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EVERYDAY LOCAL NEWS HAPPENINGS

Events of the Week Boiled Down for the Busy Reader--News notes of Delaware and Maryland Towns.

Ice plants, can shops and saw mills e now running full time.

Former Governor Austin L. Crothers critically ill at his home in on, Md., and there is little hope recovery.

ile digging for a telephone line farm, near Havre de Grace, John Leight discovered a sand hich he has leased to the Pennia railroad for $4,000.

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General J has sent to Mrs. Julia Fa y in Virginia several valuable old documents, which had been the property of the late Dr. Barnett. Several of these were two centuries old, and those especially valuable bore the signature of Charles Calvert, and had attached the wax seals used in the olden times.

Rev. Joseph Brown Turner, pastor of the Dovor Presbyterian, Church for the past 13 years will sever his relations with the Dover church in September this year upon his return from abroad. He will leave on June 29 for Europe in the interest of the historical society of Pennsylvania. The coming July will mark the 30th anniversary of Mr. Turner's ministry.

The dogwood, one of the most beautiful of the Eastern Shore wild blossoms, is in size and wealth of bloom remarkably fine this spring, and many of the old-timers declare this indicates a heavy crop of fruit. Probably a better indication of the promised heavy crop of fruit is the showing already made by the young apples, pears, cherries and plums, while quinces also are covered with an unusually prolific blanket of pink blossoms.

As a mark of sentiment more than anything else, the first money paid out in the new bank at Dover was one silver dollar to Miss Sue Kerbin. The property on which the bank is located was owned for nearly a century by the Kerbin family, it being finally sold by the Kerbins to the bank authorities. As a remembrance of the homestead, Miss Kerbin desired a silver dollar, out of which she intends having a memto of some kind made.

Running a newspaper is just like running a hotel only different. When a man goes into a hotel and finds something on the table which does not suit him, he does not raise hades with the land lord and tell him to stop his old hotel. Well, hardly. He sets that aside and wades into the dishes that suit him. It is different with some newspaper readers. They find an article occasionally that does not suit them exactly, and without stopping to think it may please hundreds of other readers, make a grand stand play and tell the editor how a paper should be run and what should be put into it, but such people are becoming fewer every year.

English Courts say a sardine is any small fish packed in oil. Any small person enveleped in meanness answers to the same name.

It is estimated that on this Peninsula alone, consisting of Delaware and part of two other States, fourteen counties in all, fifty new canneries are being built to be operated this year.

Pembroke W. Pitt, formerly a well known grain broker of Baltimore, who was indicted for forgery, but who made a sensational escape from the country has been arrested in Naples, Italy, and will be returned to this country for trial.

Realestate brokers have sold the R. C. Taylor farm, near Magnolia, containing 70 reres, to C. A. Davis, of Texas, for $10,500. The M. C. Jackson farm of 25 acres, near Harrington, has been sold to Washington McNeice, of Minnesota, for $3,750. It contains 1,000 apple trees, all in bearing.

The town commissioners of Rising Sun have awarded to H. T. Downing the contract to install a water and electric light plant in the town. Contractor Downing who is engaged on a contract at Frederica, Del., expects to finish the work in the latter town in a few days and begin work at Rising Sun on Monday next.

In Baltimore Thursday a number of get rich quick promoters were indicted for fraudulenty using the mails. It seemed they had a lime stone quarry which they had figured out on paper to have a potential worth of $103.155,000, creating a net profit of $65.941.500 and the people who were fools enough to buy their stock had them prosecuted.

The Dover Board of Trade met in regular monthly session on Tuesday evening of last week. Herman C. Taylor was elected secretary by acclamation, to succeed J. M. Davidson, resigned. Messrs. Magee, Mayer and W. H. Baker were appointed a committee to secure ground for the Chautauqua tent. The academy campus was suggested as the most suitable location.

George Deiger, aged about 50 years, died suddenly at Mrs. John D. Hawkins' boarding house in Dover a few days ago. Deceased went to Dover Friday evening, May 3, and was employed by M. L. Deputy at the Capital Hotel barber shop. He was taken ill Tuesday noon and was found dead in his room Wednesday afternoon. His family was located in Philadelphia.

The Demons of the Swamp.

are mosquitos. As they sting they put deadly malaria germs in the blood. Then follow the icy chills and the fires of fever. The appetite flies and the strength fails; also malaria often paves the way for deadly typhoid. But Electric Bitters kill and cast out the malaria germs from the blood; give you a fine appetite renew your strength. "After long suffering," wrote Wm. Fretwell, of Lucama, N. C., "three bottles drove all the malaria from my system, and I've had good health ever since." Best for all stomach, liver and kidney ills. 50 cts. at all druggists.

Retain The Amusement Ban

Unless the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church overrules the action of the committee on the State of the church, that part of the famous paragraph 260, of the church discipline, which especially prohibits dancing, card playing and kindred amusements, will remain a law of the church. By a vote of 100 to 51, the entire committee, late Monday voted to reject the report of the majority of the subcommittee, which favored the elimination of the portion of paragraph and leaving the amusement question to the conscience of the individual member Dr. James R. Day, chancellor of Syracuse University Syracuse, N. Y., chairman of the sub-committee which favored the striking out of that section of paragraph, served notice on the committee that a minority report would be made to the conference.

We Print Berry Checks

ARE YOU ONE?

A number of Seaford citizens invested in New Jersey real estate, last week and now they are more than willing to sell. A book agent, claiming Boston as his home, came here, and, selecting a few of Seaford's most prominent men, proceeded to unfold to them a plan whereby they might secure two building lots in a growing town 25 miles from New York city, free of all cost." All that was required of them was that they make a small cash deposit of $625 and sign a few bankable notes for the remainder of the purchase price, and when the full amount is paid they are to receive "a handsome set of books on such interesting subjects as 'The Lives of Our Presidents,' &c.," and two building lots as a free gift.

The notes were eagerly signed, the first installment paid, and, after the agent had left town, they began to investigate and found they had been duped.—Seaford News.

Charles Wright, 1512 French St., Wilmington, Del., recovered from a severe attack of rheumatism and says, "The rheumatic pains kept me awake at night but after taking Foley Kidney Pills the pain lessened and soon I was able to sleep all night, and I am cured of all kidney trouble Sold by C. H. Redden.

Wilson and His Salary.

The State of New Jersey has a law which imposes the penalty of a "docking" of salary upon State officials who absent themselves from their posts of duty, Governor Wilson, since he entered upon his active personal campaign for the Democratic nomination for President, has subjected himself very largely to the operations of this law, but does not seem to have really suffered by a reduction of his official compensation.

According to the official records, which were subjected to close examination this week, at the instance of one of the governor's political opponents, Governor Wilson has been out of the state 14 times since the first of the present year, for which he forfeited, according to law, his salary to the extent of about $1,200. The amount thus deducted from his salary goes to the President of the State Senate, who becomes acting governor, the instant the governor leaves the State, but the records also show that John T. Prince, President of the Senate, has been kind enough to endorse the salary checks which he received in this manner, and hand them to Governor Wilson who also indorsed them and turned them into cash.

Governor Wilson began his Presidential campaign soon after his inauguration as governor, a year ago last January, and his salary "dockings" entitled the acting governor during that year to the extent of $1,841.30, the checks for which he also indorsed and turned back to the governor.

The salary of the governor or New Jersey is $10,000 per anum, or $27.50 a day. Thus far Governor Wilson has been "docked" to the extent of more than $3,000, which, however he did not lose, owing to the gracious kindness of those to whom the "dockings" were paid in giving the money to him. Had he not found such kind and considerate friends it is doubtful if he would have spent so much time outside the State prosecuting his now rapidly receding "boom" for the Democratic nomination for President.

Not Looking For Trouble.

Several years ago the government forbade polygamy among the Indians—an order that was not, it seems, implicity obeyed. Quanah Parker, chief of Comanches, told the committee on Indian affairs that many of his tribe had more than one wife. The committee directed him to tell the offenders that this condition of affairs must cease; that the extra wives must be sent home to their parents.

At a later session Parker again appeared before the committee.

"Did you tell your bucks that they must have but one wife, Parker?"

"Yes, me tell 'em," responded the chief."

"Did they get rid of their extra wives?"

"Yes, all gone," answered the chief.

"But, urged a committeeman, "I am told that you, yourself, have six wives."

"Yes, me got six, said Parker.

"Now that will not do, Parker. You have got to get rid of those extra wives. You go home and tell them to leave. Send them back to their parents. Tell them to go home."

"You tell 'em!" responded Parker.

House Passes Coinage Bill.

The coinage of three-cent and one-half cent pieces as a part of the national currency, the coins to be of the same color as the present nickle, was authorized by the House when it passed the Bulkley bill. The measure now goes to the Senate.

Seventy-five per cent of nickel and 25 per cent. of copper are to be used in the coinage of the two new pieces. The half-cent piece will be a little smaller than a dime, and the three-cent piece will be about the size of a nickel. The three-cent pieces will have a deep scalloped edge. This has been found to work well abroad in distinguishing coins.

Mr. Bulkley believes the half-cent and the three-cent piece will do much toward lowering the cost of living, in that the coins will cause prices of articles to be fixed so as to make the new coins especialiy available.

To Study Weeds.

The latest announcement concerning the Delaware State Fair is one that should be of vital interest to all men engaged in agricultural pursuits in Delaware. It is that a splendid exhibit of weeds, their cause and means of eradication, will be held.

Prof. Wesley Webb of Dover has been in Wilmington arranging for the State Board of Agriculture's exhibit at the fair. In talking to the secretary of the association he stated that the board will show, in connection with its exhibit, weeds, their cause and means of eradication. The State board, he said, has in its possession a big exhibit of weeds and weed soeds which are enclosed in a glass case, giving the common and the botanical names. The entire exhibit will be brought to the fair. Prof. Webb expects, in addition to this, to interest a firm, which had an exhibit of weeds at the World's Fair in St Louis, Mo., sufficiently to have them bring their exhibit to the Delaware fair. He has no doubt that he will be successful in securing these.

Prof. Harry Hayward of Delaware College has promised the management that he will have a student from the college in attendance every day of the fair to explain weed life each day to those interested. As the eradication of weeds is something that interests every farmer, this exhibit should prove one of the most popular features of the fair.

An Appointment Mix-up

Acting under legal advice many of the old Justices of the peace for Worcester county, appointed by Governor Crothers are contending that they are the only legally appointed officials and are still at their old stands transacting whatever legal business may come their way. It is getting to be a very serious matter and the question should be settled and that speedily, for it is certain that one or the other is wrong, and the business now being done may all have to be done over.

People with deeds, mortgages and other legal papers which require signing before a magistrate are at loss what to do. If they make a mistake and go to the wrong one the paper is no good. The same condition rxists in the criminal and civil suits.

The mixup came about by the failure of the Senate to confirm the appointments made by Governor Goldsborough.

It is also said that the old appointees believe that they are legal Justices because the Governor has named the same men that were named to the Senate but failed of confirmation. The Constitution forbids the appointment of those rejected by the Senate after the Legislature adjourns. On the other hand it is pointed out that the Senate neither confirmed nor rejected these men but simply ignored all the Governor's appointments for the county. Whichever contention is the correct one this matter should be tested out with as little delay as possible in order to avoid any bad mixup in business transactions as well as for the good of law and order.

Dr. S. H. Anderson, the widely known specialist of Pittsburg, Pa., 440 Sixth Avenue, has thoroughly tested the action of Foley Kidney Pills and after eight months of the closest investigation, reports; "Foley Kidney Pills are the best I have ever used. They clear away the uric and albuminous sediment, allay the spasmodic action of the neck of the bladder, also the tenesmus, and in fact renovate the kidneys. I speak this way knowing the action of Foley Kidney Pills, as I have given them a test." They cure backache, rheumatism, and all kidney and bladder ailments. Give them a trial.

GENRAL CONFERENCE.

The General Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church of America is now in session in Baltimore, having met there on Monday of last week.

The Conference will be in session from ten days to two weeks. Several hundred delegates, representing thirty-six States, will attend the sessions.

Among the questions of moment to come up will be the proposed union of the Methodist Protestant Church, Methodist Episcopal Church and Methodist Episcopal Church South. This proposition has been under discussion during the last few days at the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Minneapolis. As at that convention the chief obstacle to be encountered here in the way of bringing about the union is the attitude of members of the Methodist Episcopal Church South as respects the members of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Some of those who are interested in the measure express the fear that the negroes of the Methodist Episcopal Church South will be included in the membership of the united churches and that a negro bishop may some day be elected. They believe that the negroes should be placed in a separate denomination.

Another subject that is likely to cause a lively debate is the proposal to have the Home and Foreign Missionary Boards consolidate.

There will be a contest for the presidency of the Conference, which office has been held for the last four years by Rev. Dr. Thomas H. Lewis, President of Western Maryland College, at Westminster. Dr. Lewis is a candidate for re-election. Other candidates are Rev. D. C. Coburn, of Zanesville, Ohio, and Rev. M. L. Janney, of Pittsburg. It is generally believed that Dr. Lewis will be re-elected.

The contest mentioned above came off Friday afternoon and resulted in the election of Rev. Dr. Lyman Edwyn Davis, of Pittsburg, Pa.

A strong sentiment against church union and in favor of the advancement of the principles of the Methodist Protestant Church against the possible absorption by any other denomination, caused the defeat of Rev. Dr. T. H. Lewis, who was nominated for re-election.

Considerable spirit was shown and several warm speeches were made in seconding the nominations of the two candidates, and Daniel Baker, the lay representative of the Maryland Conference, resigned immediately after the announcement of the vote of 78 for Dr. Davis and 71 for Dr. Lewis, stating that "There are some things that have been said on the floor of this Convention for which I will not stand."

ONE WEAK SPOT.

Many Denton People Have a Weak Part and Too Often It's The Back.

Many people have a weak spot.
Too often it's a bad back.
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Odd Fellows Hall for Dover.

Dover Odd Fellows are preparing to erect a modern temple within the next few months, on the lot recently purchased by them at the corner of Governor's avenue and North street, the proposed building to cost $7,000. A committee consisting of W. Charles Boyer, James H. Wheatley and Howard E Lynch, has been appointed to solicit funds and sell stock to the members.

Wingless Flies.

Some naturalists, who have been to the Antarctic and the higher regions of the Alps, have noticed flies without wings—flies that look more like ants. Wondering whether if cold had anything to do with this wingless condition, they took wasps, just hatched, and kept them in an ice box for forty-eight hours. Result: Wingless wasps. They tried the same experiment with several other kinds of insects and always with the same result.

How Other Towns Do It.

Thursday evening there was a public meeting of the citizens of Myersville held in the interest of securing Blue Ridge College for the town. President Wine, of the college was present and told the meeting that the college would come to Myersville upon the town agreeing to raise $40,000 and give the location. While the amount of money seems large, the town appears to want the college and every one at the meeting voted to have the institution located at Myersville. It is expected to raise the necessary money at Myersville, and in Washington and Frederick counties.

Sand-Clay Roads.

The Wicomico County Commissioners, after going thoroughly into the subject of road building in the county, have decided to try out the experiment of building a mile or so of sand-clay road. A government expert engineer from the Department of Roads, at Washington, was taken over the county roads by Road Engineer Clark and shown the different soils in the several sections of the county, and he at once told the County Commissioners that they can construct the sand-clay roads, the kind which the Government has built in many sections of the United States, and that they have the materials to construct these roads at a very limited cost. Speaking on the subject the engineer said that these roads can be built at a cost of from $400 to $800 per mile, according to how far it is necessary to haul the materials, with an average of possibly $600 per mile.

Afraid of The Republicans.

Chestertown Transcript: While we deeply regret the defeat of Judge Wm. H. Adkins for chief judge, because we believe him to be better equipped for the chief judgeship than his successful opponent, Mr. Constable, yet we congratulate the latter upon the splendid run he made in the district. Mr. Constable carried three of the counties in the circuit, Cecil, Kent, and Queen Anne's, and his majority over Judge Adkins in the circuit is 1,900. Judge Adkins defeat was undoubtedly occasioned by the fear of a Republican judge on the bench. This is a Democratic circuit, and while many voters would like to have seen Judge Adkins elected to the Court of Appeals bench, his opponents started the erroneous report that Governor Goldsborovgh would appoint a Republican judge, who would hold office for nine years, and hundreds of voters believed it.

Getting Ocean City Ready.

Active preparations are going on to get Ocean City fixed up for the summer business. The Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company are extending their tracks up the beach so as to provide an up-to-date station, where guests and cottagers can be landed nearer the cottages and hotels up the beach. The Company is also building new freight yards and platforms for the better handling of the fish shipments from that point. The Ocean City Ice Company are making improvements in their plant and work is being done to improve the service of the Water and Light Company.

Messrs. L. W. Gunby Company have contracted to lay a new cast iron water system for the city.

The city authorities are also busy fixing up the board walks and streets of the city preparatory to the summer rush and it looks like there is a very busy season on hand for this famous Maryland summer resort. The B. C. & A. Railway will have a fast summer excursion schedule and will have some new cars for service.

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Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscribers, of Caroline county, has obtained from the Ophans' Court of Caroline county, in Maryland, letters of Admintion c. t. a., on the personal estate of

FRANCINA CARNEY,

late of Caroline county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated on or before the 30th day of November, 1912 or they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefits of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 30th day of April 1912.

WILLIAM E. CARNEY,
Administrator c. t. a., of Francina Carney, Deceased.

Order Nisi.

T. Pliny Fisher, Assignee
vs.
George W. Bryan and Charlotte A. Bryan, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity.

Ordered, this 14th day of May, 1912, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by

T. Pliny Fisher, Assignee,

be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 17 th day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County, once in each of four successive weeks before the 15th day of June next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $285.00.

J. KEMP STEVENS,
True copy—Test: Clerk.
J. KEMP STEVENS,
Clerk.

ROAD NOTICE.

We, the undersigned, citizens and taxpayers of Caroline County, State of Maryland, do hereby give notice to the public that, after the expiration of thirty days, accounting from the 9th day of May, 1912, to wit: on Tuesday the 11th day of June, 1912, we intend to petition the County Commissioners of said Caroline County, to locate and open a public road in the Third Election District of said county, to run one of the following routes:

FIRST ROUTE—BEGINNING on the county road leading from Wesley Church to Anthony's Mill, where the lands of Mrs Sarah Jones and the Jack Satterfield or Wilhelm farm corner, and also intersect the lands of Mrs. Lillie B. Fulton; from thence runs a northerly direction across the lands of the said Lillie B. Fulton, the lands of William T. Beauchamp, the lands of Joseph Hummell and the lands belonging to Caroline County, until it intersects the county road leading from Burnsville to Anthony's Mill, at a point about one-quarter of a mile from the colored school house.

SECOND ROUTE—BEGINNING at the same point as above, and running in a north-westerly direction along the division line between the lands of Mrs. Sarah Jones and the lands of Mrs. Lillie B. Fulton until it intersects the lands of William T. Beauchamp, thence in a northerly direction across the lands of the said William T. Beauchamp, the lands of Joseph E. Hummell and the lands of Caroline County until it intersects the county road leading from Burrsville to Anthony's Mill.

All persons having objections to the locating and opening of said public road are hereby notified to present the counter petitions to the County Commissioners of Caroline County, as required by law.

Signed by

J. E. Hummell, T. W. Porter, W. T. Beauchamp, J. R. Bonney, Walter A. Wilhelm, F. A. Porter, Wm. H. Satterfield, H. A. Porter, W. A. Harris, R. H. Stafford, T. Harvey, T. W. Porter Jr.

Order Nisi.

Wilmer B. Parker and Marion H. Downes, trading as Parker & Downes,
vs.
Josephine Thawley, et. al.

In The Orphans' Court of Caroline County. In Equity.

Ordered, this 7th day of May, 1912, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Harvey L. Cooper, Trustee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 8th day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of May next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $298.00.

J. OLAN CLARK,
H. C. RAWLINGS,
G. LACY STEVENS,
True copy—Test:
ROBERT J. JUMP,
Register of Wills of Caroline County.

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