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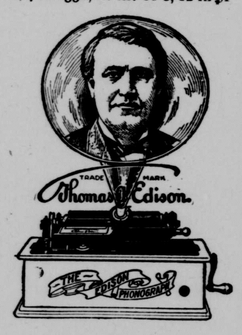
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New Books in Mercantile Library.

The following books will be placed upon the shelves of the Mercantile Library this morning for the use of subscribers:

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Additions to Town Tax Basis.

At the special sittings of the town commissioners last week the following property was added to the tax basis:

Merchants were assessed on stocks in trade as follows: Oscar B. Brittingham, $500; J. Harry Taylor, $300; Orlan Horsey, $250.

Leonard S. Fleckenstein, house and lot on Dover and Hanson streets, $5000.

George M. Wilson, skating rink, $2500.

Mrs. Julius A. Johnson's assessment on Aurora street property was increased $1000.

Lot on Dover and Aurora streets was transferred from heirs of E. L. F. Hardcastle to Bishop Monaghan and assessed it at $2300

Choicest beef at Norris' Citizens' Provision Depot today.

Trappe.

Asparagus has come.

We regret to hear of the accident to P. B. Spring's daughter.

William A Kirby has one of the finest launches on the river.

Dog wood is in bloom. This means the shad season is about over.

The friends of ex-Judge Wm. H. Seth regret to hear of his recent sickness.

Dr. F. R. Malone, of Greensboro, who has been visiting Mrs. Alfred Kemp, has returned.

Every one has bedded his sweet potatoes. Next Tuesday is the day to plant water melons to insure early ones.

The friends of Miss Lulu Rice and Robert Hardcastle were surprised to hear of their wedding. Miss Rice has many friends and is an estimable young lady.

The vestrymen of St. Paul's church are Messrs. E. J. and W. A. Kirby, Wm. Collins, J. H. C. Kemp, Alfred Kemp, J. A. Ross, R. E. Welsh and E. W. Hopkins. The wardens are Davis Clark Kirby and Dr. Wm. Spedden Seymour. Delegates, Chas. Willis and Dr. Seymour.

An outhouse belonging to the property formerly owned by the late I. D. Clark, the property of Dr. Chaplain, was burned Monday morning. It was occupied by an old colored woman and her son. Most of the household effects were saved, one pistol and gun burned. Dr. Greenly and Mrs. D. T. Simpson were most exposed to the flying sparks. The fire was first seen coming from the roof of the house.

The Convocation of the Episcopal Church will be held in St. Paul's church next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The Rev. K. J. Hammond, of Immanuel church, Wilmington, Del., will address the people upon Sunday-schools. The public are cordially invited to the services which will be at 10.30 A. M., 3 and 7.30 P. M. They are expected to be very interesting. Many of the ministers' visiting places have been selected.

[The following items were received too late for last week's issue.]

Percy Tarbutton is home again.

Rainy Easter day made small congregations.

Mrs. Mattie Malone and son Frederick are guests of Mrs. Alfred Kemp.

E. W. Hughlett, of Baltimore, was a visitor for a few days last week at Crosiadore.

Messrs. Wm. Sullivan, Cunningham and Alfred Kemp spent Easter with their friends and relatives.

St. Paul's church was very prettily trimmed with growing plants, many lilies and white carnations for Easter.

Francis Lloyd and sister Miss Helen, Davis Kirby and Miss Ada Naylor attended the Easter dance in Easton.

Wm. Kemp, of Crosiadore, killed a wild goose. It decoyed to Mr. Kemp's wild geese. Mr. Kemp gave it to Mr. Hughlett, who took it to Baltimore.

The entertainment given by the young ladies of St. Paul's church, assisted by several young men, was quite a success. Miss Lucie Kemp did her part exceptionally well. Misses Ethel and Reta Kemp made fine-looking children. The house was crowded. Yellott Hardcastle and sister Miss Margaret attended the entertainment.

Royal Oak.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union met last week, among other business decided to offer to the 7th and 8th grades of the public school a cash prize for the best essay on given temperance subjects.

Four inmates of the home of Capt. Jos. Collison were very ill last week from effects of ptomaine poison. They are reported much improved. Miss Mary and the captain himself are among the number affected.

Rev. J. H. Anderson preached to a good congregation at the M. E. Church, South, his first sermon at this place, and the people were much pleased. The new pastor's goods have arrived at last, and the parsonage is becoming truly home to its inmates.

Rev. W. G. Koons, Presiding Elder of the Easton District, Wilmington Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, is to preach in the M. E. Church to-morrow evening and administer the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Quarterly Conference will be held Monday morning at ten o'clock.

Prof. K. Morimoto, a Japanese lecturer of Washington, D. C., gave our community an intellectual treat in two lectures this week, the first given at Royal Oak M. E. Church Monday evening, the second at Ferry Neck church Tuesday evening. His stereopticon views were well selected and very beautiful, and his kinetoscope pictures particularly commendable.

Human Blood Marks.

A tale of horror was told by marks of human blood in the home of J. W. Williams, a well known merchant of Bac, Ky. He writes: "Twenty years ago I had severe hemorrhages of the lungs, and was near death when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery. It completely cured me and I have remained well ever since." It cures Hemorrhages, Chronic Coughs, Settled Colds and Bronchitis, and is the only known cure for Weak Lungs. Every bottle guaranteed at Smithers' Moreland Pharmacy. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Oxford.

There was a "benefit" entertainment by the Oxford Band on Monday night.

Captains Pyne and Crosswell have moored their barks in the offing and are home again, to the joy of their friends.

Rev. W. T. Lewis, D. D., lectured in Neavitt M. E. Church on Thursday night His subject was: "A Loiterer in London."

Oliver Ridgeway has gone to the Monumental City on business. He is one of our most reliable men and respected townsmen.

M. H. Hobbs of the Pennsylvania Railroad has many friends in Oxford who are always glad to see him on our streets and in our homes.

The excursion party that had planned to go to Annapolis to the John Paul Jones Memorial service had to forego the trip because of the storm.

One of the last and most gracious things done by the Rev. W. M. Strayer before leaving here was to present Rev. W. King of Water's Chapel with an armful of useful books.

"A City Destroyed Thirty-three Centuries ago" and "A Night with a Sorcerer" will be the morning and evening subjects of the Rev. Dr. W. T. Lewis tomorrow in St. Paul's M. E. Church.

On Sunday night, a good collection was taken up in St. Paul's M. E. Church for the benefit of the stricken people of San Francisco, which was forwarded by the pastor on Monday morning.

George W. Biddle, conductor on the P. B. & W. R. R., never fails in courtesy and patience. He knows how to maintain the dignity of a gentleman when the man he deals with is a churl.

Rev W. S. Hanks, the new pastor of the M. P. Church, preached his opening sermon here last Sunday morning, and in the evening, Rev. W. M. Strayer preached his farewell sermon.

W. E. Lewis, M. D., practitioner in Cincinnati and Dean of the Faculty of the Medical College, notified his cousin, the Rev. Dr. Lewis, of Oxford, of the death of his cousin in Eden Park, Cincinnati.

For over two years, Miss Elizabeth Blades has been an invalid and confined to her room. Her friends were glad to see her out on the street in her rolling chair on Wednesday. Miss Wiltshire was her chaperone. Their only call was made at the St. Paul parsonage.

Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Strayer and their daughter, Miss Wilson Strayer, left for Baltimore on the Wednesday night steamer. After a few days' tarrying in the Monumental City they will go to Rochester, N. Y. They carry with them the best wishes of all our people.

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Avalon.

Olin Chairs of Baltimore spent Sunday here.

Harry Harrison spent Sunday last with friends at Neavitt, Md.

Harry Sylvester of Baltimore is spending a few days with friends here.

Miss Sadie Taylor of Baltimore spent Sunday last with her parents.

Miss Lulu Taylor is spending some time with friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Susan Gowe is spending a few days with relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. W. S. Covington and son Frazer spent Wednesday last in Baltimore.

Mrs. Nodie North and Mrs. Elmira Covington spent Monday in St Michaels.

Quite a number of our people attended the Memorial service of John Paul Jones.

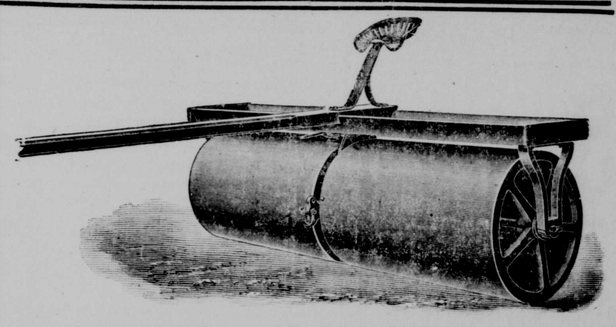
Miss Anna Snoot of Baltimore is spending a few days with Mrs. G. Frank Jackson.

Miss Lotta Robinson of Nanticoke, Md. is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. George North.

Mrs. Thomas Harrison who has been spending some time with relatives in Virginia has returned home.

The Parson's Sweetheart which will be presented at Music Hall next Tuesday night, is a play that appeals to both young and old. It has not been surpassed by "Way Down East" or "The Old Homestead." The love and pathos of this play have been so cleverly interwoven with a vein of comedy that it does not interfere with nor distract the attention of the audience from the story of the play. Dealing as it does, with both country and city life, it cannot fail to be instructive and impressive, so do not fail of this opportunity to witness one of the most highly moral and entertaining rural comedy dramas now playing. Prices, 25, 35, and 50 cents.

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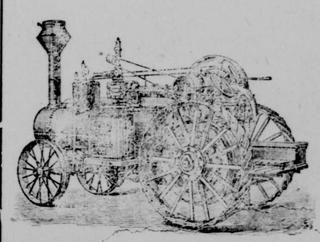
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