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—Messrs. W. B. Tilghman & Co. quote the Baltimore grain market for first of this week: 94 to 9..cts. for fultz, 95 to 97 cts. for longberry. Corn, white and yellow, 46 to 46½ cts.

—The trustees of the Chestertown M. P. Church have finished payment for new site—the sum paid being $3,153. They will now turn attention to the matter of building. A handsome edifice may be expected.

—Carpenters are yet engaged upon the decorative work on Stam's drug store. It is finished in oak and when work is entirely completed, will be a beautiful room.

—January term of court for appearances was held on Monday, 17th. His Honor Judge Wickes, presided. Appearance docket shows 95 cases. Last year same term was 81. Court adjourned until Feb. 2d.

—Protracted meetings have been in progress during the past ten days at the M. E. Church, Chestertown, and will probably continue through every evening except Saturday evening during this and the coming week.

—Some of the owners of fast steppers in Chestertown, are apparently anxious to try the mettle of the fine young horse recently brought to Kent by Mr. T. E. W. Crew of Lankford. They had better hold their watches on him once or twice before, they tackle him.

—The ladies of Kennedyville Methodist Protestant Church give a supper for benefit of church, at the Kennedyville town hall on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, the 2d, 3d and 4th days of February. The supper will undoubtedly be one that should lure from afar.

—One of the delegates from Kent to the State farmers' convention last week—a straight Republican—says he thinks the convention was a little too much mixed with politics—the reform move. He doesn't seem to believe in mixing views upon the hog cholera with views upon reforming the Democracy.

—There is to be a concert consisting of instrumental and vocal music, at Stam's hall next Tuesday evening, the 25th inst. We understand that the concert will be largely by local talent. There will also be added to the entertainment a laughable farce. Tickets 35 cents, and seats may be reserved on application at Stam's drug store.

—James W. Hurtt, of Locust Grove, has lost 80 fine shoats from cholera in the last few weeks, 30 died in four days. His loss is about $500. Almost every one in that section has suffered more or less from this dread disease. The cold weather does not seem to lessen its severity. Those who have used carbolic acid and charcoal freely have escaped thus far.

—There has been marrying and giving in marriage in Kent this year. In the neighborhood of Kennedyville there has been a regular stampede of the young people to matrimony. Twelve couples have been united for better or worse, and one family alone has furnished six victims, father, three sons and two daughters, in a little over a year.

—The stockholders of the Chestertown waterworks met on Tuesday, Jan. 18, and elected the following directors for the ensuing year: Colin F. Stam, James A. Shaw, J. K. Aldridge, Joel R. Clements, C. T. Westcott. Subsequently a meeting of the new board was held, at which C. T. Westcott was elected president, M. Wilbur Thomas secretary and treasurer. On account of the dissolution of the firm of Clements & York and the surrender by them of the lease of the works, the board of directors decided that the company would assume management and control of the water-works for the ensuing year. From and after Jan. 1, 1887, all water rents must be paid to the treasurer of the company, who alone is authorized to issue permits for the use of water, or tap the pipes of the Co. Expenses for repairs were very large last year. The condition of the reservoir was such that it necessitated the lining of the whole interior, which was done with the very best quality of cement. The pool also had to be repaired, partly on account of its unfinished condition and partly on account of horses falling into it. Notwithstanding these difficulties the citizens of the town have been kept supplied with an abundance of pure spring water. With the improved condition of the reservoir and pool no fears need be felt of a water famine in Chestertown. The officers of the company deserve credit for the good management and enterprise which they have displayed.

—Orphans' Court—Tuesday, Jan. 18, 1887. —Present, Judges Walker, Hyland and Stevens. Letters of administration upon the estate of Elizabeth F. Patton, of Virginia, were granted to Richard D. Hynson, Dr. James H. Patton, the party entitled, having renounced.

It was ordered that W. S. Busic and John B. Parrott, administrators of John B. Parrott, deceased, be authorized to sell the crops on hand and any other property they may see fit at private sale.

### County Commissioner Notes.

County commissioners met Tuesday, Jan. 18. Full board present.

In the matter of second report of commissioners in the case of Morris against Hubbard for private road, under consideration for adoption or rejection, Mr. Pearce, as counsel for Morris, excepted to the ratification of said report, because Wm. Morris was allowed no damages for fence and maintaining fence, second, because Walter T. Morris' allowance for maintaining fence is inadequate, and third, because the acts of Assembly, authorizing opening of private roads is unconstitutional. Mr. Barroll, as counsel for Hubbard, urged the ratification of the report, on the ground that said allowance was just and reasonable. The names of parties in report were corrected at the suggestion of Mr. Barroll. The board after hearing the argument of the attorneys respectively, upon conference, passed an order rejecting said report, because, first, no damages for maintaining fence were allowed to Wm. Morris, second, because damages for fence and maintaining same allowed Walter T. Morris are in their judgment inadequate. The land damages allowed are in their judgment sufficient. Mr. Barroll, the attorney for Hubbard, prayed an appeal from the order of the board rejecting said report, and requested that the papers of the proceedings be sent up to the circuit court for trial. The court, after passing sundry accounts for orders on respective collectors and for levy in '87, adjourned.

### Personal Notes.

We regret to state that Mr. C. H. Baker, whose sickness was noted in the Transcript last week, is not reported to be in better condition. He is suffering with aggravated stomach trouble. His friends are hoping that through careful nursing his condition will soon be improved.

Mrs. M. C. Pearce widow of the late Senator James A. Pearce, met with a very distressing accident recently. She makes her home with Mrs. Josias Ringgold, her daughter. In walking across the room her foot caught and she fell, dislocating her right shoulder. Drs. Perkins and Beck found some difficulty in resetting in consequence of the lady's advanced age. We are pleased to state, however, that she is now suffering much less pain, and it is hoped will soon entirely recover.

Cards are out for the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Hulme. Mr. and Mrs. Hulme, in order to insure ample room for the accommodation of their large circle of friends, will hold the reception at the Fairlee hall.

Mr. Allan Harris of the steamer Ford was in Chestertown on Monday, having come around from Baltimore by rail. He says the Chester River Company will send a boat over as soon as the condition of the ice will allow.

Jesse K. Hines, Jr., son of Jesse K. Hines, Esq., insurance commissioner, has been engaged with Buffalo Bill's Wild West Combination Co. for a year, and has signed with them for a three years' tour through Europe, remaining six months in each of the largest cities. He goes as an assistant to Major Burke, the chief manager, leaving with Major Burke in March—about two months in advance of the enterprise. His friends in Chestertown are expecting him to pay a visit here before he leaves on his long tour.

Mr. Wilbur Eliason, the lessee of the Chestertown straw-board factory, attended last week a convention of straw-board manufacturers held in Cleveland, Ohio, returning on Saturday. Mr. Eliason says the Western manufacturers have the advantage of cheaper straw, and in some instances of cheaper coal in their favor.

Mr. James R. Micou, the recently appointed professor to the chair of Mathematics in Washington College, is a comparatively young man, married, and is a graduate of the University of Virginia. He is said to have graduated with especial distinction in mathematics. He is expected to assume the duties of his new position sometime in February.

Mr. Washington Hudgins of Chestertown is suffering severely from frosted feet, so severely indeed that he is unable to walk and has been confined to his bed for several weeks.

### Bank Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chestertown National Bank was held Tuesday of last week and the following board of directors re-elected: G. B. Westcott, N. G. Westcott, R. Hynson, T. W. Eliason, Jr., C. T. Westcott. The officers of the bank remain unchanged as follows: President, G. B. Westcott; cashier, Joseph Peterson; teller, H. Rickey; book-keeper, W. W. Chapman; assistant do., Snowden Thomas.

The stockholders of the Fruit Growers' National Bank of Smyrna held their annual meeting on Tuesday of last week. The old board was re-elected as follows: R. C. Johnson, F. H. Harper, Wm. Eliason, G. H. Raymond, Sam'l Roberts, A. L. Hudson, Thomas James, John H. Hoffecker and N. F. Wilds. The following are officers of the bank: President, G. H. Raymond; cashier, N. F. Wilds; teller, S. G. Wilds; book-keeper, C. M. Fowler.

### Matrimonial.

BROWN—COPPER.

On Wednesday evening, Jan. 12, 1887, at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Sarah A. Anderson, at Worton Station Miss Sadie W. Copper was united in marriage to Mr. Charles R. Brown, in the presence of a few select friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. M. Lindale, pastor of Pomona circuit M. E. Church, of which both bride and groom are members. The bride was handsomely attired, and the groom may be congratulated upon having secured one of the prettiest girls of the third district.

He is a deserving young man, and will know how to appreciate the prize he has won.

LOUD—SMYTH.

At the residence of ex-County Commissioner Richard C. Smyth, residing near Fairlee, his daughter, Miss Hattie E., was given in marriage on Wednesday of last week to Mr. Robert H. Loud, son of Mr. John W. Loud. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. W. Mather, pastor of St. James M. P. Church. After the ceremony a collation was served, and the young couple left for their future home. Mr. Loud is an energetic and wide-awake young farmer, residing on what is known as the Thos. Baker farm in Quaker Neck. The young couple have the sincere good wishes of a large circle of friends.

McFEELY—USILTON.

Mr. Percy T. McFeely and Miss Minnie F. Usilton were married last Thursday at 1 P. M. in the M. P. Church, Chestertown. The church was full to overflowing and the ceremony was performed by Rev. W. R. Graham, the pastor. Mrs. Lulie Bacchus presided at the organ and Messrs. Wm. B. Usilton, Jr., Wm. Archibald, Jr., C. L. Dodd and W. W. Chapman were the ushers. The bride was dressed in heliotrope camels' hair serge and hat to match, and wore neither flowers nor ornaments except ear-rings and pin, the gift of the groom. The groom wore black dress suit. After the marriage the couple proceeded at once to the station and took the 1.35 train for Baltimore, where they will reside for the present. The couple were the recipients of many beautiful and valuable presents. In addition to the highly prized gifts from relatives and friends in Kent and Queen Anne's, the school companions of the bride in Frederick, Carroll and Talbot sent tokens of remembrance, and business associates of the groom in Baltimore substantially evidenced their esteem. Altogether the young couple step out upon the new life with everything to cheer and bless them. Mr. McFeely, the groom, is a son of Mr. W. J. McFeely, one of our town merchants, and the purser of the steamer Corsica, and the bride the eldest daughter of Mr. W. B. Usilton, of the *News*.

### THE EDESVILLE BALL.

**A Successful Social Event and a Delightful Supper.**

*Eds. Transcript*:—At Edesville on Thursday evening, Jan. 13th, we had the pleasure of attending one of the most delightful balls of the season. The music was furnished by the Middletown band, and was simply perfection. Under the courteous direction of Floor Managers J. P. Wickes, J. C. Beck, John Brice, Jr., and J. L. Beck, the large assembly of dancers were all accommodated, and enjoyed themselves until four in the morning. Supper began at 10 P. M. and closed at 3 A. M., and a royal supper it was and certainly did credit to this land favored with good things to eat. The *menu* consisted of oysters raw, diamond-back terrapin, swan, wild duck, turkey, goose, roast pig, escaloped oysters, celery, and jellies, that were as beautiful to the sight as they were pleasant to the taste; Maryland biscuit, the real old-fashioned kind that had not in them a trace of dyspepsia; chicken salad, and in fact everything that would go to satisfy the inner man. The supper table was under the able management of Mrs. Jester, who saw that none went away hungry. There were between three and four hundred guests present. A few of the young ladies from a distance whose names we succeeded in getting were: from Baltimore, Miss Jennie Francis and sister.

From Chestertown,—Misses Nealie Walker, Mary Beck, Emma Gilpin, Nannie Brice, Effie Pearson, Hope Wickes, Gussie and Annie Carvill.

Lankford,—Misses Blanche and Lillian Constable, Ida Camp, Lillian Jessup, Etta Brice, Annie Vickers.

Worton,—Mollie Aldridge, Della Stevens, Susie Casey, Willie Smith.

East Neck Island,—Minnie Wickes, Annie Strong and sister, Lucy Wall.

Still Pond,—Misses Mary Stokes, May Price, Sadie Burgess and Eva Jarman.

To attempt to name the many beautiful young ladies from Edesville and vicinity would be a task indeed. Suffice it to say that they were THERE, and with their more distant sisters made the ball room a scene of beauty, indeed. Many very handsome costumes were worn, but as it was not a FULL DRESS BALL we will not describe them.

The young gentlemen represented all parts of the county, were well dressed, and deported themselves becomingly and enjoyed themselves hugely. Some of the married ladies who provided the supper, and many of whom enjoyed the dancing as much as the merriest maid among them were Mrs. Charles Beck, Mrs. Jas. Beck, Mrs. Wilfred Wilson, Mrs. Tylden Brice, Mrs. John Brice, Mrs. George Leary, Mrs. Elmer Leary, Mrs. Harry Francis, Mrs. Walter Sutton, Mrs. Thomas Maslin, Mrs. Richard Wilson, Mrs. Edgar Strong and Mrs. T. A. Hulme.

There was one especially noticeable feature in connection with this ball, and that was the large number of married people of present. We have often heard it said that the good people of the 5th had more solid enjoyment and fun than any other people on the earth. We feel convinced that this is a fact. We hope it may be our good fortune to meet with them again socially. A. GUEST.

### REPORT OF PEACH GROWERS OF STILL POND AND VICINITY.

**An Interesting Showing of Average Prices Obtained by a Number of Growers for Last Season's Crop.**

The TRANSCRIPT is indebted to the kindness of a prominent fruit-grower for the following very interesting account of a meeting held at Still Pond on last Saturday afternoon. In spite of the drop in prices later in the season, it will be seen that the growers in the rich peach section surrounding Still Pond, obtained very fair prices. It would prove quite interesting if growers in other sections would balance accounts, and determine just how their peaches panned out:

STILL POND, Jan. 17, 1887.

*Messrs. Editors*:—By request of your junior I send you a synopsis of the proceedings of the Still Pond Agricultural Club on Jan. 15, 1887. The president, J. S. Harris, being absent, the meeting was called to order by Vice-President J. F. Beeks.

After the reading and approval of the minutes, on motion of N. Barnard, the regular order of business was dispensed with, and the club took up the subject for the day, "The results of the sales of the peach crop of 1886." The privileges of the club were extended to visitors.

G. W. Davis did not give figures, but was satisfied that his peaches netted fifteen (15) cts. more at the exchange than at distant markets.

W. D. Pennington reported peaches sold at exchange averaged 59 cts. per basket; peaches sold in Philadelphia, 42½ cts per basket net.

N. Barnard at exchange averaged 64½ cts. per basket; Philadelphia, 50 cts. per basket net; Baltimore, 31 cts. per basket net.

J. F. Wilson to buyers at home and exchange averaged 62 cts. per basket; Philadelphia, 37½ cts. per basket net; Baltimore, 36½ cts. per basket net; New York, 30 cts. per basket net; Evaporators, 21½ cts. per basket net.

J. S. Harris, exchange, 42⅝ cents per basket average; Philadelphia, 31 cts. per basket net average; Baltimore, 28 cts. per basket net average.

Wm. Meeks could not give figures but was satisfied that his fruit netted him one-third more at the exchange.

Wm. Archibald, Sr., favored selling at home; had no opportunity to try the exchange. His sales were as follows at station: Troth's Early, 639 baskets, 55 cts. clear; Reeve's Early, Pullen's Seedling, 1000 baskets, $1.05 per basket clear; Stump the World, Crawford's Late, Christiana, Beers' Late Yellow, Beers' Smock sold from 70 to 30 cts., and some to the dryers for 20 cts. Synopsis of the season's sales: Home market, including what was sold to dryers, 44 cts. per basket clear; Baltimore, 14½ cts.; Philadelphia, 12 cents.

E. B. Pennington shipped all fruit not used in evaporator. Netted 40 cts. per basket. One member thought that but for the exchange he would be on the march to the almshouse.

F. H. Harper sold the greater part of his fruit at home, and was well satisfied with the results.

E. P. Janvier was much pleased with the workings of the exchange, and was very sorry he could not sell more fruit through it.

L. C. Justis sold his orchard at 65 cts. per basket and was content.

N. Barnard read a letter from A. N. Brown, secretary of the Delaware Fruit Exchange, giving the average price of peaches sold through the exchange as 52½ cts. per basket. Also a few individual averages as follows; N. Barnard, 64½ cts. per basket; Polk & Pennington, 59 cts.; Wm. Meeks, 58¾ cts.; J. F. Wilson, 61 J. S. Harris, 42⅝ cts.; T. J. Shallcross, 73 cts.; C. H. Price, 63½ cts.; Pool's Island, $1.01.

He thought that J. T. Ireland's and W. G. Raisin's would average 65 cts. per basket.

T. J. Shallcross and Pool's Island only sold two lots each.

N. Barnard offered the following resolutions, which were adopted unanimously:

RESOLUTIONS.

WHEREAS, At a meeting of the Still Pond Agricultural and Horticultural Club held at Still Pond, Md., Jan. 15th, 1887, at which many citizens from other sections, by invitation, participated, the question of the continuance of the Delaware Fruit Exchange in the future was critically discussed and ventilated, during which a report of the secretary of the Del. Fruit Exchange was read, detailing its operations the past season at Barnard's wharf, Kent county, Md., giving the net price realized per basket of all peaches sold by or through the exchange as 52½ cts. (basket included), and certain individual cases were reported by same authority giving net prices ranging from 42⅝ cts. to $1.01 for fruit sold through the same channel; and

WHEREAS, Reports were made by divers persons, who daily sold through the exchange, and shipped the same varieties and quality of fruit to other markets the same days, and realized prices ranging from 25 to 50 per cent. less in some of those markets than were obtained through the exchange; and

WHEREAS, The security the exchange system affords owners of fruit, requiring bidders to deposit sufficient funds in the treasury of the exchange to cover actual purchases made by each daily, thereby protecting growers from possibility of loss, is not one of the least benefits the exchange guarantees; and

WHEREAS, Bringing buyers from the various markets in our country, to the fruit-growing sections, thereby securing strong, legitimate and determined competition, guarantees such remunerative prices as those several markets afford, and enables the growers to pocket the lion's share of that which the middle men have so long enjoyed; therefore, be it

*Resolved*, 1st, That this body most emphatically urge and recommend the continuance of the Del. Fruit Exchange system in our section, and pledge our unqualified support and fidelity in all honorable ways to the promotion and success of the same in the future.

*Resolved*, 2d, That this body recognizes the important part, that thorough and complete organization of the farmers, is a necessity in order for their protection.

*Resolved*, 3d, That co-operation of the fruit-growers is needed to induce buyers to come to us, and not we to them.

*Resolved*, 4th, That this association is impressed with the fact, that a great opportunity and responsibility is before us; that when the millions of young trees now planted come in to bearing, it will require more elaborate and methodical ways and means to move the immense crop to advantage that will then be grown, and seeking transportation. It is therefore advised, and strongly recommended, that the farmers of the entire Peninsula, and purchasers of our fruit, proceed at once to organize district distributive clubs; and when so formed appoint delegates to a convention to be called for the purpose of organizing this entire force or interest in one body, which shall elect a board of directors, who shall choose an executive head, whose duty shall be to locate at some central point in this territory where telegraphic communication with every available shipping point is secured, and with a map before him of the entire country where fruit is consumed, so distribute the cars daily to the various cities and towns in such proportion as will create no glut at any point.

*Resolved*, 5th, That we believe the freight charges on this commodity are exorbitant; that the same could be transported for from ½ to ¾ the rates now charged to some points.

*Resolved*, 6th, That we recommend that a general railroad law be enacted by our Legislature as the surest means of securing competition and reduction of freights, and that the farmers require a pledge from all legislative candidates to use their influence for the enactment of such a law.

*Resolved*, 7th, That this organization fully realizes and appreciates the very important services rendered by Mr. J. P. R. Polk in running his line of steamers, freighting our peaches to the railroad at Perryville, without which service the exchange could not have operated, and it is with unfeigned pleasure we offer our thanks to this worthy gentleman for the enterprise and energy employed in aid of our cause.

*Resolved*, 8th, That this organization unhesitatingly advise growers to sell their fruit through the exchange where the opportunity is offered and where it is not, to sell from day to day to buyers at the stations, but to hold out the invitation continually and universally for buyers to come among us and buy our fruit.

*Resolved*, 9th, That this body rejoices in this opportunity of expressing its high appreciation of the efforts of the officers of the Del. Fruit Exchange; and in an especial manner do we express our sincere regard and grateful acknowledgements of the labors of Mr. A. N. Brown and his able corps of assistants, who made the operation of the exchange such a grand success here the past season.

*Resolved*, 10th, That this body recognizes the very efficient service of P., W. & B. R. R. in favoring and encouraging this new route. The promptness and dispatch of this road put every car load of peaches in market on schedule time during the entire peach season. Though this road must not forget that we desire her to bring the cars on barges to our shore hereafter.

The meeting adjourned until next regular meeting J. F. W.

### Galena Items.

Dr J. W. Latimer and wife, of Galena, met with a narrow escape from severe injury quite recently, by the capsizing of a sleigh, near the residence of Mr. John Ireland, one mile from Galena. With considerable difficulty the Doctor was enabled to control his spirited nag after being dragged some distance. His wife was somewhat bruised and received quite a severe shock, from which she is gradually recovering.

Interesting protracted services are in progress at Olivet M. E. Church under Bro. Tomkinson. The report that Mr. T. will remain but one year in his present charge is without foundation. He expresses deep interest in this field, is much beloved by the people generally and unless called to some church outside the limits of the Wilmington Conference will remain with us.

Mr. Robert Morgan, we regret to learn, is suffering severely with a strained back, brought on by overlifting. Dr. Latimer in attendance.

The true friends of Westminster Presbyterian Church, Georgetown, are rejoicing in the speedy prospect of an earnest, live, spiritual-minded pastor among them, the Rev. Frank Pitman, of W. Va., having been unanimously called as their minister.

The funeral of Mrs. Samuel Caldwell took place on Sunday last, and was very largely attended. Mrs. C. had many warm friends in this vicinity, to whom her sudden death was a painful surprise. OBSERVER.

### Some Things Said About Us, Mostly of a Pleasant Nature.

According to an old established custom, which no well regulated newspaper was ever known to violate, the *Transcript* publishes below some of the kind things which its esteemed contemporaries have been pleased to say of it, anent the change made on the first of last January:

Mr. L. C. Justis, a member of the last Legislature from Kent county, has become associated with C. G. Woodall in the editorship of the Chestertown *Transcript*. The *Transcript* has long been one of the most highly esteemed of our exchanges, and under the management of Messrs. Woodall & Justis will no doubt boom things in a way creditable to itself and Kent county.—*Centreville Record*.

Mr. Lewis C. Justis has become associated with Mr. C. G. Woodall in the conduct of the Chestertown *Transcript*. The *Transcript* deserves all the marked success it has had under Mr. Woodall's management, and Mr. Justis will doubtless show extra fruits of his labors.—*Cecil Democrat*.

Mr. L. C. Justis, a member of the late Legislature, has become connected with the Chestertown *Transcript*. The *Transcript* is one of our most welcome exchanges and with Woodall and Justis as editors we expect it will make things jump in old Kent. The new management will accept our best wishes.—*Centreville Observer*.

Mr. Lewis C. Justis, a member of the late Legislature, has associated himself with C. G. Woodall in the publication of the Chestertown *Transcript*. The *Transcript* under Bro. Woodall's management alone was one of our most valued exchanges, and now that there is another able-bodied addition to the editorial staff we have no doubt that its strength and popularity will be greatly increased.—*Caroline Democrat*.

Lewis C. Justis has associated himself with C. G. Woodall in the editorial and business management of the Chestertown *Transcript*. Mr. Justis is a young and well educated Kent county farmer. Two years ago he had the misfortune to be elected a member of the Maryland Legislature. To be a member of Assembly and an editor, both in the space of two years, will naturally arouse public sympathy. We extend our condolence.—*Milford News and Advertiser*.

L. C. Justis has become associate editor and publisher of the Chestertown *Transcript*. In his valedictory he says: "I am not actuated by the belief that all country editors eventually become millionaires, but I do believe, in a county as rich and prosperous, and with a citizenship as intelligent as ours is known to be, there is a field for a live, energetic newspaper." The *Record* wishes the *Transcript* the success which its merit deserves.—*Smyrna Record*.

The Chestertown (Md.) *Transcript* announces that Ma. Lewis C. Justis will hereafter be associated with Mr. C. G. Woodall in its publication. Mr. Justis is a member of the Legislature from Kent county and a well known farmer.—*Baltimore Sun*.

Hon. Lewis C. Justis, member of the House of Delegates from Kent county, has become associate editor with Mr. Woodall of the Chestertown *Transcript*. The *Transcript* is already one of the best papers on the Eastern Shore and with Mr. Justis as one of its editors we may reasonably expect great improvement. The new editor was one of the most honest and fearless members of the House, is a man of decided ability, a good writer and full of energy. The *Democrat* congratulates the people of Kent county on such an acquisition to their local journalism, and wishes Mr. Justis the success he deserves, and no doubt will achieve in his new field.—*Easton Democrat*.

Lewis C. Justis, member of General Assembly of 1886 from Kent county, has become associated with Casper G. Woodall in the publication of the Chestertown *Transcript*. It is but Justis to say we Woodall papers on the Shore were as good and prosperous as the *Transcript*.—*Greensboro' Free Press*.

Lewis C. Justis, Esq., a young farmer of Kent county, has associated himself with C. G. Woodall in the editorial and business management of the Chestertown *Transcript*. Mr. Justis was a member of the Maryland Legislature two years ago and is a genial and able gentleman. The combination of Woodall and Justis will be a strong one.—*Cambridge Chronicle*.

Our esteemed friend Lewis C. Justis, member of the House of Delegates of Kent county, has connected himself with the Chestertown *Transcript*, and that excellent paper will hereafter be edited and published by Mr. C. G. Woodall and himself, who are abundantly able to keep it up to its present high standard in journalism. Success to our friends.—*Annapolis Republican*.

### New Advertisements.

The following new advertisements appear in this issue:

Sheriff's sale of personal property and real estate.

Notice to creditors by Richard D. Hynson, Esq., administrator.

Concert at Stam's Hall.

Notice to tax-payers by 3d district collector.

Notice to tax-payers by 4th district collector.

Supper by ladies of Kennedyville M.P. Church

House to rent by C. M. Lucas.

New shoe advertisement by M. T. Goslee.

Off season advertisement by J. H. Simpers.

Dental card of Dr. W. G. Phelps.

Horseshoeing by Andrew J. Hopkins.

The Philadelphia Daily Record.


Christmas Goods!

HOLIDAY NOVELTIES!

FINE, LARGE ASSORTMENT

—AT—

Stam's Drug Store,

UNDER TOWN HALL,

Dec. 16, 1886. Chestertown, Md.

OUR PRICES for all grades of Canton Flannel—quality considered—are hard to beat and see for yourself.

J. H. SIMPERS.

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Established in 1868.

Family Supplies

—AT—

Special Low Prices!

We have laid in a good supply of

Sugars, Coffee, N. O. Molasses,

RICE,
SUGAR-CURED HAMS,
SUGAR-CURED SHOULDERS,
BREAKFAST BACON,
SHOULDER BACON,
SUGAR-CURED SMOKED BEEF
CHIPPED BEEF,
COOKED CANNED BEEF,
CANNED TOMATOES,
CANNED CORN,
CANNED PEACHES
DRIED FRUITS,

TOBACCO, from 30 to 80 cts. a pound.

TINWARE,
PLATES,
CUPS & SAUCERS,
BOWLS,

and in fact everything usually kept in a first-class store.

Flour! Flour

We have Clifton F. F. F., Kirkwood, Occidental, Potapsco Superlative, Potapsco Family, Patapsco Extra, Orange Grove Extra, $4 to $6 a barrel. All the above brands also in bags, 12½ and 24½ pounds. Try our 3-cent Flour.

Sugars 5 to 7 cts. a pound, good Roasted Coffee 12 cts. a pound, also, Arbuckle's, Levering's, Enterprise and Ajax Roasted Coffees in pound packages at lowest prices. Rice, Cheaper than you ever bought. Head Light Coal Oil 15 cts. a gallon. Mackerel by the barrel, half-barrel and in kits. Domestic Dry Goods and Notions.

We want Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Bacon, Lard and country produce, for which we will give the best market price. Please call at the old stand on Cross street. Respect'y,

J. B. SAPPINGTON,

June 17, 1886. CHESTERTOWN, MD

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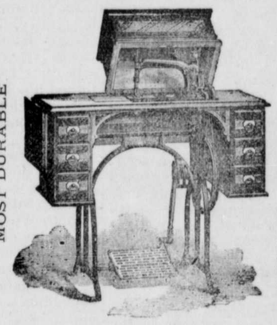

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