—body, top, windshield, hood—for all purposes a new car. With the return of the car there was made the following explanation: "With the greetings of the season from friends in Still Pond and Betterton."

Just the same the parsonage garage, it is alleged, is doubly padlocked every night.

Accidents.—Mr. Henry Rutter, a prominent farmer of near Locust Grove, had his shoulder blade broken on Monday while moving a corn sheller.

The 16-year-old son of Mr. James Taylor, of Galena, had his hand badly torn in a corn sheller last Saturday morning Dr. George R. Jones rendered medical assistance.

John Brown, a faithful young colored helper on Mr. H. C. Lusby's farm, was accosted on the road one night recently by two young white men and badly hurt. His knee cap was kicked out of place. Drs. Hines and Simpers worked on him for several hours and dressed the injury so that he could be taken to the hospital. Mr. Herbert Lusby accompanied him to Baltimore and left him in good hands.

Mr. Rip Peary has a black eye and was somewhat bruised about the face when an auto turned over near Odessa, Del.

Mr. John M. Comegys, of near Black's, while in the woods cutting some wood Tuesday, was knocked unconscious by a large limb. He regained consciousness and found himself out in the branch by himself and says it is surely a funny feeling. He got to the house and has since been nursing a swollen eye and injured head.

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FOR RENT

THE DAVIS HOMESTEAD at Rock Hall for 1917. Apply to MRS. CHAS. REICHE, Chestertown, Md.
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LOST.

A FORD DEMOUNTABLE RIM and TIRE lost between Chestertown and McGinness' Corner last Tuesday night. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at NEWS office or THOS. J LEVY, Crumpton, Md.
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LOST

THREE BLANKETS Thursday on road between Lankford and Rock Hall. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Lankford Store or at NEWS office.
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TWO LATROBE STOVES in perfect condition, one Gas Stove, double oven, and one small gas heater all for sale at low price. Apply to BROWN'S CLOTHING STORE, Chestertown, Md.
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ONE NEW WAGON AND HARNESS.
ONE CANOE, with 5 horse power engine.
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BACK BROKE IN ACCIDENT

Mr. Wiley Walmsley, aged 45, a well-known resident of Crumpton, had his back broken Tuesday in an automobile. He, with three other men, were in a car going to Elkton when the machine skidded and turned turtle. Mr. Walmsley's condition was such that he was hurried to the University of Pennsylvania Hospital at Philadelphia. The other occupants of the car escaped injury.

COL. WM. J. VANNORT DOCKETS A SUIT

Chestertown is the Defendant in a Five Thousand Dollar Case—The Plaintiff Claims Damages For Injuries.

S. Scott Beck, Esq., attorney for Col. William J. Vannort, of Chestertown, has docketed in the Circuit Court for Kent county a suit for $5,000 damages against the Town Commissioners. The Colonel alleges that he was severely injured while walking along the public streets of the town caused by a defect in the said pavement. It was on Queen street, near the home of the Misses Knight, where plumbers had been at work, that the alleged accident occured.

R. Groome Parks, Esq., attorney for the Commissioners, will defend the suit when it comes up for trial in April.

SANDY BOTTOM CUT OFF

In another column will be found the advertisement of the State Roads Commission asking for bids for building a concrete road from Fairlee via McLane's corner a distance of 3.87 miles.

Engineer Shriley states that the route from McLane's corner is by way of a resurvey over the lands of G. E. Noland, S. G. Maslin and others coming out at Ricaud's hill, near Dr. T. B. Willson's. By this route the road will be constructed up to Camp's store at Edesville. This route is very unsatisfactory to the people of lower Kent as it cuts off Sandy Bottom, St. Paul's Church, mill and other places and does not economize very much in the up-keep of public roads. The little saving made in the resurvey route is more than lost in the inconvenience to the traveling public and in the amount to be spent on the old road by St. Paul's. It looks like short-sighted policy to the average Kent countian.

The wedding of Miss Daisy Clark and Mr. Earl Gitt will take place this evening at the Chestertown M. E. Church, Rev. T. F. Beauchamp officiating, to be followed by a reception on Kent Circle. Miss Ruth Clark will be maid of honor and Mr. Thomas W. Perkins best man. Miss Helen Boyd will sing, Miss Mabel Toulson, organist. The bridesmaids will be Misses Ida Smith, Marian Horn, Grace Newnam, Hazel Crew, Anna Jones, Bernice Clymo, while the ushers will be Messrs. Robert M ffitt, Philip Kratzer, Hermon L. Lemon, William Elliott and two friends from Charleston, W. Va.

SALAD AND OYSTER SUPPER.

Ladies of the Mite Society of Christ M. P. Church will hold a SALAD and OYSTER SUPPER at the parsonage cor. Queen St. and Maple Ave., THURSDAY EVENING JANUARY 25, 1917, beginning at 5:30 o'clock. Tickets 35 cents.
There will be a sale of attractive sewing bags, stocking bags, laundry bags and other small articles for house hold use. Public invited.
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WEDDING NOTES

BOWERS—USILTON.

The wedding of Charles Hildren Bowers, son of J. Raymond Bowers, and Miss Martha Harriett Usilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Usilton, took place at Centreville Dec. 29th, 1916, Rev. J. R. Bicking, officiating. The young folks kept the marriage a secret for two weeks but it got out last Friday. They will reside for the present on the Lewis farm.

TWO SISTERS MARRIED.

It is rather unusual for two daughters in the same family to get married about the same time but such is the case in Mr. F. Marion Hunter's family. Mr. Hunter is the tenant on the Skipper farm, just across the river from Chestertown.

Motoring to Elkton, Miss Anna May Hunter and Mr. Royden N. Powell were married quietly on Thursday afternoon, thereby surprising their friends in this section. Miss Hunter was visiting the family of Mr. Isaac Dolby, near Starr, and not even to two friends who accompanied them did Mr. Powell betray their wedding plans. Upon arriving in Elkton a license was procured and they were married at the home of Rev. George P. Jones. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Powell left for a honeymoon trip to Baltimore and Washington, D. C. They will make their home in Centreville.

The second wedding took place at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage in Church Hill Wednesday evening, when Miss Alma Hunter, another daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion F. Hunter, of near Chestertown, became the bride of Mr. John Hollingsworth, a popular young man of Starr neighborhood. Only members of the families and a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony. Immediately after the ceremony, the young couple left for their future home near Starr where the bridegroom is engaged in farming.

Mr. Robert Wickes, of near Rock Hall, announces the marriage of his daughter, Maude Anna, to Mr. Francis Durand Hastings, on Saturday, Dec. 16th, 1916, Alexandria, Va.

JOHNSON—HUEY.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony H. Johnson, of near Sassafras, was the scene of a pretty wedding Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, when their only daughter, Miss M. Frances, was united in marriage to Mr. I. Franklin Huey, of Massey, by Father Daley, of St. Dennis Church, Galena. The color scheme throughout the home was pink and white, and was most attractive. The bride was gowned in white satin with pearl trimmings, court train, and carried a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley, the ceremony being performed under an arch of evergreen and roses. She was attended by Miss Sadie McGary, of Philadelphia, a former school mate of the bride, as maid of honor; and Miss Pauline Huey, a sister of the groom, of Seaford; Miss Mary M. Griffith, of Sassafras; Miss Helen S. Comegys, of Blacks, and Miss Marion D. Woodall, of Georgetown, as bridesmaids, all of whom wore gowns of the rainbow shades of metal cloth, draped with net and silver lace, and carried baskets of sweet peas. The groom was attended by Mr. Stanley Porter, of Baltimore, as best man, and Messrs. Clayton H. Johnson, brother of the bride, of near Sassafras; Henry Sasscer, of Baltimore; Howard B. Strong, of Chestertown, and Olin S. Davis, of Galena, as ushers. Lohengrin's wedding march was played by Mrs. Wilson Cochran. Throughout the evening Elliott's orchestra, of Wilmington, furnished the music. A luncheon was served. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. They left by automobile for Elkton where they took a train for their wedding trip. The bride's traveling suit was of dark blue velour trimmed with fur. On their return Mr and Mrs. Huey will reside at Massey, where the groom is engaged in the implement business.

WILLIS—ALDERSON.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Alderson, near Cecilton, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday, January 17, at high noon, when their second daughter, Miss Emily Melvina Alderson, became the bride of Mr. Henry Frank Willis, son of Mr. Harry Willis, of Betterton. Only relatives of the bride and groom were present. The ceremony, which was performed by Rev. G. T. Alderson, of Harrison Street Church, Wilmington, was followed by a luncheon. The bride was becomingly attired in a traveling suit of dark blue wool poplin trimmed with fur, and black velvet hat. The bridal couple left on a northbound train for a wedding trip of about a fortnight. Upon their return they will live near Betterton on the Shallcross farm.

GOODING—CRESWELL

A pretty wedding took place at Tome Methodist Episcopal Church Wednesday, when Miss Jane Edna Creswell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Creswell, became the bride of Mr. Eugene James Gooding, of Baltimore. The bride, who was given away by her father, was gowned in white crepe meteor, draped with silver lace and tulle. She carried a shower bouquet of lillies of the valley and Bride roses. Miss Irene Hasson, of Wilmington, the maid of honor, wore white taffeta draped with silver lace and tulle, with a white velvet hat, and carried pink carnations. The bridesmaids were Mrs. E. E. Metzger, of Wilmington; Miss Sadie Fallon, of Baltimore, and Misses Fae Strout and Marie Lamm, of Port Deposit. They were gowned alike in blue taffeta dresses, trimmed with silver lace, and black hats with silver lace brims. They carried pink carnations. Little Miss Gertrude Metzger, of Wilmington, was flower girl and Master Keene Creswell, brother of the bride, acted as ring bearer. Mr. Bernard P. West, of Baltimore, was best man, and the following acted as ushers: Messrs. Charles Creswell, of Chester, Pa.; Harvey B. Moore, of Betterton; Walter Preen, of Baltimore, and James Mellow, of Wilmington. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Gooding left for a trip South, and upon their return will be at home, after February 1, at 603 West Thirty-third street, Baltimore.

MCCAULEY—KELLEY.

The wedding of Mr. G. Herbert McCauley and Miss Eva Kelley took place at Sacred Heart rectory, Chestertown, Wednesday, Rev. J. F. Garner officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCauley attended the couple. The bride was tastily attired in a green tailor-made suit with hat to match and carried sweet peas. They are on a trip to Washington and elsewhere and will be at home near Galena after the 30th.

THE Merritt farm, near Locust Grove, is reported to have been sold last week by the owner, Mr. W. H. Bonwill to Mr. Wm. Medders, of Still Pond.