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LOCAL MATTERS.

Appointments Made.—The board of county commissioners on Tuesday made the following appointments: Trustees of the Alms House, C. A. Leary, Jesse B. Copper; Keeper of Standard of Weights and Measures, James W. Roe; Wharf Agent at Chestertown, Capt. J. H. Thompson.

A Carrier Pigeon.—Mr. A. H. Jester, on Sunday caught a wing-weary carrier pigeon in his yard. The bird had evidently made a long flight as its wings were badly worn and beaten. On its leg was a silver band marked N. A. 45895. The bird was so exhausted that it made no effort to escape capture.

Old Mallalieu's Mill Running.—The whir of spindles and the buzz of machinery are again heard in the old "Unicorn Mills" near Millington. Superintendant Gambrill brought down several expert operators last week to instruct the new employees and fires were started in the furnaces. It is expected that the mill will be in full blast the latter part of this week and the manufacture of the finer fabrics will commence.

A New Ice Plant.—Mr. Robert G. Nicholson has sold his old ice plant machinery to Mr. William R. Armstrong, of near Wye Mills. The plant will be put in and operated in Centreville. Mr. Nicholson has purchased a new plant with a ten ton capacity, or a trifle over twice that of the old plant. Arrangements are about completed and the work of putting the new machinery here will soon commence.

Real Estate Sales.—Hope H. Barroll, as attorney named in mortgage, on Tuesday sold the Buckingham farm of 119 acres, to Mr. Jacob B. Crowding for $2,425. The property was sold under mortgage from Simeon Davis and others to Mary E. R. Moffett. Mr. Carson Harris has purchased the Geikie or Kennard Point farm, located between Still Pond and Churn creeks. The price is stated as $10,000. This is one of most beautifully located properties in the county.

A Political Problem.—The Transcript's Lankford correspondent sends up a remarkable political problem, and one of more than ordinary interest at this time. South Side says: "If those who are fond of figuring and have curiosity enough to work out the following they will find when Messrs. Beck, Hatcherson, Noland, Keyser and a few other good democrats will be elected. Take your age, multiply it by two, add 3798, divide the result by 2, subtract your age and you have it. Come again, Mr. R."

Branch Building Loan Association.—Mr. Alexander Erskine, Jr., has established a strong branch of the Prudential Building Loan Association of Baltimore, at Worton Station. The officers are: president, E. C. Bowers: vice-president, B. F. Rash; secretary, J. W. Carter; treasurer, A. S. Turner, attorney, Wm. W. Beck. Board of directors; George W. Rash, Samuel Mann, T. R. Toulson, Chas. Boyles, A. N. Staveley, B. F. Rash, J. W. Carter, A. S. Turner; N. B. Gears and E. C. Bowers. Appraisers; A. N. Staveley, G. W. Rash and Charles Boyles. This is one of the strongest branches in the county.

The Law Invalid.—Judge George M. Sharp, of Baltimore, has ruled that the act passed by the last Legislature which provides that dairymen supplying milk to cities, towns and villages in the State shall register their herds with the live stock sanitary board, is null and void. The law also made it a misdemeanor not to comply with certain orders of the live stock sanitary board, and not to keep the stables in the condition required by the act. Dr. G. Allen Jarman was the authorized general inspector within the territory embracing Sudlersville, Church Hill, Chestertown, Rock Hall, and had about completed his work, finding the stables and surroundings of premises of all persons furnishing milk to be in good condition.

Chestertown is Fortunate.—"According to the Chestertown Transcript, the ladies who have organized an improvement association in that place are liable to be confronted with a large field for their labors. It maps out some work for them to do itself, suggesting the need of a street sprinkler and the removal of the old engine house from its present site on one of the beautiful squares of the town to a less conspicuous place. Like as not the ladies will not only have the engine house removed, but a better one built. The influence of such associations in other places has been of great advantage. Chestertown is fortunate in having a body of women who have not only imbibed the spirit of civic pride themselves, but are helping others to do so.—*Baltimore Evening News.*

The Street-Sprinkler.—The principal work done at the meeting of Chestertown Ladies Improvement Association on Thursday, was a thorough discussion of a street-sprinkler. Investigations are now being made as to the cost of apparatus and the system employed in other towns where sprinklers are in use. The ladies have taken hold of the matter with a determination to do away with the summer dust nuisance in Chestertown if possible (and with them most things seem possible). A report will be forwarded by Prof. Thomas D. Bowers as to the system used in St. Michauls, one of the most hustling and up-to-date towns, not only on the Eastern Shore, but in the State. Several prominent gentlemen have volunteered substantial contributions and it is hoped that the matter will be most favorably received by all.

A Sad Sequel.—The sequel to the short history of Texas Typo in this section is an extremely sad one. Texas Typo was the young Texan tramp who came to Kent, homeless, penniless, and to a great extent friendless. Honest, enthusiastic and educated, he published a little paper on the Transcript's presses, was given work in the Transcript composing room and was kindly treated by some of those with whom he was thrown. He talked but little, only stating that he had been wandering from post to pillar for seven years; that he was the son of a minister of good circumstances, had been educated and that his home was in Texas. He left Chestertown and went to Easton where he issued the fourth number of "Tramp Texas Typo's Troubles." A few weeks ago his mind succumbed to the strain made upon it and a brain of more than ordinary brilliancy became a hopeless wreck. As stated in the Transcript, his father, a prominent minister, and his brother, a teacher in a Texas university, located the wanderer several weeks ago. They came on recently to Easton and have placed the unfortunate young man in a private asylum at Catonsville, Baltimore county. Those who knew Texas Typo best, best realize the pathetic phase of the sequel to his aimless wanderings in quest of a something which even he never knew.

Repairing Bridges.—A repair train on the B. & D. B. Railroad came down on Monday bringing pile-driver and other equipments for the repair of bridges on the road. The bridge at the Strawboard Mill and all of the other bridges will be given a thorough overhauling and put in first-class condition.

Cows With Rabies.—A prominent farmer near Galena, last week lost his sixth cow with rabies since last fall. Last fall a dog belonging to the farmer went mad and bit one of his cows which afterward died of rabies. It is not known that any of the other cows and heifers were bitten but it is known that they licked the saliva from the mouth of the animal which was afterward affected. Dr. Jarman was called in on Saturday and found a fine young heifer hopelessly mad. She had been placed in a secure pen when the first symptoms manifested themselves, and when seen on Saturday was in a frenzy. At the sight of any one near the pen or of any moving object the maddened animal would make a frantic dash toward the object. Dr. Jarman advised that she be killed as the trouble had developed to a point when treatment was impossible.

A Sad Death.—A death of peculiar sadness occurred at Galena on Tuesday morning. Mrs. Ella Parr, wife of Mr. Henry Parr, a prominent merchant of Galena, was found by her daughter, unconscious in the back yard of her home. She had gone into the back yard to get a bucket of water, but not returning the daughter went to look for her and found her mother unconscious on the ground. Dr. Pyfer was summoned and pronounced death directly due to the rupture of a blood vessel back of the head, caused by striking her head against a post of the porch in falling. The physician states that the fall in the first place was probably due to a stroke of apoplexy. It is supposed that she had lain in the yard about five minutes before being found by her daughter, Miss Ella. Mrs. Parr was about sixty years of age. Mr. Parr was in Chestertown at the time of his wife's death, having left her in the morning in apparently her usual health. Interment will take place to-morrow morning in the new cemetery at Galena.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Bits of News and Gossip Gathered Here, There and Everywhere.

† Friday, April 14th, will be observed as Arbor Day.

† Mr. Philip G. Ashley, of Rock Hall, has been granted a patent for oyster tongs.

† A sure enough country rabbit was seen sitting in the front yard of Mr. W. B. Copper, on Saturday morning.

† Mr. William Warram, about ten days ago caught the first shad at Betterton. Several were caught last week.

† The April weather is keeping peach buds in winter quarters to the great satisfaction of the fruit growers.

† Several of the wildgesse killed by Judge T. A. Jacobs last week were filled with eggs. The nesting place of the wildgoose is in Canada.

† The finely graduated government thermometer of M. deK. Smith, Esq., registered 28° on Sunday morning and 30° on Monday morning.

† Mr. J. Frisby Newcomb on Friday put the scraper on the notoriously bad piece of road on Washington Avenue and it is greatly improved.

† The first message over the new telephone line between Betterton and Hepbron Station, was sent by Mr. Howard Turner, on Saturday last.

† Profs. Johnson and Patterson will attend the meeting of the Still Pond Farmers' Club to be held at the home of Mr. James S. Harris, on Thursday, April 27th.

† A lot of lumber for the improvements at Tolchester and the carpenters came over on the Emma Giles Saturday with the first consignment of rails and cross ties for the miniature railroad.

† The dates for the Talbot County Fair have been changed to August 29, 30, 31 and Sept. 1. Col. Robert Hough, of Baltimore, has been engaged to start the races at Idlewild Park during the week of the fair.

† All fox hunters should read the Harford county foxhound story printed on the first page of this issue. It is copied from the Baltimore *Sun*. The renowned Munchausen is not "in it" with the Harford county writer.

† Mr. Geo. Hazel and family, of Colorado, who have been engaged in the cattle business for a number of years past, has sold his ranch and located near Millington, Kent county. Mr. Hazel at one sale sold $12,000 worth of cattle.

The Kent county schooner, Sarah E. Vickers, belonging to Capt. John Vickers, was blown from her anchorage inside of Lower Kent Point across Eastern bay and grounded near Wade's Point last week. The crew was gotten off in safety.

† The steamer Gratitude was placed on the Queen Anne Railroad Co's route between Queenstown and Baltimore, on Thursday morning. The Gratitude makes about ten minutes better time than the Endeavor. The Gratitude looks as pretty as an Easter bonnet.—*Queenstown News.*

† Referring to a mention in last week's Transcript, the Centreville *Record* says: "The Miss Mary Clarke who taught in this county some years ago is not the one murdered in Prince George county some days since, but is a native of Williamsport, Washington County, and is well known by many persons in this county."

LANKFORD NOTES.

Eds. Transcript:—The past few days of fine weather have brought activity to our famers and mechanics. A great many peach trees have been taken up in this locality this winter and spring. Many farmers are plowing for corn. The farmers report the outlook for peaches as not so gloomy as at first stated; while many have been killed there are yet a good many live buds of some varieties.

Mr. Walter Strong has lost one cow and several calves the past winter, and Mr. Tilden Brice has one cow very sick.

Mr. Benj. Beck lost his valuable old farm horse last week, twenty-nine years old.

Messrs. Beck and Strong made their last ducking trip to the island for this season last week. They had little success however.

Mr. Wm. Warns, after having spent the winter with his brother-in-law, Mr. Emerson, has returned to his home in Cecil.

Miss Jennie Johnson, our popular school teacher, was confined to her home on Wednesday last on account of sickness, but resumed her duties on the following day.

Mr. Clifton Rasin, after having spent the winter in Baltimore, returned home last week.

Mr. George Bramble, while loading some farming implements into a wagon one day last week, got his hand caught and mashed it very badly.

Mr. Ed. Bramble and his corps of workmen are endeavoring to improve the roads by filling up some of the holes.

Those who failed to hear Rev. T. R. Van Iike, our much beloved pastor during the past year, at Bond Chapel last Sunday morning, missed a rare treat. We regret very much indeed to loose this good man, but our loss is anothers gain. SOUTH SIDE.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mrs. James A. Pearce has returned from her winter sojourn at the State Capital, and is now enjoying her beautiful home on the river. Judge Pearce spent Saturday and Sunday in town.

A theater party from Elkton, composed of Judge Pearce, Judge Martin, John S. Wirt, Dr. John H. Jamar, Heister Hess, Joshua Clayton, Dr. Stanley Steele, Albert Constable, Jr., and John G. Williams went to Wilmington last week to see John Drew and Isabel Irving in "The Liars."

Miss Mary Hurtt will attend the delightful operas in Baltimore this week, in which those queens of song, Mme Nordica and Mme Emma Eames, will sing.

Mr. Wm. B. DeCoursey, the popular clerk, has taken his old position in the large general store of Miller Bros., Rock Hall.

Mayor Charles F. Warwick, a brother of Mrs. Eben F. Perkins, completed his term as mayor of Philadelphia at noon on Monday.

Mr. Horace Constable, while riding horseback on Saturday was thrown and badly stunned. His horse slipped on a flag-stone at corner of High and Front streets.

B. F. Perkins, Esq., of Philadelphia, spent several days of last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Vickers, at Lauretum Place.

Miss Guion, of Newberne, N. C., is a guest of Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Roberts. Miss Mary Thomas spent Easter at the rectory.

On Monday evening Mrs. Allan Harris, Miss Rebecca Wickes and Mrs. H. M. Brown gave a small but delightful birthday entertainment to Mrs. M. C. Ringgold, at her residence. Mrs. Jervis Spencer and her household, and Judge Pearce's family were the invited guests. The room was beautifully decorated with potted plants, and at eight P. M. Mrs. Harris and Miss Wickes received Mrs. Ringgold and the other guests. Music, laughable games and conundrums were the features of the evening, and the halls rang with merriment. Later, bountiful refreshments were served. All agreed that they had never passed a more enjoyable evening.

A Chestertown beau enjoyed (?) an unexpected surprise several nights ago. Misses Belle and Lida Walbert, Mettie Fairlee, of Baltimore, are guests of Queen Anne friends, but visited friends in Chestertown on the evening referred to. The Chestertown gallant offered to escort the ladies home if allowed a choice of the party as a companion during the trip. This was granted, but when some distance on the way the double carriage in which were the ladies without an escort, broke down. The ladies refused to be left along the road at night unattended while he sought assistance, so it wound up in the Chestertown gallant making an improvised horse of himself and hauling the carriage about a mile on the journey home.

Mr. William Cadell, of Baltimore, spent the Easter holiday with his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Peregoy, on Mill street.

Miss Jean Fenton, and Miss Edith Boggs, of Baltimore, and Miss Katharine Keyser, of Chanceford, Pa., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hubbard.

Mr. M. P. Hubbard and Mrs. Hubbard, accompanied by their three children, have been guests at the home of Mr. Hubbard's brother, Mr. T. R. Hubbard.

MASQUERADE PARTY.

The young ladies and gentlemen of Locust Grove attended a masquerade party at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Medders, on Friday evening, March 31st. All enjoyed themselves very much and departed about midnight. Refreshments were served about half-past ten. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John B. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Kelley, Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Pyfer, Mrs. H. P. Kelley, Misses Blanche Sutton, Mabel and Laura Price, Mamie and Etta Chrisfield, Lulu Covington, Clara Scotten, Fannie Bramble, Hettie Hill, Ellen Medders. Messrs. C. S Hill, Thos. Wiltbanks, Wm. Dukes, Carl and Elmer Price, Robert and Preston Shallcross, Harry Scotten, Eddie Pennington, Eddie Bramble and Newton Sutton. Music was furnished by Profs. Medders and Bramble.

CHESTERVILLE NOTES.

A Remarkable Success in Sheep Raising.

Linda, daughter of Mr. Frank and Hattie Cranor, who was severely burned several weeks ago, is rapidly recovering. Mrs. Peter Stevens has been faithfully and carefully assisting by dressing her wounds.

Mrs. Mary Solloway and Mrs. Charles Cranor have returned after a lengthy visit to their relatives in Philadelphia and other places. Mrs. S. has a son-in-law, Mr. Robert Strahan, employed in a lucrative position at Cramp's shipyard.

Mr. Chas. G. Carey is visiting at his uncle's, Mr. E. C. Burris, in Philadelphia.

Two of our neighboring farmers are eminently successful in sheep husbandry. A few days ago we heard one of them say he had thirty-two thrifty lambs from nineteen ewes, the other nineteen from eleven ewes. Who can beat this?

Two dogs were found last week depredating on a flock of Mr. J. D. Burris' sheep, but before any very serious damage was done, only one lamb hurt, a well-directed shot, or rather two well-directed shots by Mr. Taylor, Mr. B.'s tenant, and there were two dogs less in existence.

Reports tell us that the peach crop is destroyed, or will be very slim, but we guess there will be plenty of blackberries and a "full crop of candidates." A vast majority of them will find that their fond desires—their anxious expectations will fade and wither, not as the prophet's gourd in the night, but the blighting frosts will come sometime about the June primaries. As regards the office of sheriff, very favorable accounts have been given of the manner in which the young deputy has discharged his duties. Certainly, he deserves high praise and is entitled to the heartfelt thanks of all law-abiding citizens for his courageous act in arresting one of the most noted criminals in the county.

Some of the many heroes of this Cuban war, if it may be so called, said "there was glory enough to go all around." Pity offices are not so plentiful.

Mr. Spencer Comegys is the only farmer who has commenced ploughing that we have heard of in this community.

Mr. Thos. F. Hurlock has a beautiful field of wheat.

The Rev. J. Edgar Wilson has gone to his conference, which meets in Washington on the 5th inst. The reverend gentleman has acceptably filled his charge here and at Millington during the past year, and we suppose will succeed himself.

"Winter still lingers to chill the lap of April." The primary meaning of the word April we think, means "to open." From the way in which the wind has been blowing for several days past, does it have any reference to that old fellow spoken of in ancient mythology who had the wind confined in his cave and occasionally gave it full sweep to travel over the earth? His cave, judging by the temperature, must be located somewhere about the Arctic regions.

Mr. W. E. Jarrell's feed mill is in full blast every Tuesday, and his right-hand man, Mr. Enoch G. King, drives it to its full capacity, grinding about 60 bushels an hour.

Mr. John R. Howell is temporarily carrying the mail from this place to Millington. Mr. E. S. Jarman has faithfully made his trips, and was only knocked out for a day or two by the memorable blizzard of February. OCCASIONAL.

IN THE CHURCHES.

In the absence of Rev. J. M. Gill at conference, there will be no preaching in Christ M. P. Church on Sunday next. In the evening special exercises will be held by the Christian Endeavor Society.

The visit announced for Bishop Adams to this diocese has been postponed to a later date.

Dr. C. A. Grise and family left for their new home in Wilmington this morning.

The Cliff City correspondent says: "The appointment of Brother Vandyke to Cambridge made a vacancy in the presidency of the Mobray Epworth League. At the literary meeting on Wednesday night, J. D. Carter resigned from the 3d vice-presidency and was elected president of the League, and E. Y. O'Meara was elected to fill the 3d vice-presidency vacancy. The meeting was in charge of Miss Maggie Stratton, who read an article on the difficulties of collecting for charitable purposes. Miss Vertie Hadaway read part of an article on the Jewish Ritual of interest to Christians.

First Presbyterian Church, of Worton, Rev. K. M. Bull, pastor. Sunday school will be reorganized next Sunday, April 9, at 10 A. M.

Grace Presbyterian Church, of Kennedyville, Rev. K. M. Bull, pastor. Sunday school 2 P. M., preaching 3 P. M.

Rev. J. H. Dougherty and wife left Tuesday for conference. The farewell sermon was heard by a large audience on Sunday. Mr. Dougherty has resigned this charge and hopes to get a charge where his health will be better. He has had very poor health all the year.

At the Kennedyville Presbyterian Church appropriate Easter services were held. The church was handsomely decorated with potted plants. A large audience was present.

The Presbytery of New Castle, meets in the Rodney Street Presbyterian Church of Wilmington, at 2 P. M. April 18th.

The Easter services at Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal Church were of a most delightful character. Dr. S. C. Roberts preached a strong sermon from an appropriate text, and at night the children of the Sunday school rendered a musical programme of rare beauty. The music at the morning service consisted of beautiful anthems and other special music. The floral decorations, while less elaborate than on some previous occasions, were of striking beauty.

At the Methodist Episcopal Church, Dr. Grise preached an eloquent Easter sermon. He made only incidental reference to the fact that the Sunday evening sermon severed the relations existing between himself and the congregation with which he had labored so pleasantly and so long. The floral decorations were scarcely less beautiful than the specially prepared music rendered by the choir.

The congregation of Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal Church, gave their rector, Dr. S. C. Roberts, and Mrs. Roberts, a pleasant surprise on Tuesday evening. The larder was filled to overflowing with the substantial things of life, after which ice cream, ices and cake were enjoyed by all present.

The Epworth League of the Chestertown M. E. Church, will extend a general reception to Dr. Dodd, the new pastor of the church, on Friday (to-morrow) evening.

The memorial services commemorative of the beautiful life and inestimable services to humanity of Mizs Frances E. Willard, took place at the Chestertown M. E. Church on Monday evening. The programme as given in last week's Transcript was finely carried out.

Father McSweeny, conducted interesting services at Sacred Heart Church, consisting of Mass at 8.30 o'clock. Special music was rendered by the choir and the altar was beautifully decorated with flowers and plants. Mass, and an eloquent Easter sermon were the religious features at St. Johns, Rock Hall. Sweet music and beautiful flowers were also enjoyed.

FROM ROCK HALL.

On Sunday morning Rev. J. P. Outten preached to his Rock Hall congregation what is probably the last sermon they will ever hear from him. His removal to another church surprised his people here; they were very sure that he would be with them another year. The Sunday school was largely attended and several visitors were present. After its close Mr. Outten baptized Miss Mattie Louise Davis, and his own infant son, Granville Wylie. Many of those present seemed to find an added beauty in the always impressive ceremony. The church was thronged at night by appreciative listeners to the special Easter program, The Conquering King. The recitations were well rendered and the music was of a high order. A solo by Miss Clara Downey received great praise. Miss Nannie Taylor was organist and Messrs. Edgar Davis and Frank Ayers, cornetists.

At Wesley Chapel on Sunday morning snow flakes were driven against the window panes by the high winds while inside sat the worshippers amid blooming flowers, and offered praises to God for the resurrection of His Son. At night Rev. C. K. McCaslin delivered his final sermon before the close of the conference year. The ladies of his church will hold a festival at Edesville hall on Wednesday evening. Proceeds will be used to meet church expenses.

The Y social held at Miss Oneida Maslin's on Thursday evening was very enjoyable. After roll call came Scripture reading and prayer by the president, Mr. Edgar Davis. Several solos and selected readings were rendered, also a duet by Miss Lucretia Arthur and Mr. Edgar Davis, and a quartette by Misses Arthur and Maslin and Messrs Taylor and Davis. Cake, coffee, and chocolate were served as refreshments.

Mrs. Wm. R. Coleman, of Piney Neck, is extremely ill with lung trouble, and Mr. Charles Stevens, of Grey's Inn, is also quite sick.

Frank, the 19-year-old son of Captain Thos. Price, was handling a pistol last Saturday and accidentally shot himself in the left hand. The ball entered the fleshy part of the thumb and lodged near the base of the third finger. Mr. Price went to Baltimore on Monday to have the unwelcome pellet extracted.

While Mrs. Joseph Lewis, of Edesville, was driving to Chestertown on Monday, her horse took fright near Price's Mill at some hounds which it met and turned to follow them. Mrs. Lewis dropped one of the reins, and could not control the horse. The carriage was overturned and demolished. Mrs. Lewis and the children were thrown out and one of Mrs. Lewis' arms was broken near the wrist.

Mrs. Etta Leaverton is in Pittsburg, Pa., visiting her daughter, Miss Lillie Shaw.

The high wind of a week ago drove Messrs. Chas. Kelley and Thos. Hogans' schooners ashore. Oysters are scarce and it would scarcely pay to have a tug come to float them again.

"A word to the wise is sufficient" and a word from the wise should be sufficient, but you ask, who are the wise? Those who know. The oft repeated experience of trust-worthy persons may be taken for knowledge. Mr. W. M. Terry says Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives better satisfaction than any other in the market. He has been in the drug business at Elkton, Ky., for twelve years; has sold hundreds of bottles of this remedy and nearly all other cough medicines manufactured, which shows conclusively that Chamberlain's is the most satisfactory to the people, and is the best. For sale by M. A. Toulson, druggist.

THE FIELD OF SPORT.

WORTON'S GREAT DAY.

Washington College Ball Team Won Their First Game—Fine Shooting by Queen Anne and Caroline Men.

The Washington College base-ball team won their game with the Fulton Athletic Club, of Baltimore, on Saturday by a score of 7 to 2. This was the first regular game of the season, and the college men gave evidence of fine material in spite of the chilling wind which swept the diamond. Both teams showed lack of practice, but it soon became evident that the college men had points in their favor. After the first inning, however, when the local team made five runs, the game was snappy and interesting. Townsend, for the college men, struck out seven men and gave five men bases on balls. Hamilton, for the Fultons, struck out four and gave four men bases on balls. The college team took positions as follows: pitch, Townsend; catch, Marine; first base, W. Trenchard; second, Goldsborough; third, McDorman; short-stop, Burris; right field, Gumm; center, Wheatley; left, Clogg.

The *Journal* gives the following account of the second contest between the Queen Anne's and Caroline trap shooters, at Denton, on Thursday afternoon:

"One bird more for the Dentonians would have tied the score at the finish, as it was tied in the second, eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth and fourteenth rounds, and the visitors held a lead of from one to four in the intervening rounds. Two birds on each side fell dead out of bounds. The score was as follows:

QUEEN ANNE'S.	
Godwin,	1 1 2 1 0 2 1 2 0 0 1 1 1 1 2—12
Booker,	0 2 1 0 1 1 2 1 0 2 1 0 1 0 0—9
George,	2 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1—7
Taylor,	0 0 2 0 2 0 1 1 0 2 0 1 0 0 2—7
	35

CAROLINE.	
Bond,	2 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 2 1 1 0 1 0—11
Alburger,	0 1 0 0 0 1 2 2 0 1 1 1 1 0 0—8
Osborn,	0 2 2 2 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 1 1—8
Rice,	0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 2 0 2 0 2—7
	34

In a miss-and-out contest Taylor missed his third bird; George, his first; Osborn killed four straight: Alburger missed his first; Booker, his first; Bond killed four straight; George missed his second, on re-entry, and Booker his first.

Osborn led the score in a blue-rock shoot with ten straight; Bond 9, Alburger 7, George and Steele 6 each, and Taylor 3."

The following names for game wardens for Queen Anne were sent to the governor on Friday: S. S. Goodhand, Sudlersville; W. R. Newton, Sudlersville; Clement Porter, Church Hill; Bert Evans, Church Hill; L. P. Wright, Centreville; W. R. Collins, Centreville; Chas. Butler, Guy's; Marion Hunter and John Montague, Starr; Jere Godwin and L. R. McGuines, Crumpton.

Monday was a great day at Worton Station. Many sportsmen, candidates and politicians enjoyed an old-time field day. The chilling winds which fairly froze the blood in the veins of the sportsmen and unsteadied the nerves of some of the best marksmen at clay-pigeon shooting in Kent county, scarcely fazed the political fraternity. The old Worton fair-ground was itself again; the camp fires were bright and the political pot "biled, and biled till it sizzled over." As the old darkey would say, "there was some quar talkin and some quarer tie-ups in de wind."

Of the candidates H. W. Vickers, W. M. Slay, W. W. Beck, Charles L. Gill John Brice and Owen Keyser were on the ground. Messrs. James T. Ireland and W. T. Hepbron were conspicuous by their absence, but their interests were taken care of.

Among others present were: R. D. Hynson, L. W. Wickes, Josiah Massey, H. C. Willis, R. C. Smyth and many of the most prominent citizons of the county.

But how about the sports! Well, without any unkindly criticism, the shooting was not first-rate. The work was not up to the standard set by those crack shots, A. N. Staveley, Roby Toulson, Charles Boyles, Harry Nichols, H. C. Willis and Mr. Schofield, on many previous occasions. The shooters were just a trifle off, but taken all in all the occasion was a big success, about three hundred persons enjoying the programme.

Fine carriage whips were the prizes and the following were the winners Harry Nichols, Roby Toulson (2), Charles Boyles and Mr. Schofield. In a duet shoot between Messrs. John H. Aldridge and John Roland, of Chestertown, Mr. Roland won.

In a wheelbarrow race of seven contestants William Ivens, Jr., won.

The potato picking was a laughable feature, and two races were arranged. Walter Neall won the first and Lester Carter the second.

AT GALENA.

Galena was in no way backward in its observance of Easter Monday. The Galena Cornet Band opened the day's festivities by a parade at 2.30 o'clock, and gave the citizens a treat to fine music. After the parade a number of sportsmen and their friends repaired to Scott's field where a live pigeon shooting match was enjoyed, and some fine work with the gun was done. James Mulford brought down twelve straight birds, though one fell outside of bounds. L. R. Vansant got ten out of twelve birds. Others who shot were William Stradley, John Pennington, Woodlin Hurtt and others.

Of course candidates and politicians were out in force. Of the candidates present were noted Frank P. Cochran, William Steel, Samuel Todd and John McGugan. Messrs. Garrett Foxwell, Herman Ireland, J. Thomas Pennington and others interested in the general political situation were on hand. Some other prominent citizens and politicians were present whom the reporter fails to recall the names of. Taken all in all Galena had a big all-round day.

FROM WORTON.

Mrs. Archer Hepbron and two sons, of Baltimore, are visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Merritt, of this village.

Mr. Howard Johnson and son, Lou, have returned after having spent the winter in Philadelphia.

Miss Violet Moore, of Betterton, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Nellie Silcox.

Mrs. L. M. Smith, of Baltimore, has returned from a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. John A. Duyer, of Worton.

Misses Grace and Maday Gage, of Baltimore, spent the Easter holiday with the Misses Fowler, of Flatland.

Miss Blanche Duyer spent several days last week in Chestertown.

Mrs. John Silcox has returned from a pleasant visit to her niece, Mrs. Bertha Herzog, of Baltimore.

Mr. Wissinger, of Baltimore, has been visiting at the home of Mr. Daniel E. Jewell.

Mrs. Geo. Ashley, of Rock Hall, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cooper, of Worton.

Mrs. E. E. Hudson and son, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, at Kennedyville.

Rev. Mr. Ellis returned Monday only to leave us in a few days. Mr. Ellis suited us perfectly and it is with regret that we lose him. Rev. Mr. Jones, his successor, is an able preacher and we hope will please all as well as Mr. Ellis did.

A very enjoyable time was had at the home of Mr. Wm. Newcomb, near Flatland, on last Thursday. A very large crowd was present and a royal good time was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served in abundance during the evening. Among those present were noticed: Misses Grace and Maday Gage, of Baltimore; Misses Ada Barnett, Zoa Elliott, Florence Joiner, Messrs. Harry Barnett, Walter Sappington, Alfred Boone, Harry Barnes, of Chestertown; Miss Ruth Wood, Mr. Harvey Moore, Still Pond; Misses Blanche Duyer, Agnes Newcomb, Ida and Katie Fowler, Effie Lynch, Bessie and Nellie Ivens, Sallie Biglow, Virgie Matthews, Mamie Davis, Messrs. Willie Ivens, Stanley Matthews, Walter Hickman, Isaac Duyer, Harry Fowler, Frank Truitt, Sie Kiker, Harry Ivens, Lester Carter, Joe Duyer, Ellwood Fowler, Morris Bramble, and a great many others whom we do not recall.

The ladies of Worton Presbyterian Church, held a Box Social at the home of Mr. S. T. Newcomb on Monday evening. The Lunches all sold well, the highest however, sold for $1 10, which was the property of Miss Blanche Duyer.

On Monday afternoon several of the young ones took a horse back ride, but the dust was so thick it could not be enjoyed as they would otherwise have done. MADGE.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The large and popular clothing establishment of Moody & Lusby offer some good suggestions in this issue which should interest all prospective clothing buyers. Read what they have to say and call on them early.

The White Rose Minstrels, of Smyrna, Del., are booked to appear at Stam's Hall on Thursday evening, April 13th. The members of this company last winter gave the lovers of fine minstrelsy and good dancing an exhibition of what they can do. Their work was clean, strong, and of a professional order. The splendid welcome which the ladies and gentlemen of Smyrna have always accorded their Chestertown visitors should be remembered, and a full house should welcome this fine aggregation of minstrelsy and song.

Miller Brothers have adopted the sound financial principle of a cash basis in their extensive mercantile business at Rock Hall. They claim that the cash buyer and the cash seller are the business men of to-day who have most to offer in advantages to the people who deal at stores of whatever class or description. These gentlemen embody the whole matter in their announcement in this issue.

The Kings Daughter's of Emmanuel P. E. Church are arranging a delightful program of minstrelsy, song, and an elegant supper for the evening of Tuesday, April 18th. They propose making this an occasion of rare pleasure. Read their advertisement.

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At the Presbyterian parsonage, Kennedyville, Md., April 3, 1899, by Rev. K. M. Bull, James Franklin Harris and Lizzie Belle Powell, all of Kent county, Md.

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Order of Publication.

Edgar McJohnson
vs.
Willard J. Johnson, Susan E. Johnson, George S. Johnson, Mary J. Johnson, Martha E. Johnson.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity.

THE object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of certain real estate in Kent county of which Mary Ellen Johnson, late of Kent county, deceased, deceased, seized and possessed.

The bill further states that Mary Ellen Johnson, late of Kent county, deceased, was in her lifetime seized and possessed of a certain house and lot of land known as "The Gum Tree Lot," situated in the village of Millington, in Kent county; that having departed this life on or about the 5th day of December, 1885, intestate, her husband, James Johnson, surviving her, was entitled to a life estate therein, but recently the said James Johnson hath departed this life, whereupon his life estate closed, and upon the death in January, 1898, of the said James Johnson, the children and heirs-at-law of the said Mary Ellen Johnson became entitled to their interests as tenants in common, in and to the said house and lot of land.

And the bill further states that the following children and heirs-at-law were left by the said Mary Ellen Johnson, namely: Edgar McJohnson, Willard J. Johnson, Susan E. Johnson, all of them adults above the age of 21 years, and George S. Johnson, Mary J. Johnson and Martha E. Johnson, infants under the age of 21 years, and these are the only children and heirs-at-law of said Mary Ellen Johnson.

That a partition of said property among the parties entitled thereto according to their several interests as aforesaid cannot be made without material loss and injury to them.

To the end, therefore, that the real estate of Mary Ellen Johnson be sold for an equitable division among the aforesaid heirs,

It is thereupon, this 3d day of March, 1899, ordered by the Circuit Court for Kent county, as a court of equity, that the plaintiff, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in said Kent county, once a week for four successive weeks before the 10th day of April, 1899, next, give notice to the said non-resident defendants, Willard J. Johnson, Susan E. Johnson and Mary J. Johnson, of the object and substance of this bill, and warning them to appear in person or by solicitor on or before the 27th day of April next, to show cause, if any they may have, why a decree ought not be passed as prayed.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

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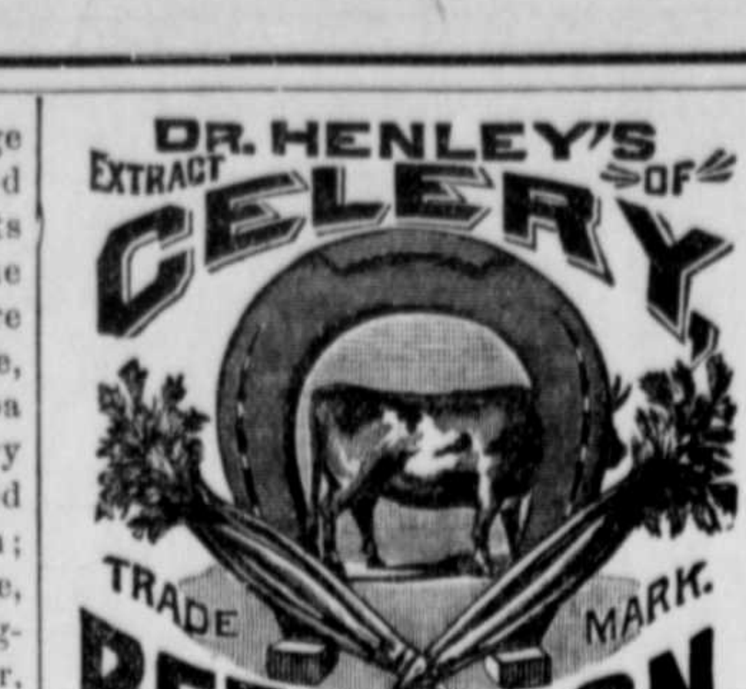
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Rubber Shoes from...................25 to .75
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Some Shoes require a lot of talk to sell them, but we have in our $2.00, $3.00 and $3.50 line of Men's Shoes that after you have seen them does not require much talking, because they speak for themselves. We have them in Box-Calf, Willow-Calf, Russets and Patent Leather, for a strictly dress shoe, on the new English Toe, Golf cut with back stay Double Sole, right up to date. Inspect this line and satisfy yourself.

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A fine line to select from.

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Our Low Prices are of Special Inducement to Buyers.

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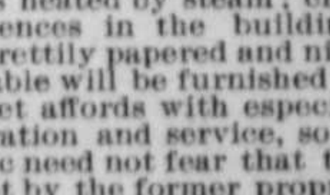
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Mr. White had charge of a corps of correspondents during the war, and was with Gen. Shafter's army and after wards with Gen. Miles', and was an eye witness of several of the most interesting battles.

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Hotel Announcement.

[THE HUSTLING YOUNG PROPRIETOR OF THE ARMSTRONG HOUSE.]



I WISH to inform the public that I have rented the recently remodeled and handsomely equipped Chestertown hotel, known as the Armstrong House, formerly conducted by Messrs. Armstrong and Sparks, on East Cross street. The entire house is heated by steam; closets and other conveniences in the building. The rooms are all prettily papered and nicely furnished. The table will be furnished with the best the market affords with especial attention to preparation and service, so that the traveling public need not fear that the splendid standard set by the former proprietors of the house will not be kept up. The entire management will be under the immediate supervision of myself and wife. A pool-table will be conducted in a spacious parlor, and I will also have a raw box in order that the traveling public may at any and all times see cure the world-renowned Chesapeake oyster served in the most approved style. In short, the Hotel will be one of the most up-to-date houses on the peninsula and will be conducted with an eye single to the comfort and convenience of myself and the traveling public. Soliciting a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore accorded to the old proprietors, I am very truly,

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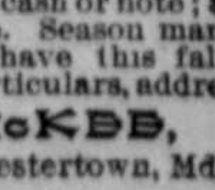
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