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JANUARY 31, 1895.

The Supplement to the TRANSCRIPT this week contains Local and General News, and Advertisements from progressive and energetic business men.

JESSE ASH,
GALENA, KENT COUNTY, MD.

OUR SPECIALTY:
CHINA & GLASSWARE,
from England, France, Germany, Austria and America. Also
General Merchandise,
CONSISTING OF
GROCERIES,
Confectionery,
SATIONERY, TIN, WOODENWARE, ETC.
at prices that defy competition.

A call at my store will convince the people of my neighborhood, that for every dollar invested a full dollar's worth is received. A call solicited. Resp'y, etc.,
JESSE ASH,
d6-3m. Galena, Md.

JOHN C. DAVIS,
POMONA, MD.
—DEALER IN—
GENERAL MERCHANDISE
consisting of
Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Notions, Confectionery, Meats, fresh and salt, Flour by the barrel or sack. Canned Goods,
Drugs, Essences, Extracts, Etc.,
Prescriptions Compounded at all hours with neatness and care. Special low prices for choice
TOBACCO and CIGARS.
I am still leader in low prices on
FLOUR.
Gambrill's Celebrated "Orange Grove."
Goods are going low, not only for one season, but rock bottom prices will prevail during the entire year. I sell for Cash, and can afford to send first-class stock at lowest rates. I have a large
LINE OF DISHES,
which I am determined to sell at a sacrifice.
JOHN C. DAVIS,
Pomona, Md.

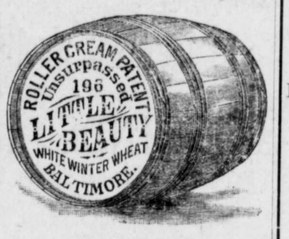
Comfort in the Kitchen
COOK STOVES!
RANGES,
and PARLOR HEATERS.
Largest and Finest Line ever before exhibited by us; all Sizes and Patterns.
PRICES LOWER than ever.
We can suit you in
Any Kind of Stove You Want.
Loading Guns & Ammunition
give you the BIGGEST BARGAINS in ...NS of any house on the Peninsula.
J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.,
1894. Chestertown, Md

CARPETS! CARPETS!
Wool Ingrains 52½ Cents.
Filling Ingrains 43 Cents.
Wool " " 35 Cents.
Ingrain 23 Cents.
MATS AND RUGS.
Cloths,
...om 1 yard to 2½ yards wide.
...ase bear in mind that we sell
FURNITURE!
Paper and Window Shades,
PRICES than you can buy the same ...any city in the Union.
PAINTS
...ity. The Paints we sell have no LOWER PRICES.
JOHN BARTLEY,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.
...rchanger Sent Anywhere.

...N'S OLD STAND
...LL POND, MD.
...ing and Embroidering
...PECIALTY.

...t will be very moderate.
...NG IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.
Furniture Repaired and Up... people of this county I would ...ess placed in our care will receive careful attention.
...'S HEADQUARTERS"
Still Pond, Md.

THE MOST RELIABLE STORE AT COLEMAN'S.
The people of this neighborhood are fully convinced that at COLEMAN'S GENERAL STORE, where is kept a full line of
Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots & Shoes,
they can make their purchases with the knowledge that they get full value received for every dollar spent. During this month we are closing out many goods at Low Prices in order to reduce our stock.
CHRISTMAS GOODS Will be Displayed at Rock Bottom Prices,
and a call will convince all that we can save them money.
THE CHOICEST BRANDS of FLOUR,
such as Oak Grove, Crown Prince, Snow Flake, by the bag or barrel, at prices that can't be beat. Respectfully, etc.,
W. J. COLEMAN,
23, 1894. COLEMAN'S, MD.

DO YOU NEED
A Barrel of
FLOUR?
If so, try a Barrel of
Our Little Beauty
Pure, Wholesome, White.


Cash Price $3.40 per Barrel.
TURNER & SON,
Jan. 24, 1894. BETTERTON, MD.

Clover
—AND—
Timothy
SEEDS
NOW ON HAND.
Write for Samples,
—OR—
Examine our Stock before buying.
Terms Cash.
Turner & Son,
BETTERTON, MD.

MEDFORD T. PORTER, STILL POND,
The RELIABLE BLACKSMITH
OF THIS NEIGHBORHOOD.
Our prices for all kinds of BLACKSMITH WORK, Wagon Building and Horse Shoeing, will compare with any in the county, and to those who desire work of this kind done, we will convince them that our prices are in keeping with the hard times. Give me a call and be convinced that I advertise only what I can do.
Horse-Shoeing 75 Cents for the Cash.
Respectfully,
Dec. 13, 1894. MEDFORD T. PORTER, STILL POND, MD.

AT THE OLD STAND!
* G. W. COVINGTON *
offers the Greatest Inducements to CASH Buyers.
Dry Goods, Hosiery, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Nails, Stoves, Glass and Chinaware will be closed out at immense Bargains.
A New Stock of Christmas Confectionery, Nuts, Fruits, Crackers, Cakes, Tobacco, Cigars. Toilet and Laundry Soaps, Whips, Horse and Poultry Powders, Pure Drugs, Perfumeries, Flavoring Extracts, Spices, Oils Paints and Stationery.
A GRAND CIGAR 25 CENTS A BOX. TOBACCO 25 CENTS A POUND

HARNESS,
COLLARS, BRIDLES, BACK-BANDS, TRACES, HALTERS, BLANKETS, ROBES
HARDWARE,
FORKS, SHOVELS, SPADES, NAILS, BOLTS, AXES, CURRY COMBS AND BRUSHES, SKATES, SLEIGH BELLS, TINWARE, CUTLERY, AGATEWARE.
TOBACCO AND CIGARS, SNUFF.
STYRON FENCE—Poultry and Farm. SOUTH BEND PLOWS.
Jan. 17, 1894. WM. PARR, Still Pond, Md.

MELITOTA TO THE FRONT!
M. M. RASIN,
—DEALER IN—
General Merchandise,
is determined, during the month of December, to make sweeping reductions in his general line of goods in order to reduce the stock. No store in the county carries a more complete line of goods, consisting of
Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes
AND GENERAL NOTIONS.
EXTRA.—Being an advertiser of facts, I do not propose to misrepresent a single article in my store, and those who favor me with their patronage will be fully convinced that a dollar's worth of goods from this store will equal $1.25 elsewhere.
CHOICE BRANDS OF FLOUR BY THE BARREL OR SACK,
AND AT PRICES THAT WILL ASTONISH ALL
Give me a call and be convinced. Resp'y, etc.,
M. M. RASIN,
Dec. 13, 1894. MELITOTA, MD.

JOHN MEDDERS
KENNEDYVILLE, MD.
Wheelwrighting
—AND—
Blacksmithing
IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.
The firm of Shafer & Medders having dissolved, I have opened business near the Presbyterian Church, where I shall be pleased to see my friends and the community at large. High prices will cut no figure at this establishment, and all kinds of work entrusted to me will receive my personal attention at hard-time prices. Special attention given to HORSE-SHOEING.
I have on hand some fine
York Carriages and Daytons,
which must be sold. The price is no object, consequently the low figures put on them must close them out.
During the year of 1895 we propose to push our business to the front, and to those who favor us with their work we guarantee to save them money.
JOHN MEDDERS,
j10-'95. Kennedyville, Md.

MISS D. CROSSLEY'S,
STILL POND,
Fashionable Millinery Store.
The year of 1894 has passed, and I desire to thank the people of my neighborhood for their generous patronage. For the new year, 1895, I will make greater efforts to please those who deal with me, guaranteeing them low prices for every article purchased.
My Stock of Millinery
will be Better, Brighter and Cheaper than ever before, and an occasional reference to my advertisement will convince all that we speak only facts.
A call solicited.
j10-'95. MISS D. CROSSLEY.

DO YOU EVER VISIT BETTERTON?
The "Hotel Wilmer"
is the place for you to stop. Elegant Suppers 35c. while you wait for the boat. A comfortable home for families as well as for single ladies and gentlemen. The Table is always supplied with fish, crabs, fruit in season, and the best of everything the market affords. Make no mistake, and inquire for "Hotel Wilmer." Boarders by the week at moderate prices. Send for circulars and terms. Resp'y, etc.,
MRS. SARAH W. WILMER,
Dec. 13, 1894. Betterton, Kent Co., Md.

SOME FLOUR
—IS AS—
Changeable as the Wind,
—BUT.—
Lea's Flour
—IS—
Always Uniform.
You Can Buy
LEA'S FLOUR
—AT—
SAMUEL SHUSTER'S.
Everybody says Wheat and Corn is so cheap.
YOU
just ought to call on
Westcott & Dodd
—FOR—
Christmas Goods
if you want to find
LOW PRICES
in Table Linens Napkins, Stand Covers, Handkerchiefs, Lamps, Glassware. Fine line of Gloves, and the best Blankets ever sold for the money.
WESTCOTT & DODD.

Chester River Steamboat Company.
On and after January 7, 1895, weather permitting, the Steamer

EMMA A. FORD
will leave Chestertown at 8 o'clock A. M., Monday, Wednesday and Friday for Baltimore, stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Bogle's, Queenstown, Kent Island.
RETURNING, will leave Baltimore at 10.30 A. M. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
STEAMER B. S. FORD
will leave Centreville at 8 A. M., on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays for Baltimore, stopping at the landings on Corsica river, Jackson Creek and Rock Hall.
Leave Jackson Creek 9.30 A. M. Rock Hall 11.00 A. M.
RETURNING, will leave Baltimore at 10.30 A. M., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
GEO. WARFIELD, Pres't.

P. G. ASHLEY,
ROCK HALL, KENT CO., MD.
Shipsmith
and Oyster Tong Manufacturer
Twenty-five years of satisfactory work to the people. Our steel tongs excel any manufactured in the State, and are largely used by the oystermen of this Peninsula. Our prices are always right and satisfaction guaranteed.
Carriages Repaired Promptly.
Give me a call, Resp'y, etc.,
P. G. ASHLEY, Rock Hall, Md.

WM. H. PENN,
ROCK HALL'S POPULAR BARBER.
10 years in this place and satisfaction given always. Traveling men always ask for "Penn." The latest styles of hair cutting is my specialty. Ladies and Childrens Bangs trimmed. Everything clean, and conducted on business principles. If you want a first-class shave give me a call. Respectfully,
WM. H. PENN.

MRS. M. V. DAVIS,
GOLT'S STATION,
embraces in her stock a full and complete line of
DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Hardware, Tinware, Notions, Drugs, etc., and everything usually kept in a well-equipped general store. Our prices are LOW, and cash buyers will find it to their interest to give us a call. All kinds of Country Produce taken at highest market price. Note change of advertisement at different seasons. Resp'y, etc.,
MRS. M. V. DAVIS.
Jan. 24, 1895. Golt's Station

SNYDER'S SHAVING PARLORS,
ROCK HALL, MD.
HAVING located permanently in Rock Hall, I am prepared to do Shaving and Hair Cutting in latest styles. Trimming of Ladies' and Children's Bangs and Shampooing a specialty.
Music furnished for parties, etc.
Give me a call.
d6-y THOMAS L. SNYDER, Rock Hall, Md.

THOSE CANCELLED STAMPS.

Some Startling Figures Brought Out by the Cancelled-Stamp-Letter-Chain Matter.

The Edna Brown cancelled-stamp letters, have become a nuisance in every county in the State, and Baltimore city is a sharer in the misery of her rural neighbors. As to the real value of 1,000,000 cancelled stamps, a Baltimore philatist gives the following figures: He had sold 3500 for fifty cents, or at the rate of 1¼ cents a hundred. In large quantities he said that he could not get more than one-half cent a hundred, which would be at the rate of $50 per million.

Now, supposing every one to have kept the chain going until the fiftieth progression was reached, a Kent county victim has worked out the following startling figures from Edna Brown's innocent-looking little mathematical problem: Total number of letters, one septillion, seventy-six sextillion, eight hundred and forty-six quintillion, nine hundred and eighty-one quadrillion, five hundred and thirty-seven trillion, seven hundred and seventy-eight billion, eight hundred and eighty-three million, one hundred and fifty-five thousand, three hundred and seventy-two. (1,076,846,981,537,778,883,155,372.)

Postage, at two cents each, twenty-one sextillion, five hundred and thirty-six quintillion, nine hundred and thirty-nine quadrillion, six hundred and thirty trillion, seven hundred and fifty-five billion, five hundred and seventy-seven million, six hundred and sixty-three thousand, one hundred and seven dollars and forty-six cents. ($21,536,939,630,755,577,663,107.46.)

Estimating population of the world at fourteen hundred millions, each inhabitant would receive seven hundred and sixty-nine trillion, one hundred and seventy-six billion, four hundred and fifteen million, three hundred and eighty-four thousand, one hundred and twenty-seven letters. (769,176,415,384,127.)

A very interesting article on the uses of cancelled stamps, sent to us by a correspondent is forced out of this issue, but will be given next week.

Marketing Our Fruit.

Dr. John J. Black read an interesting paper at a recent meeting of the Horticultural Society of Delaware, on the culture, packing and marketing of fruits. He asked for the adoption of a rigid quarantine against disease and pests, and recommended an united effort of the fruit-growers to establish a uniform basis for horticulture. He offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, It is evident to the most casual observer, that the fruit interests of the Delaware and Chesapeake Peninsula are in a condition giving little profit and less encouragement to the producers. The cause of this condition being in the opinion of this society the retention of old methods of cultivation, packing and marketing, and the general neglect of the removal and absolute destruction of all diseased trees, parts of trees and bushes.

WHEREAS, By an adoption of modern methods we see a bright future for Peninsula fruit culture and with large returns to all engaged in the business, and a radical advance in the price of our Peninsula land. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the society recommend that the most radical measures be taken to rid this Peninsula of all diseased stock, and to prevent its importation thither; and we do most emphatically recommend to all growers, strict attention to detail in all their business; that they make a radical change in marketing, reducing the size of packages when necessary; that they use very generally the California methods and keep out of the market, especially in seasons of plenty, all products below the better grades; that by marketing no prematures or imperfect fruit of any kind, do what we feel sure will once more bring the business to a very profitable and paying basis, and bring happiness and wealth to our people.

Cold Years.

The recent cold days set the people to thinking of the coldest weather of last year, the year before and as far back as they can remember. Here are, in addition to those cold "spells" they can recall, some that have been recoined for prosperity: 1641—Chesapeake bay frozen over. 1717—Feb. 19-24, great snow, greatest ever known, in New England. 1764-5—Navigation in the Delaware obstructed by ice from December 27 until February 28; Eebruary 7, an ox roasted whole on the ice at Philadelphia; March 28, snow fell two to two and one-half feet deep. 1796-7—Delaware closed December 23; Susquehanna closed December 6; January 10, as cold weather as remembered in fifty years. At South and West extremely cold. 1797-8—Winter long and cold: Hudson river closed in November; Delaware frozen over December 1, open again February 5. 1799—Cold weather in spring; ice April 20; frost June 6. 1803—May 7th, ice; on the 8th a snow which broke down the poplars and other trees in leaf. 1829-30—Hudson river at Albany closed January 11, (1830) and from ice again March 15. 1830-1—Winter very cold at Southwest; ice formed at New Orleans. 1835—Feb. 8, thermometer fell below zero over the country north of Savannah; Long Island sound was closed by ice; coldest weather since 1779-80. 1843—March was the coldest month of the winter of 1842-3; snow 15 inches deep in Georgia. 1852—East river at New York crossed on the ice January 30 and for three days following: Susquehanna at Havre de Grace frozen over for seven weeks; cold and snow as far south as New Orleans and Jacksonville Fla.

Cycle News.

Mr. J. H. Sides returned from the New York bicycle show on Monday, and says that such an array of splendid wheels has never before been seen in America, or possibly elsewhere. Among other novelties exhibited was a safety weighing but eight pounds. But the most marvelous of the many wonders of the cycle world was a monocycle. It is a large wheel with pneumatic tire. The spokes are curved outward so as to give the rider his seat in the plane of the tire under the centre of gravity of the wheel. To steer, the rider leans to this side or that with the desired result. The axis is in front of the rider and gears with the sprocket-wheel between his feet by means of a chain.

There is little doubt that the Chestertown Cycle Club will have a spring meet, and give an interesting series of races and exhibitions. The club now has 32 members, within 8 of the constitutional limit of membership.

Chestertown has 5 agents for the sale of bicycles; J. H. Sides, the Majestic; R. S. Thomas, the Rambler; F. M. Miller, the Columbia; H. C. Emeric, Keating; C. S. Smith, the Stormer.

PHILOMATHEAN DAY.

The Pleasant Anniversary of a Flourishing Literary Society.

On Saturday evening last, the Philomathean Society of Washington College held its annual "spread," to which were invited the faculty, the ladies of the Pierian Society and the families of Mr. W. J. McFeely and Mr. Willard Melvin. The society received its guests in the college chapel, and after an hour spent in pleasant conversation, all repaired to the dining hall, where cream, ices, fruits and confectionery were served. The room had been tastefully decorated with palms and evergreens, and presented an unusually attractive appearance.

The historic "feast of reason and flow of soul" was by far the most delightful feature of the occasion. Mr. W. C. Brown, president of the society, acted as toastmaster, and after welcoming the guests in most appropriate and cordial terms, proposed the following toasts: "The ladies," responded to by Mr. R. J. Nicholson; "College recollections twenty years after," by Prof. J. R. Micou; "The base-ball club," by Mr. S. R. Douglas; "The Faculty," by Mr. H. V. Holloway; "The Pierian Society," by Miss May Matthews; "The Birth of the Philomathean Society," by Mr. Richard Merrikin; "Washington College," by Mr. Chester Coursey; "The Future of our Society," by Mr. E. R. McDorman; "College Athletics," Prof. E. J. Clarke; "College Sports," Mr. E. H. McCabe; "Society Work," by Mr. J. M. White; "The Fraternal Side of Literary Societies." Dr. C. W. Reid. The speeches showed most marked improvement over those delivered on a similar occasion a year ago. Miss Matthews was particularly complimented on her neat and most admirably delivered speech, which gave eloquent evidence that the Pieria had made no mistake in the selection of its president. By special request Miss Hallie Toulson sung, "Won't You be My Sweetheart," crowning herself with merited honors, by the beauty of the rendition. The young gentlemen are to be congratulated upon having given one of the most pleasant and creditable entertainments given by a literary society at the college in many years, and the anniversary of 1895 will doubtless long remain conspicuous as one of the most delightful and successful occasions in what we hope may be a long and useful life.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds for the transfer of real estate have been recorded during the month of January:

Richard D. Hynson, new trustee, to Wilbur W. Hubbard, tract of land in 3d election district. Consideration $5.00. Hope H. Barroll and M. deK. Smith, trustees, to Sarah C. Carter, lot of land in Chestertown. Consideration $325. Geo. W. Carter and Sarah C. Carter, to Wm. E. Jarrell, lot of land in Chesterville. Consideration $275. Alexander Williamson and wife, James A. Lambdin and wife, to Samuel Hines, 10 acres and 78 perches of land in the first district. Consideration $300. Sarah M. Usilton to Francis C. McCloskey, parcel of ground and improvements in Rock Hall. Consideration $75. James W. Rollison to L. C. Bristow, parcel of land with improvements in the village of Edesville. Consideration $300. Mary E. Ruth to Alphonzo Rasin, farm in second district known as the Garrett farm. $1.00 and other valuable considerations. Jos. H. Porter to Geo. T. Williams, in 3d. election district, farm. Consideration $9,375. Jas. C. Millikin and Chas. T. Westcott, trustees to Wm. J. Coleman, the Beckworth farm at Worton Heights. Consideration $1,350. Janet Hall and John Hall, to Thos. W. Eliason, land and improvements known as Hall's Hotel. Consideration $4,500. Sarah E. Cosden to John Leigh, Jr., parcel of land at Betterton. Consideration $400. Thos. J. McWhorter and Martha J. McWhorter to John E. and Georgia A. Woodall, parcel of land in Millington. Consideration $700. J. T. Twilley and Annie M. Twilley, to Perry H. Landon, lot of land on Princess street, Chestertown. Consideration $250. Jas. A. Pearce, trustee, to Thomas Jackson, of Wilmington, farm in first district. Consideration $4,768. James H. Cotton and others, to Benjamin Rasin, parcel of land in 3d district. Consideration $204. Silas Thompson and Hannah Thompson, to Jos. H. McChesney, tract of land in first district. Consideration assumption of mortgage.

STILL POND NEWS.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Sleighing seems to be the feature of the day here since the snow of Monday night. Quite a number are taking advantage of it.

Guiding Star Lodge I. O. G. T. at its last meeting elected the following officers for the quarter commencing Feb. 1st: Chief Templar, J. Benj. Krusen, Vice-Templar, Katie Howard; secretary, F. B. Daulton; Marshall, Samuel G. Roseberry; finance secretary. Mira Crewe; treasurer, D. A. Crossley; Chaplain, Angie Rasin; guard, Robert Hill; sentinel, Lizzie Rasin; organist, Prof. William Watts. These officers will be installed next Monday evening by State Deputy, G. C. T., Wm. H. Krusen. The installation will be in a measure public, each member inviting one guest. After the installation a literary programme will be given, after which oysters will be served in abundance.

The Epworth League was led by Joseph W. Harper, on last Sunday evening.

The Good Templars have given up the idea of going to Millington with the drama, entitled "The Turn of the Tide."

The evangelist, Rev. Mr. Galloway, has been engaged to conduct a revival meeting at Betterton.

About one hundred and twenty persons enjoyed skating on Serverson's pond last Monday afternoon. No doubt this pond is one of the finest places for skating in the county. Being situated between four high and wood-covered hills, it thaws very little during the day. It is about one-half mile long, and extends to the noted pond from which our little town takes its name. Racing and games at Blackman, shinnie, etc., are enjoyed by all.

Miss Annie Roeder will conduct the prayer-meeting services of the Epworth League next Sunday evening. X. Y. Z.

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SOCIAL ROCK HALL.

THE CHESAPEAKE GLEE CLUB'S DANCE A SPLENDID SUCCESS—THOSE WHO ATTENDED, ETC.

[REPORTED FOR THE TRANSCRIPT.]

Last Thursday night, the Knights of Pythias' hall was comfortably filled by many ladies and gentlemen who gathered in response to invitations sent them by the Chespeake Glee Club, of Rock Hall. People from every section of the lower district assembled at about 8.30 o'clock and danced to the delightful strains of music until 2.30 in the morning, at which time all took their departure for home, feeling certain that the first dance under the club's management was a grand success. The Chesapeake Glee Club was organized about eight months ago, and is mostly composed of young men who try to get as much pleasure out of life as the average young man is entitled to, consequently those who attended spent a pleasant evening, while the club members did not get left. Among the young ladies who seemed to enjoy the dance and who so gracefully glided over the smoothly waxed floor were Misses Hallie Lambert, Bessie Satterfield, Mary Hersch, Ella Somers, Annie McKivitt, Lulu Webb, Gertie Boulter and Rilla Downey. Aside from these were Mrs. Lottie Whaland, Mrs. M. Ashley, Mrs. A. Durding, Mrs. B. Goodman Mrs. R. Crouch, Mrs. G. Whaland, Mrs. B. Clarke and Mrs. Harry Hudson. Fancy dancing was indulged in during the night, and the gathering was highly entertained by a triple clog by Messrs. Alonza Whaland, Jacob Urie and Capt. Frank Satterfield. Mr. George Ashley in trying to secure a high collar for this occassion, through a mistake used one of his laundried cuffs and never discovered his mistake until he nearly suffocated after the first waltz. Sam Keating in trying to carry off the first prize, used a horse collar white-washed. Mr. Romie Wagoner posed as a wall-flower, while Will Gale spent considerable time drinking lemonade on the sly. At midnight a splendid variety of cake and lemonade was bountifully served by members of the club who acted as waiters. Prof. Eugene Wilson and Frank Ayres furnished the music and deserve much praise for the prompt manner in which they responded to the frequent calls for the lancers, another waltz, etc. Among the gentlemen present were: Messrs. F. Satterfield, Clarence Greenwood, Charlie Middleton, Gus Ayres, Bliss Somers, John Frazier, Clarence Kendall, H. Taylor, Will Taylor, Jos. Taylor, Alonza Whaland, Eum Blackiston, Geo. Ashley, Geo. Lambert, Frank Hortman, Sam Keating, Jno. Walmsley, Charles Baker, James Baker, Sam Porter, Chas. Sewell, Thos. Wallis, George Kendall, Kendall Urie, Frank Kerr, John Wood, Jacob H. Kendall, John Goodman, Harry Watkins, Louis Sheets, Will Clarke, Robt. Gears, Morris Willson, Jake Urie, Elmer Stevens, Nathan Satterfield, Bennett Willson, Frank Urie, Wash. Atkinson, Wm. Gale, Thos. Judefind. Chestertown, R. W. Shelton.

MILLINGTON LOCALS.

Messrs. W. B. Richardson and J. R. Numbers, of Aberdeen, Md., under the firm name of Numbers & Richardson, have leased of Messrs. Armstrong & Co. a part of their cannery, where they will begin at once butchering all kinds of live stock, such as cattle, calves, sheep and hogs, and ship to Philadelphia markets. They also deal in poultry and in all kinds of country produce.

For several days during the past week, skating has been very fine on the mill pond, and a number of ladies and gentlemen have enjoyed the sport. The ice was said to have been better than for several years. Sunday, a party of men were on the ice, and one young man in skating too near an air hole, broke through and was pulled out of the water with difficulty by friends. The water was very deep where he fell in. The snow will put a stop to the sport.

Rev. G. W. Burke, who has been confined to his room the past two weeks with erysipelas, was able to fill his pulpit Sunday, but is confined to his room again, suffering a relapse.

Dr. J. C. Hackett has fitted up the room at the rear of his drug store very comfortably as a consulting room and private office, and is always glad to see his Crumpton friends.

Miss Julia Cacy is visiting friends and relatives in Baltimore.

Prof. G. W. Burke, Jr., of Wilkesbarre Business College, left Friday for his home, after a short visit with his parents.

Mrs. D. James Hall is visiting relatives in Wilmington, Del.

Miss Winnie Price, of Cecilton, Md., is visiting Miss Willie Moffett.

Rev. E. W. Burke, of Hamburg, Pa., is spending a few days with his parents.

Miss Lelia Talbott, of Baltimore, is visiting her mother, on Cypress street.

Miss Rose Smith, of Harrington, is visiting her brother, Mr. J. L. Smith.

Mr. Jas. R. Jones has moved from his farm into his comfortable new home on Cypress street. His son William stays on the farm. Y.

Locust Grove Notes

Mrs. L. Rutter, widow of the late Wm. Rutter, died Monday morning, after an illness of only a few days. The deceased leaves several children, all of whom are grown.

The M. E. Church will hold its missionary anniversary next Sunday week, the second Sunday in February, if the weather proves favorable; if not, the following Sunday. All are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Hammond, of Delaware, is the guest of Mr. Jenks Webb.

Mrs. Airilee Hill and little daughter, Heighe, of Baltimore county, are on a visit to her father-in-law, Mr. Samuel Hill.

Misses Nettie and Ella Vansant have been spending a few days with Miss Clara Scotten.

The demand for liniment here rises and falls with every change in temperature. At this writing it is pretty strong. H. M.

—George Moon and James McDonald, arrested in Baltimore on November 18th, were brought over by Sheriff Dodd on Saturday, and lodged in jail for trial at the April term of court. The men were sailors on the dredge boat of which William H. Sanford, of Rock Hall, is captain, and Max Keil, cook, and were arrested for the larcency of a yawl boat, a lot of clothing, and $8 in money from Keil.

ROCK HALL HAPPENINGS.

ROAD IMPROVEMENTS—A YOUNG MAN'S EMBARRASSMENT—PERSONALS AND LOCALS.

The drowning of the colored man at the waste gates of Price's mill, near St. Paul's Church, last Sunday, brings to our mind the narrow escape which a young lady had at that place last fall. She was going to Chestertown on her bicycle and in crossing the gates one of the boards broke and came near throwing her and the wheel both in the water. If we are abliged to cross those gates, then the county should see that good stout boards are placed across there and nailed securely down and not simply thrown on as they are now. The county should make some provision for pedestrians who have to cross such places.

Mr. Bartus Wilkins and bride are visiting relatives and friends in Baltimore city.

Rev. Wm. B. Judefind, of the Baltimore Conference, has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. Wm. K. Judefind, of Edesville.

Our very efficient road supervisor has been looking after the interests of his people in the way of shelling the roads. Mr. T. E. W., seems to know just where improvements are needed, and has had four teams busy all the week hauling and distributing shells.

One of our popular young men found himself in a rather sad plight one day this week. He, in getting out of his carriage, in some unaccountable way, tore his pants from the waist nearly to the bottom, and on reaching home found to his amazement that he had grown so stout, he could not get into another pair he had. He made his troubles known to the lady of the house, from whom he procured a needle and thread. He made use of it for a while, donned his long overcoat and boarded the first steamer for Baltimore where he gave some clothing store a nice order.

Burdette Lodge I. O. G. T., on Friday night elected the following officers for next quarter: C. T., Wesley Satterfield; V. T., Miss M. V. Hersch; C. G. Downey; S., Chas. S. Porter; F. S., Milton L. Maslin; T., Ed. Apsley; M., Elwood Kendall; G., Frank Downey; S., Wm. Williams; L. D., Jas. Apsley. These officers will be installed next Friday night.

Revival services at the M. E. Church have been well attended this week. On Thursday night Rev. Mr. Anderson, from Pomona, preached, and there were five penitents at the altar.

The uniform rank K. of P., propose having a sociable next Friday night. There will be speaking and vocal and instrumental music. They will also install their officers.

Mr. Jacob Calloway, who for the past 2 years has conducted a general store in the Ascher property, is very ill on Kent Island. Mr. Calloway went over on the Island to visit relatives and while there was taken with pneumonia. His brother-in-law, Mr. Toulson, came over from the Island and packed his store goods preparatory to moving them.

Hallie, the 10-year-old daughter of Capt. James Middleton, was given a surprise party by a number of her little friends, Thursday night. The little folks went in on the young lady all unexpected, but Mrs. Middleton, being equal to the occasion, gave them a warm welcome and made them all happy with plenty of ice cream, cake, lemonade and fruit, and at a suitable hour saw them all safely home. Among the number were the following young ladies and gentlemen: Ethel Boyer, Ada Middleton, Mary Boyer, Edna and Myrtle Judefind, Ruby Somers, Claudia Smith, Amy Middleton, Bertha and Della Jones, Delma Middleton, Eva and Alice Downey, Agnes and Lillian Smith, Ethel Taylor, Myrtle and Maurice Durding, Katie and Carrie Akers, Cora, Maud and Hallie Middleton, Ada and Elmer Jones, Preston Smith, Irven and Olin Ashley, Charlie Ayres Arthur Greenwood, Johnnie Somers, Ernest Hersch, Weldon Judefind and Charlie Andrews.

Our people are aroused over mad-dog... Scarcely anyone appears on the road without a stick or something with which to protect himself. To our knowledge there has been none seen yet, though it was reported that several had been k...

February Weather Forecast

Hicks, the weather man, says of February weather: Storms and storm tendencies during the last days of January and end on the Atlantic about February 3rd and change to colder. About 5th and 6th, return to storm conditions. Continuation of storms over the 7th with only slight modifications into regular storm period running from 9th to 13th. Watch the full moon period for severe storms. The rains will turn to snow and a cold wave of dangerous intensity and magnitude will rush over the land. About the 17th and 18th, a general change to warmer, followed by storms, will take place. A cold dash will follow, but it will grow very warm about the 20th and 24th. General cold will prevail over most parts of the country from about the 25th to 27th. The month will end growing warmer, with reactionary storm forces beginning in the West.

A Prominent Colored Couple Married.

A pleasant coterie of friends and relatives assembled at the cozy home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Butler, near Rock Hall, to witness the marriage ceremony of their daughter, Miss Ella C. Butler, to Mr. Hiram Gross, on Wednesday evening, January 16th, Rev. L. E. Toulson officiating. The bride was attired in pink satin, cut steel buckles, while neatly encircling her brow was a wreath of orange blossoms, while the bridal veil hung in graceful folds. The groom was dressed in the conventional full-dress black. After the ceremony, amidst the congratulations of many friends, the happy party repaired to the dining hall, where they partook of the sumptuous repast; and in the wee small hours of the night, the participants repaired to their homes highly pleased, while the pastor's heart was made happy by the munificent fee increased from the customary proportion by the groom's liberality. The happy pair will reside at the new home of the groom, which he has purchased in Rock Hall. We wish them long life and happiness.

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