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LOCAL MATTERS.

—Massey's has broken the record. It is reported that thirteen runaway of teams have occurred within one month.

—The score in the game between the Washington College and Still Pond football teams at Still Pond yesterday was 0 to 0.

—It is estimated that the farmers in the vicinity of Worton have had stolen from them fifty hogs within the last month. Then it's time to call a halt.

—Beginning Monday, November 5, the Emma Ford will discontinue her stops at Rock Hall. The B. S. Ford only will stop there.

—John Henry Brown, colored, was taken to the House of Correction for a sojourn of twelve months, by Constable Rose on Thursday, for assaulting with a pitchfork Mr. Edward Armstrong. Esquire Thomas sent the gentleman over.

—J. S. Johnson, on the J. J. Bill farm, near Hopewell, brought two potatoes to the *Times* office on Saturday last which weighed over 10 pounds each, and 47 of which filled a flour barrel.—*Crisfield Times.* They were whoppers and must lead the procession upon their individual merits.

—At the annual meeting of the Delaware Game Protection Association held last week, the president made the statement that the fact that no game had been shot for a year had insured plenty of birds this season throughout the State. It is hoped that the closed season in Kent may have similar results.

—Benjamin Jones, Emory and Bob Comegys, all colored, were lodged in jail on Monday last by Constable Dayer, of Worton, charged with stealing three hogs and one sheep from Mr. G. W. Venable on Saturday night. The men were committed by 'Squire Beck. The men will be wintered at the county's expense and held for the April term of court.

—Capt. Thomas P. Benney, of Cliff city, has taken command of the bugeye Gerdes, the new oyster police boat for Chester river. The expenses, $180 per month, as follows: Captain, $50; mate, $40; two seamen, $30 each, and the boat, $30 per month, will be borne jointly by Kent and Queen Anne's. We predict that Capt. Benney will make one of the most efficient officers on the force.

—While at the Chestertown creamery on Saturday, the horse attached to the milk wagon of Mr. W. W. Newcomb, became frightened at escaping steam and dashed off at full speed. Mr. Newcomb was standing a few feet away and made a grab for the reins of his horse, and in his effort to stop him received a painful injury to his leg. The team was stopped in front of the residence of Hope H. Barroll, Esq., without any serious damage either to horse or wagon.

—Two ladies near Morgnec, last week became involved in a contest for the possession of a snowy white duck. One fair contestant held the duck's head while the other had a death-grip on it's feet. At last the duck's head surrendered all ownership in its body and a separation took place, and a lily white soul went speeding onward and upward to duck heaven and a lily white corpse remained in the hands of one of the contestants. A magistrate suit followed.

—Thieves entered the granary of Mr. Wm. E. DeFord on Wednesday night and stole six bushels of wheat. The team used was tracked to a colored man's house about three miles from Chestertown, and other suspicious circumstances will render it necessary for the colored gentleman owning the team to account for his excursions on Wednesday night. Mr. DeFord on Thursday night lost two shoats, and has his weather eye pretty clearly cut for the visitors who have thus interfered with his sausage prospect for next year.

November Weather.

Hicks, the weather prophet says of November weather: Storms about 1st to 24. The Venus equinox on October 31 will cause many and prolonged disturbances. About 5th and 6th dangerous gales and storms. The same will be the condition from the 9th to the 14th. About 17th and 18th warmer with returning storms, with cold. Cold will follow each storm period.

On touching the 27th and 28th look for return of heavy storms. The new moon on the 27th will bring a storm crisis within 24 hours.

Church Notes.

Rev. S. R. Murray, pastor of Christ M. P. Church, will on next Sunday evening, preach upon the subject: "The Saloon, the Destroyer of our National Life."

Revival services under the direction of Evangelist Galloway will continue in the M. E. Church during the evenings of the present week. The interest continues unabated. Evangelist Galloway will be present next Sabbath. Services at the usual hours. Holy Communion and reception of members in connection with the morning service. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

On next Sunday morning a delightful autumnal service will be held at Christ M. P. Church. It is proposed to decorate the church with flowers and autumn leaves, and the pastor requests us to say that any and all contributions of flowers or leaves for the decorations will be gladly received.

County Sunday School Convention.

A County Sunday School Convention, under the auspices of the County Sunday School Association, will be held at Millington on Saturday and Sunday, November 24 and 25. Notices will be sent to the various Sunday schools to send delegates, who will be entertained by the people of the community. If any school should fail to receive notice it is nevertheless urged to send delegates. Each school is entitled to two delegates. Pastors and superintendents are such by reason of their office.

The great value of conventions of this description is by no means appropriately appreciated. A general convention of the county schools, called for the purpose of school improvement, and devoted to the discussion of those subjects most calculated to insure this improvement, is an effort worthy of the endorsement of everybody who has at heart the planting of true Christian thoughts. Nothing can be more reassuring to the hopeful Christian than the sight of several Protestant denominations of this county meeting harmoniously in a common cause, and consulting together as to the best means to accomplish the great and sublime end they have in view. Bigotry and prejudice are smothered, narrow minds are broadened, selfish competition is subdued and all lock hands in the one great cause against sin. This is a grand move, one entitled to universal and enthusiastic support. Its purpose is magnificent, its aim is noble, and every true Christian should labor for its success

NECROLOGY.

Henry T. Massey Dead,

Mr. Henry T. Massey, one of the most respected citizens of the county, died at his home on Washington avenue, about 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon, aged 56 years. Mr. Massey had been in failing health for more than three years past, suffering from a complication of diseases, and had been extremely feeble for several months. He was born near New Castle, Delaware, and eighteen years ago came to Kent and engaged in farming near Worton Station, and by the strictest honesty, singleness of purpose and a kindly consideration for all with whom he came in contact either in business or socially, he won the highest esteem of all who knew him, which esteem and respect he maintained throughout his honorable and useful career. Three years ago last Christmas, because of failing health he came to Chestertown. When a comparatively young man he married Miss Cora Peach, daughter of Mr. John Peach, of Cecil county. His wife died seventeen years ago.

Mr. Massey was a consistent member of the Presbyterian Church, but because of the absence of a Presbyterian Church in Chestertown always attended services at Christ M. P. Church. Three children survive him, Norman, Cora and Thomas. He had two sisters, Mrs. Anna Miller, of Greenville, Ohio, who has spent the past five months with her brother, and Mrs. Thomas Jones, of California. Impressive funeral services were conducted at his late home by Dr. S. R. Murray, at 4 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, which were largely attended. The remains were taken to Middletown, Delaware, for interment on Monday morning, and services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Moore, of the Presbyterian Church of that place. The pall-bearers were: D. L. Dunning, Dr. T. H. Gilpin, Joseph Biggs, W. H. Houston, Samuel Ford and G. E. Huikle.

Mrs. Mary Strong, wife of Thomas A. Strong, after a lingering illness, died at her home in Edesville, of consumpton, on Monday night. Mrs. Strong was a daughter of Mr. Wm. Judefind and a sister to Messrs. John and Wm. K. Judefind and Mrs. L. J. Gale. A devout Christian and a sincere and abiding friend, her circle of friends was large, and her loss will be sorely felt.

The remains of little Georgia Allston, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Allston, of Washington, D. C., but formerly of Still Pond, were brought over and interred in the cemetery at Still Pond on Thursday.

Mr. Thomas Hill died of general debility at the home of his cousin, Mr. S. J. Hill, Locust Grove, Sunday of last week, aged about 68. The beaters were Messrs. J. Vandyke, J. B. Price, W. T. Crow, W. H. Kelley, Geo. W. Atwell and S. A. Merritt.

The wife of Rev. J. G. Bacchus, D. D., rector of the Church of the Reformation, Brooklyn, N. Y., died on last Saturday, Oct. 27th, and was buried on Tuesday of this week.

College Notes.

Holloway, the hustling and effective foot-ball player who did such splendid work for the College eleven in the M. A. C. game, has suffered severely as a result of that game but is now sufficiently improved to go to work again.

The Pieria, the young ladies literary society, has commenced its series of interesting meetings with the following officers: President, Miss May Matthews; vice-president, Miss Rose Frazier; treasurer, Miss Lucy Murray; corresponding and recording secretary, Miss Belle Boston.

Wreck on the B. & D. B. R. R.

A serious wreck occurred on the Baltimore & Delaware Bay Railroad, between Worton and Lynch's stations, at 7.50 o'clock on Friday morning. Two passenger cars, three empty coal cars and two box cars of the regular train left the track, but were not badly damaged. The track was torn up for fully a hundred yards, and not until 1.30 P. M. was it possible to forward the mails by an extra train which was promptly sent down from Clayton. The engine and three box cars kept the track. Road Constructor Bice said to a TRANSCRIPT reporter during repairs, that the wreck was the result of a bent axle on a coal hopper. A track was laid and the cars were before 7.30 P. M. on the track and repairs to the roadway completed.

Mrs. Morgan, of Hillsboro', who was returning from a visit to the home of Capt. R. S. Emory, was the only passenger on the train.

As soon as the first car left the track, Engineer Reed, with wonderful coolness, promptly put on the brakes. Conductor Welch, Postal Agent Lambert, Brakeman Blyman and all of the officers of the train were considerably shaken up.

The mail did not reach Chestertown until 6 o'clock P. M., and considerable inconvenience was occasioned by the failure of the outgoing mails to make connection with mails North.

FROM MILLINGTON.

What's the Matter With Millington? Personals and Local Jots.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—For the last three or four Saturday nights our little town has been thrown into a state of excitement between the hours of 11 and 1 o'clock by drunken men walking up and down the streets swearing at a terrible rate, and waking up the whole town. Although our town is incorporated and has a bailiff who is supposed to take such people in charge, as far as we can hear, there has not been a single arrest made for this conduct. The good citizens of the town should see that such people are taken up, as our officer seems to pay no attention to them.

Dr. Wm. Pippin has moved to Church Hill.

Miss Carrie Hynson, of Chestertown, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Mary Hopkins, of Wye Mills, is visiting Rev. A. Ware.

Miss Rose Comegys has just returned from visiting friends near Sudlersville.

Miss Victoria Power spent several days with Mrs. John Sutton.

Mrs. McFadden, who has been visiting friends here, returned home a few days ago.

George Townsend, who has been confined to the house with rheumatism for the past month, is improving.

Miss Neal, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Dr. Comegys.

Miss Maggie Jones has moved her millinery store to the one vacated by Dr. Pippin. J. P. Ahern takes the house vacated by Dr. Pippin. Mr. Samuel Mallalieu takes the house vacated by Mr. Ahern. Mr. Henry Spear takes the house vacated by Mr. Mallalieu.

J. S. Simmons, on account of ill-health, has sold his grocery stock to Carroll Clark, who will continue business at the same stand.

Mr. J. A. Edwards, who has been quite sick for the past few weeks, we are sorry to say, is not improving.

Mrs. M. O. Cacy is visiting her son at Tappan, N. Y.

Miss Annie Heart and George Cole, of Aberdeen, Md., were quietly married at the home of the bride in Sand Town last week. R.

A FAC-SIMILE OF THE OFFICIAL BALLOT.

A X made in the large square space to the right of emblem at head of party ticket, or in the space to the right of the party name, means a vote for all the names in that column, and no other X is required.

A X made in small space at right of name of candidate means a vote for the particular person opposite whose name the X is place, and no other.

A X made at right of emblem and also opposite one or more of the names of persons in any other column or group, then the vote so cast shall be regarded as given for all the candidates under such marked party emblem or name, except the candidate or candidates under such party emblem or name whose name or names is or are opposite to the name or names so marked; and also for the candidate or candidates whose name or names is or are so marked.

Democratic Ticket.

For Representative for the First Congressional District of Maryland in the Fifty-third Congress of the United States:

WINDER LAIRD HENRY, of Dorchester County.

For Representative for the First Congressional District of Maryland in the Fifty-fourth Congress of the United States:

JOSHUA W. MILES, of Somerset County.

Republican Ticket.

For Representative for the First Congressional District of Maryland in the Fifty-third Congress of the United States:

JOSEPH MALLALIEU, of Queen Anne's County.

For Representative for the First Congressional District of Maryland in the Fifty-fourth Congress of the United States:

ABRAHAM LINCOLN DRYDEN, of Somerset County.

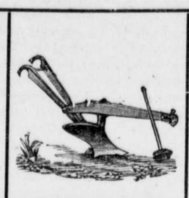
Prohibition Ticket.

For Representative for the First Congressional District of Maryland in the Fifty-third Congress of the United States:

JAMES T. ANTHONY, of Queen Anne's County.

For Representative for the First Congressional District of Maryland in the Fifty-fourth Congress of the United States:

BENNETT P. MILES, of Somerset County.



People's Ticket.

For Representative for the First Congressional District of Maryland in the Fifty-third Congress of the United States:

JAMES E. TULL, of Dorchester county.

For Representative for the First Congressional District of Maryland in the Fifty-fourth Congress of the United States:

B. S. MORRIS, of Wicomico County.

For Representative for the First Congressional District of Maryland in the Fifty-third Congress of the United States:

For Representative for the First Congressional District of Maryland in the Fifty-fourth Congress of the United States:

An X in the square to the right of the Democratic emblem, Jackson and Liberty, means a vote for the entire Democratic ticket. Let no Democrat make a mistake in marking his ticket. The single mark will cast a vote for every Dmocratic candidate.

In Prohibition Ranks.

A rousing prohibition rally was held in Stam's Hall on Tuesday afternoon. Mr C. S. York was made chairman of the meeting, Capt. J. H. Thompson, vice-president and Capt. Joseph Downey, secretary. The speakers were: Presiding Elder Alfred Smith, Rev. Father George L. Ott, Dr. S. R. Murray and Rev. W. P. Compton. Mr. Smith made a strong speech in which the lawlessness in the county was denounced, the halting, hesitating position of the press vigorously criticised and an aggressive campaign advocated. All of the speakers took advanced positions on temperance questions and pledged themselves to use every possible effort to suppress the defiant spirit of the violators of the local option laws of the county.

AT BETTERTON.

An enthusiastic prohibition meeting was held at Betterton on Saturday. George W. Covington was chairman of the meeting. The speaker was Hon. Edwin Higgins, of Baltimore, who made an entertaining and strong speech. The remarks of Mr. Higgins were prefaced by the reading of the party platform by Mr. R. T. Turner.

County W. C. T. U. Convention.

On the afternoon and evening of Thursday, Nov. 8th, commencing at 2 o'clock P. M., the semi-annual county convention of the W. C. T. U. will be held at Fairlee Hall. Opening exercises will consist of singing, prayer and scripture quotations from the audience. Business meeting, including a report of the recent State convention. Discussion of the question "In the absence of a suitable text book, in the primary departments, how may we teach the children of those grades the harmful effects of alcohol and narcotics?" address by Miss Kearney, a national "Y" organizer of great popularity from Mississippi. At the evening session the question in the present crisis, "What should be the attitude of the W. C. T. U. in the effort towards good government?" will be discussed by Rev. S. R. Murray, D. D., Rev. S. C. Roberts, D. D., Rev. W. P. Compton, Rev. Father Ott and Rev. J. B. Merritt, after which the question will be open to the audience, and a free expression of thought is earnestly desired. Miss Kearney will also speak in the evening. The exercises during both afternoon and evening, will be varied by music and recitations from members of the "Y's" and T. L. L's. All pastors and editors are especially invited to be present and a cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend both sessions. Supper will be served in the usual way, by basket contributions.

COMMITTEE.

GALENA NOTES.

The Peacock-Cannan Case—Visitors in town.

Our town during the first week of court was quite deserted, as over sixty witnesses were summoned on the Peacock-Cannan civil suit, and the one topic of conversation both in public and in the home was the merits of the case. The general opinion is that the would-have-been verdict of $3500 was sufficient for all demands of justice. Both parties to the case have the sympathy of the people, and it is generally deplored that the matter was not compromised without going to a trial. The case has been entered for the spring term of court. Mr. Peacock's counsel say they have his case in better shape than ever, (found more *law* I guess), while Mr. Constable says his chances are better than ever to secure heavier damages.

The executors of the will of the late Thos. H. Horsey are having the large stock of goods in his general store disposed of at cost. Messrs. Tschudy & Hazel, of Smyrna, were in town one day last week to look at this property. We have not heard what they thought of it or what their intentions are.

Mr. J. R. Wilson has a large and handsome sign out in front of his dwelling calling the attention of the public to his "Feed stables and trasient boarding house."

The firm of Wilson & Davis will be dissolved at the end of the present year. Mr. J. R. Wilson will carry the business on himself after the first of January.

The young people of town are very much interested in a dancing school which has been started in the town hall. Several have expressed their intentions of joining.

The late festival held in the town hall for the benefit of the public school, netted about forty dollars. Much credit is to be given to the lady teachers for the splendid entertainment given free to the patrons of the festival.

Miss Owens, of Tennessee, is paying a visit to her old schoolmate, Mrs. R. H. Hicks.

Mr. Clarence Gray, of Porter's, Del., paid his parents and friends a flying visit on his wheel Sunday of last week.

One of our young druggists is making a visit of a few days with friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Jones, of Snow Hill, who has been staying with her daughter, Mrs. E. H. Nelson, returned to her home last Saturday.

The mail was delayed Friday of last week on account of a wreck on the railroad, mail not arriving in town until about 5 o'clock P. M. SCRIBE.

Personal Mention.

Several ladies of Chestertown and vicinity have organized a Chatauqua Literary circle and have commenced the interesting course of study as arranged for circle work throughout the entire country This delightfully elevating literary course is recommended to the hosts of young ladies and gentlemen of Kent for the many spare moments which may so pleasantly be garnered, but now pass by possibly profitless and unimproved.

Young James G. Blaine, son of the brilliant and distinguished northern Republican, is studying law at the University of Virginia, the swell southern seat of learning, and was consequently a fellow student with Mr. Henry W. Catlin at the University during the summer. Young Blaine is centre rush of the University foot-ball team and is raising a tempest in that place. In a match between the University and Richmond College teams, Blaine with two others is charged with ungentlemanly slugging and is being severely criticised. Mr. Catlin says that he frequently saw young Blaine. During the most intense warm weather Blaine would be found every afternoon in the gymnasium and on the athletic track, where, with other foot-ball aspirants, he would undergo a most severe course of physical training. Among other noted athletes there was "Biffy" Lea, Princeton's giant tackle.

Mr. E. Weston Welch, who has spent the past two years in the far west and northwest, returned home on Saturday, and says that Kent beats the world so far as he has seen. Mr. Welch left yesterday morning for Weehauken, N. J., to accept a position with the West Shore Railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Noland celebrated the tenth anniversary of their marriage, at their home at Tolchester, on Saturday evening. The supper was one of the most elegant of a large number of elegant suppers and tables were beautifully decorated with magnificent flowers and georgeously colored autumn leaves. Fruits were arranged into pyramids and added beauty to the already beautiful table. Among others present were: Mrs. Lida Busick, Mrs. Joshua Thomas, Miss Nora Ely and Miss Rose Bramble, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Todd, Fairlee; Mrs. Dr. J. T. Twilley, Miss Lillie Bramble, J. W. Chapman, Col. W. P. Howard, Chestertown; Misses Lenora Bramble, Annie Bramble, Ida Bramble and T. E. W. Crew and Bartus Wilkins. The TRANSCRIPT extends congratulations and most sincere wishes that the happy couple may enjoy many more anniversary occasions.

Miss Nelle Walker is the guest of Miss Archer, Bel Air, Harford county.

Mrs. Connor, and daughter, Miss Maggie Connor, of Annapolis, are guests of Mrs. M. E. Watts, Front street.

Capt. William Taylor and Messrs. W. W. Chapman and Sereck Shallcross took the boat at Betterton on Saturday night for Philadelphia, and made the run down to Chestertown on Sunday. The gentlemen left Philadelphia at 8.00 A. M. took dinner at Middletown and reached Chestertown shortly after five. They report a delightful trip.

Miss Crawford, of near Middletown, Del., is visiting at the home of Mr. Thomas J. Vickers, in Broad Neck.

Miss Fahnestock, of Pennsylvania, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. P. Compton, Spring avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brice, Philadelphia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Brice, Washington avenue, on Sunday.

A pleasant dance was enjoyed at Still Pond on Friday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Parr and children, of Still Pond, are visiting Mrs. Harry Todd, of Fairlee.

Mrs. Abna Allston is visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Miss Allie Owens, of West Virginia, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Heston Hicks, in Galena.

Mr. Wm. Sutton and wife, of Seattle, Wash., are guests of Mrs. Pierce.

Miss Anna Lynah, one of the most popular young ladies of Savannah, Ga., is the guest of Miss Josephine Wickes, High street. Miss Wickes has recently returned from a protracted visit to friends in the south.

Mrs. Todd, of Preston, sister of Mr. T. R. Hubbard, and Mrs. Hubbard, of Easton, mother of Mr. Hubbard, have been visiting Mr. H. at his pretty home on High street.

Mrs. Marcia Shafer, of Baltimore, has been visiting Mrs. Albert Groves, Pomona.

Mrs. J. W. Trout, of Elizabeth City, N. J., has been the guest of friends in Chestertown and vicinity.

Miss Virina D. Krusen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Krusen, of Still Pond, has graduated with great honor to herself from the Homœopathic Hospital, Wilmington, as a trained nurse. Miss Krusen is peculiarly fitted to discharge the duties of the noble profession into which she has entered.

FROM THE CLIFFS.

Oyster Thieves Raid the Boats of Tongers—Personals, Etc.

Last week was a good week for oyster thieves, and they made a raid all along the line. About seventy-five bushels were stolen from Lankford bay, about the same quantity from Corsica creek, about sixty bushels from the Bight, and fifty bushels from Quaker Neck wharf. The thieves in each case took the boats nearly to the middle of the river before taking the oysters out. Last week was a dull week, and many of the oystermen declined selling at the reduced price, and it thus happened that the oysters were in the boats. There is no clue to the thieves. The tongers are in an angry mood, and it would fare badly with any one undertaking the same game again. It is very hard for the men to lose their hard earnings in this way. One boat was taken from within thirty yards of Capt. Benny's police boat, which was lying near the Cliff wharf, but those on board had heard nothing during the night.

The new boat made one trip down the river and returned Friday. The crew are busy scraping the masts and cleaning up.

Oysters got as low as forty cents last week, but later in the week raised again to fifty-five cents, at which price they stand with a good prospect of a raise.

Holiday White has moved into the house lately vacated by Capt. Craynor, on Cliff road.

Mr. Levi Fiddis, of Baltimore, is visiting friends in Quaker Neck.

Freeman Fiddis, while plastering a house, had a handful of lime fall in his face, a good deal of it in one of his eyes, and notwithstanding the pain, said bad words according to the occasion. HIVER.

CIRCUIT COURT NEWS.

The Gibson Damage Suit Decided.

THURSDAY.

The Gibson damage case, full particulars, evidence, ect., of which were given last week, was given to the jury at 10 o'clock, and they retired to the jury-room.

The case of Edgar H. Strong against Thomas A. Hudson was then called. This was a case in which Strong sued Hudson for obstructing a right-of-way across his (Hudson's) farm to the public road. Serious trouble came near resulting from the controversey between the parties before the case was carried into court. Hudson claimed that the old and legal right-of-way was over another part of the tract. Jury trial. W. W. Beck for Strong; J. A. Pearce and L. W. Wickes for Hudson.

FRIDAY.

Judges Wickes and Stump on the bench. After having been locked up for nearly thirty hours, eating and sleeping in the jury room, the jury in the case of Gibson *versus* Commissioners of Chestertown, brought in a compromise verdict at 11.30 o'clock A. M. awarding $400 damages to the boy and $87.50 to the team. The members of the jury were widely seperated as to the amount of damages which should be awarded. Some were as low as $25, while others contended for $3,000, and it was only after much argument and comparison of evidence that the jury ever agreed. The amount of the award came as a profound surprise to many who had heard the evidence, some considering it excessive while others thought it a "righteous finding."

The evidence in the Strong-Hudson case was finished at noon and after argument by counsels the jury retired at 3 o'clock and returned a verdict and assessed the damages at $150.

SATURDAY.

Court met on Saturday with Judges Wickes and Stump on the bench. The case of the State against the Tolchester Beach Improvement Company charged with selling cigars and ice cream on Sunday was called. This case was watched with more than ordinary interest and a large number of persons crowded into the court room to hear the evidence.

Fred Gemmill testified that on a Sunday in August he bought a cigar in the dairy lunch room, but did not know from whom he bought it. Supposed it was an employee of the company.

Lemuel Stevens bought two cigars on Sunday the latter part of July from some one behind the counter in the dairy lunch, but did not know from whom he bought them.

George Gale had seen ice cream sold in the dairy lunch on several Sundays. He had run a man who was selling cigars in the dairy lunch on Sunday, off the grounds.

William Wagner had bought ice cream there on Sunday.

W. C. Ellason, president of the Tolchester Company, testified that about ten years ago he had paid the penalty of his ignorance of the Sunday laws by allowing cigars to be sold on Sunday at the Beach, and since then he had always given explicit instructions that nothing be sold in violation of law. Ice cream was always sold as coming within the scope of his license to keep a hotel and serve meals, and was sold upon the same principle that any other one article of a meal would be sold to a patron of the hotel, and the dairy lunch was only an annex to the hotel for the convenience of visitors not wishing full meals. Superintendent G. E. Noland employed all help.

Geo. E. Noland, superintendant, testified that he knew that it was contrary to law to sell cigars on Sunday and had always given emphatic orders that none be sold. He repeated these instructions from week to week because of an intense desire to keep strictly within the letter and spirit of the law. He knew of no violations of these orders.

Romie Ashley, who was employed in the dairy lunch, swore that he had never sold cigars to either Gemmill or Stevens on Sunday. He knew that it was contrary to law.

William Ashley, also an employee, testified that he had never sold cigars on Sunday to any one. He had special orders against it from Mr. Noland.

John Wilson also testified that he had been employed at the dairy lunch, but had never sold a cigar to any one on Sunday. He too had had special orders from Mr. Noland against it.

The case of the State against Wm. U. Scoone, charged with selling intoxicating liquor, was next called. Verdict, not guilty—the evidence being to the effect that the article sold, "pear cider," would not intoxicate. Hynson and Vickers for the defense. Slay for State.

MONDAY.

Isaac Freeman against Alick Brooks. Trial before jury to recover interest on the estate of his father. Judgment for $20 and costs, for plaintiff. Barroll for plaintiff and Smith for defendant.

State against John Long, col'd, charged with shooting George Wayman, at Mr. George Beck's, several weeks ago. Trial before court. Verdict, guilty. Sentenced to 4 years in penitentiary. Urie for Long and Slay for State.

State against Edward Willis, colored, charged with assaulting Officer Copper, of Chestertown, trial before court; verdict, guilty. Sentenced to 2 months in county jail. W. W. Beck for Willis and Slay for State.

State vs. Alonza Lloyd, colored, for larceny of watch. Verdict guilty. 12 months in house of correction. Trial before court. Beck for Lloyd, Slay for State.

Chas. Tilghman, colored, for assaulting Officer Copper. Verdict not guilty. Hynson for Tilghman, but in Mr. Hynson's absence H. W. Vickers appeared for Tilghman.

TUESDAY.

State against Walter Williams, colored, for larceny of set of harness from Mr. Enoch N. Roland. Verdict guilty. Eighteen months in the House of Correction. Trial before court. Barroll for Williams, Slay for State.

State against George L. Chrisfield, two indictments for selling liquor. Trial before jury. Verdict guilty, fined $300 and costs in each case. Vickers and Hynson for Chrisfield, and Slay for State.

State against Wm. Johnson, colored, for assault upon J. H. Robinson, at Still Pond. Trial before court. Barroll for Johnson, Slay for State. Verdict not guilty.

State against Joseph Jones, colored, for assault upon J. H. Robinson. Trial before court. Verdict, guilty, six months in House of Correction.

At about two o'clock, after a session of fifteen days, court adjourned *sine die.*

COURT LOCALS.

Dr. S. G. Fisher has been detained from his post as clerk of the circuit court for several days on account of sickness, but is now much improved. During his absence deputy F. H. Greenwood discharged the duties of the office most acceptably to the court and with great satisfaction to all concerned.

Justice Mathiot, who was charged with assisting a prisoner to escape from an officer, conducted his own case, questioned witnesses and made a first-rate lawyer. The justice secured his own acquittal.

The present session of court has entailed an unusual amount of work upon Judges Wickes and Stump. In addition to the regular day sessions it has been found necessary to hold night sessions in order that the great amount of business might be promptly disposed of.

States Attorney Slay caused a ripple of laughter in the court room last week by a very natural mistake. In questioning Mr. Wagner as to buying cigars at Tolchester, instead of asking whether he had bought *cigars* the State's Attorney inadvertently substituted the word *whiskey* for cigars.

The court gave no decision in the Tolchester case.

A new suit has been docketed in the Peacock-Cannan damage case.

FOOT-BALL NEWS.

The Baltimore *American* of Monday said: "Fully eight hundred people Saturday assembled at the lacrosse grounds, Druid Hill Park, to see the foot-ball game of the Baltimore City College against the Washington College team, but the Eastern Shoremen never materialized, and the result was that there were some expressions of bitter sentiment on the part of the crowd against the Washington College men. Captain Hopkins had his team out early after noon, and everybody fully expected to see the visitors. Naturally, the players and management of the City College eleven were somewhat put out at this sort of college spirit. In the college world nothing is considered so mean as for one college to 'cut' another in any contests whatever. Captain Hopkins thinks that the matter was a put-up job. The City College would have had an easy victory over Washington College, and this fact adds still more to the general disappointment. The action of St. John's College last week in not cancelling the game until too late to arrange another, coupled with this, rather gives the athletic departments of these institution a black eye.

The *American's* Annapolis correspondent said: "The attitude of the members of the Baltimore City College team, who appear to be attempting to cast slurs through the medium of the press at the St. John's and Washington College teams for not playing against them, is deemed by the men of this college to be neither fair nor just. The games were cancelled, as is well-known, for the reason that the B. C. C. team does not comply with the terms of the Inter-collegiate League, which requires all players to be bona fide students."

W. H. Stewart, Jr., who has been playing splendid foot-ball with the Baltimore City College eleven, suffered a painful sprain of the foot last week while playing a winning game against the Rock Hill College team. Mr. Stewart is one of the sturdiest handlers of the pigskin of the B. C. C. eleven.

The Still Pond foot-ball team was defeated on Saturday last by the Wilmington Conference Academy eleven, at Dover, by a score of 6 to 0. The game was close and interesting throughout, and though defeated, the Still Pond men put up a splendid game.

A. B. Burris, manager of the Washington College Team, writes to the *American* under date of Oct. 29: "I beg leave to say that the statement which appeared as coming from the City College team concerning a game of foot-ball between our team and that of Baltimore City College was in part, at least, false, since a satisfactory arrangement was never made for a game, and we both wrote and telegraphed on Thursday that we could not play, so that the Baltimore City College had no reason for misrepresenting us, and at the same time inducing persons to go out to Druid Hill Park to witness a game which they knew would not come off."

New Advertisements.

Mr. L. C. Justis, Jr., advertises in this issue a fine lot of dairy cattle at public sale on Thursday, Nov. 15.

Jennie Fennimore, of Locust Grove, advertises in this issue for a home as housekeeper.

Dr. Weaver, V. S., has an advertisement in this issue to which we call the attention of our readers.

A number of gentlemen near Still Pond advertise notice to trespassers in this issue.

DIED.

BACCHUS.—At her home in Brooklyn, N. Y., on Saturday Oct. 27th, Mrs. J. G. Bacchus.

HILL.—At the home of his cousin, Mr. S. J. Hill, Locust Grove, on Sunday, Oct. 28th, Mr. Thomas Hill, of general debility, aged about 68.

STRONG.—At her home in Edesville on Monday night, Mrs. Mary Strong, of consumption.

MASSEY.—At his home in Chestertown, about 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon, Mr. Henry T. Massey, aged 56 years.

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