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LOCAL MATTERS.

Broke Her Arm.—Little Miss Grace Boyer, the eight-year-old daughter of Prof. W. J. Boyer, of Galena, fell down stairs several days ago and broke her arm, between the wrist and elbow. The child made a misstep.

Broke His Leg.—Master Raymond Wilkins, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. B. N. S. Wilkins, met with a painful and unfortunate accident on Saturday. The little fellow was spending a portion of the Saturday holiday with Master Wethered Barroll, and with several other boys was enjoying a game of foot-ball. Raymond fell at a disadvantage and broke the bone of the leg between the knee and hip.

Heavy Slaughter of Sheep.—Mr. Robert Cochran, on the Gregg Neck farm, near Galena, lost twenty-one fine sheep by dogs on Monday morning and had eight others seriously injured. Mr. Cochran saw the dogs after his sheep and followed them to the home of their owner, Mr. Trinks, the proprietor of Miller's grist mill. Mr. Cochran killed all three of the dogs, shooting one of them, it is stated, in Mr. Trinks' kitchen.

Change in Steamboat Schedules.—On December 14th, the steamer Susquehanna of the Port Deposit Line, will be withdrawn for the winter, and the steamer Sassafras will stop at Tolchester going to Baltimore every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, leaving at 11 A. M., and returning from Baltimore at 10.30 A. M. Tuesday and Thursday. On Saturday the Emma Giles will run to Tolchester as usual.

Wanted Beagle Hounds.—Mr. Percy Rawleigh, who last year supplied ex-President Cleveland with his celebrated beagle hounds which were afterward mistaken and shot for rabbits, has had demands for more dogs this year. Mr. Rawleigh states that before the season opened he received inquiries in regard to supplying rabbit dogs for sportsmen in New York, Virginia and other sections of the country. He was not prepared to supply the demands.

The Lamp Ablaze.—The pretty Washington Avenue home of Mr. Samuel Hicks, had a narrow escape from fire on Friday evening. The hall lamp had been filled during the day and it is supposed that rather too much oil had been put in it. Shortly after being lighted on Friday evening the entire lamp was discovered to be a mass of flame. Fortunately Mr. Hicks was at home and seizing the lamp threw it into the front yard, where it burned itself out whithout doing any damage whatever.

A Confusion of Signals.—The Baltimore office and wharf of the Chester River Steamboat Company suffered some damage from an unexpected rampage indulged in by the steamer B. S. Ford, one day last week. The steamer was approaching her wharf, and the signal was given to further lessen her headway; this signal was in some way misunderstood and she crashed into her wharf cutting a great gash into it and poking her bow about three feet into the office on the pier. Considerable commotion was created for a short time.

Centreville Real Estate Sales.—Hope H. Barroll and P. B. Hopper on Tuesday sold at trustees' sale, the real estate of the late J. O. Rasin. Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, each containing double houses, situated on Liberty street, were bought by William McKenney and Clayton Wright for $1,105. A double house on Water street, adjoining Dandy Hall, was bought by Daniel Connelly for $270. A vacant lot on Broadway was bought by Mrs. Amelia Walters for $165. The frame dwelling and office, corner Lawyers' Row and Liberty street, was bought by Thos. J. Keating for $2,052. Thirty-eight vacant lots in Crumpton were bought by Jerry Godwin for $150.

The Mules Sold Well.—The sale of the fine lot of mules at Galena on Monday, was not as well attended as was expected, but prices were satisfactorily high. Weanlings sold from $30 to $90. Some of the purchasers were J. R. Pearce, Thomas Dunn, J. M. Vansant, W. L. Spry, W. B. Davis, J. C. Price and Henry Gray. Yearlings sold at from $42 to $147. Among the purchasers of this lot were: W. T. Nicholson, C. E. Faulkner, James Peacock, Coursey and Hopkins, Alday Clements, W. S. Cross, A. P. Prettyman, P. Moffitt, J. W. Addicks. The mules were finely matched and were offered for sale by Messrs. Sapp & Rawleigh. Auctioner C. H. Hurlock called the sale.

Civil Engineer York.—The St. Michaels *Comet and Advertiser*, makes this notice in its last issue, of a gentleman well-known in Kent, and for a number of years a resident of Chestertown: "C. S. York, a talented and useful local preacher, of Baltimore, occupied the pulpit of the M. E. Church last Sunday, both morning and evening, and made a deep impression upon the people by his earnestness and close reasoning. Mr. York is an experienced civil engineer, whose chief occupation is the erecting and superintending of Water Works in different parts of the State and country. He was here to look over the situation and furnish data for the putting in a plant to supply our town with water in abundance. We will probably hear from him again.

Saw the Great Game.—The great game of football between the cadets of West Point and the midshipmen of Annapolis was one of the most interesting contests of the year. It was the most picturesque struggle of the football season. Everything was done in military and navy style, and the onlookers felt patriotism creeping up their spines with each new development. One almost expected the players to salute their captains after each play, so closely were tactics followed. Misses Clara Vickers, Beulah Hayes and her friend Miss Solomon, Hope H. Barroll, Lewin W. Wickes, Esqrs, and Mr. Atlee H. Tracy, of Chestertown, witnessed the contest. The game took place in Philadelphia and was won by the army men by a score of 17 to 5. Fully 23,000 persons witnessed the game.

A Young Hero.—Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard, who has just returned from the West, tells of an heroic deed on the part of Frank Williams, of East Brazil, Ind., a boy 14 years old, who was walking on the track and noticed that a rail had been broken by a preceding train and pushed aside. He knew that the Penna. limited would soon be along and he walked back and waved his hat standing in front of the engine. The engineer was not disposed to stop at first, thinking the boy was not balanced, but the persistency on the part of the lad, caused him to apply the air breaks. The train, running over fifty miles per hour at the time, was with difficulty stopped a few feet from the danger spot, thereby saving the lives of those on board. The passengers made him up a purse of $10 and the supposition is the R. R. Co. will donate him 40c.

More Heavy Porkers.—Mr. L. C. Hayes, of near Galena, possibly takes off the palm for heavy porkers. He butchered eleven hogs which weighed 4,525 pounds, or an average of over 411 per hog. This beats the remarkable record of Mr. W. T. Nicholson, noted last week. Mr. Hayes, however, will have a rival near at home, who will make a strong bid for honors. Capt. Andrew Woodall, it is stated, has a pen of phenomenal heavyweights.

Faith in Printers' Ink.—That Messrs. Miller Brothers, the merchant princes of Rock Hall, have an abiding faith in "printers' ink" and the TRANSCRIPT, is shown by their monster advertisement in this issue. In addition to their large display add, these gentlemen have gotten out one of the handsomest illustrated advertising dodgers ever struck from a Kent county press. They have a magnificent line of goods; they have a large amount of capital invested, and they have rare bargains to offer, and have adopted the best possible way to make these facts known to the purchasing public.

Public Sales.

Mr. John P. Vandyke, will sell at public sale on the Beaston farm, near Kennedyville, on Thursday, Dec. 21, 1899, a fine lot of stock and farming implements and a Hyland Horse Power and corn sheller. Mr. Vandyke's add. will be found elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. Thomas S. Anderson advertises possibly one of the largest lots of personalty that will be offered to the farmers of Kent county this season, on the Massey farm near Chestertown, on Wednesday, Dec. 20th. Consult the advertisement for a full list of the property to be sold.

Elias T. Othoson, will sell a choice lot of personalty on Wednesday next, Dec. 13, on the Robert A. Cochran farm, near Kennedyville. Mr. Othoson's sale will include 12 head of fine horses, 10 head cows and heifers, hogs, shoats, and a long list of farming implements.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

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

† Mr. Willard Melvin had a Keiffer pear hanging on the tree on December 2d

† A number of Kent county farmers have turned their sheep in on their wheat fields as a means of getting rid of the fly.

† The report that the Pennsylvania Railroad has purchased the Baltimore & Delaware Bay road, has not been confirmed.

† Tolchester Steamboat Company, has bought the Osborn property at Fredericktown, and will build a wharf and waiting-room.

† It is stated that Capt. Andrew Woodall has purchased 10,000 Keiffer pear trees to be distributed among his numerous farms.

† Tuesday and Tuesday night were the most substantial tastes of winter so far this season. The thermometer registered 28° yesterday morning.

† Dr. Phyfer, of Locust Grove, while adjusting a rope on the Shrewsbury church belfry, fell and broke a bone of his wrist. He was otherwise bruised.

† A theif made a raid upon Father McSweeney's hennery several nights ago, but got no farther than the henhouse door when he was halted by a faithful watch dog.

Church Notes.

DR. H. B. MARTIN CALLED.

Dr. Henry B. Martin, who was last week called by the vestry of Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal church to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of Dr. Stephen C. Roberts, came to Chestertown on Monday and met the vestry of the church. Dr. Martin left on Tuesday morning without saying positively whether he will or will not accept the call. At any rate, he cannot come before the first of February. The minister expressed himself as highly pleased with the field to which he has been called, and certainly, the impression left by the visitor upon those who met him was of a most favorable and gratifying nature. Dr. Martin is a son of Rev. John Martin, the greatly beloved rector of Shrewsbury church for so many years. He is about fifty years of age and has a wife but no children. He was at one time rector of the Protestant Episcopal church at Princess Anne, but at present has a parish in Philadelphia.

Grace Presbyterian Church, Kennedyville, Rev. K. M. Bull, pastor—Sunday School at 1.30 P. M., and preaching at 2.30 P. M.

First Presbyterian Church of Worton, Rev. K. M. Bull, pastor—Sunday School at 10 A. M. Song service and preaching at 7 P. M.

Extra meetings will be held at Grace Presbyterian Church, Kennedyville each night next week except Sunday and Saturday.

Friday the Feast of the Immaculate Conception will be celebrated at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church by Mass at 9 A. M.

Rev. E. C. Sunfield preached a strong Thanksgiving sermon at Christ M. P. Church, on Thanksgiving morning, from the text: "Bless the Lord, oh my soul, and forget not all His benefits." A large congregation enjoyed the discourse. Fine music was furnished by the choirs of the two churches.

Rev. W. B. Guthrie preached an eloquent sermon to the four fraternal societies of Rock Hall on Sunday last. His text was from Proverbs, 14th chapter, 34th verse: "Righteousness exalteth a nation but sin is a reproach to any people."

Group Rally.

Group rally No. 1 for Easton District, will be held in Sudlersville M. E. Church, Wednesday, December 13th. The following churches form the group: Sudlersville, Church Hill, Salem, Burrisville, Crumpton, Kenton, Millington, Marydel and Ingleside.

PROGRAM—MORNING.

10.00—Song service—Rev. Edwin Gardner.
10.15—Address of Welcome—Rev. Robert Roe.
10.30—Roll Call—District Secretary—Mr. R. M. Busteed.
10.45—Conference—How to Promote Spirituality in our Chapter—Led by Dr. Corkran.
11.15—Address—Relation of Epworth League to the Church—Rev. J. T. Richardson.
12.00—Luncheon in the church, served by local chapter.

AFTERNOON.

2.00—Devotional Service—Rev. Clarence Jones.
2.15—Mercy and Help Work in Country Chapters—Miss Anna G. Lambert.
2.30—How to Sustain Literary Circle in Country Chapters—Rev. W. F. Corkran, D. D.
2.45—Best ways and means to conduct social work—Rev. E. R. Sidell.
3.00—How can Epworthians promote class and prayer meetings?—Dr. A. E. Sudler.
3.15—Model cabinet meeting—Rev. J. M. Arters.
3.45—Season with Juniors—Mrs. E. C. Atkins.
4.30—Benediction.

EVENING.

7.00—Devotional Service—Mr. M. W. Thomas.
7.30—Pentecostal Sermon—Rev. S. P. Shipman.
8.30—Revival Service—District President

My son has been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. Sometime ago persuaded him to take some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using two bottles of the 25-cent size he was cured. I give this testimonial, hoping some one similarly afflicted may use it and be benefitted.—Thomas C. Bower, Glencoe, O. For sale by M. A. Toulson.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Olivia Wilkins has been visiting Miss Anna Wilson, near Edesville.

Mr. Jobe T. Coverdale and Miss Josephine Dodd, both of Kent county, Delaware, were married at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. J. B. Merritt, at Worton Station, on Thursday, November 30th.

Mrs. W. Harper McFeely and family moved to Centreville on Monday.

Mrs. Munnikhuysen, wife of Dr. Munnikhuysen, of Baltimore, spent several days of this week, with her daughter at the college.

Father McSweeny enjoyed Thanksgiving at his home in Massachusetts.

Mr. James S. Harris has been a great sufferer from rheumatism, and as a result was unable to be present at the meeting of the State Horticultural Society in Baltimore yesterday. A programme of the meeting will be found on the front page of this issue. Mr. Harris is president of the society, and was booked for the president's address.

Mr. John W. Corey is lying extremely ill at his home near Melitota.

School Examiner W. G. Smyth is on the programme for a paper at the Annual Meeting of the State School Examiners, in session in Baltimore to-day.

Mrs. Lillian Skirven, who with her two interesting children, has been spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Constable, will leave for her home in Chicago, the latter part of this week.

Mrs. S. Frank Smith has been in Baltimore this week to attend the christening ceremony of her grand-daughter, Lorene Estelle Smith, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen C. Smith.

Announcement is made of the wedding on Wednesday next, December 13th, of Mr. H. Theodore Jewell and Miss Kate A. Smith, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. R. A. Smith, near Hanesville.

Mr. Robert Harrison Carey and Miss Addie McFeely Thompson were married on Tuesday at the home of the bride, in St. Michaels.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Watkins and family, of Baltimore, spent Thanksgiving day at the home of Mrs. Watkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brice, Washington avenue.

Mr. Charles F. Lehman, of Galena, won the Baltimore *Herald* prize for second best cartoon of want ady.

Mr. Snodgrass, manager, and Mr. Knight, processor at Robinson's cannery, left on Tuesday for their respective homes in Harford county.

Mr. William Hollett, of Clayton, Del., spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy T. McFeely, and children, of Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of Mrs. McFeely's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Usilton.

Mrs. Walter U. Lusby, spent several days last week in Baltimore, visiting friends.

Miss Sallie Beck has been visiting Mrs. William McKenney, at Centreville.

Mr. Thomas Bruff, of Harford county, formerly of Kent, spent several days last week at the home of Mr. John W. Loud, near town.

Mr. J. Henry Hurtt, deputy internal revenue collector, spent Thanksgiving day in town.

Mrs. Harry Rickey is visiting friends in Western Maryland.

James W. Chapman, Jr., Esq., of Baltimore, spent Sunday in town.

Among those who spent Thanksgiving with friends at Kennedyville were: Miss Emma Shafer, Eastern High School, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hayes, of Galena, with their daughter, Mrs. Jos. H. Weer; Mr. Wirt, grain inspector, Baltimore, with Wm. Archibald; Miss Nellie Barwick, of Rock Hall school, with her mother, Mrs. S. E. Barwick; John Hurlock and wife, of Still Pond, with E. T. Othoson and family; E. E. Hudson, of Worton.

Mr. Thomas Massey has given up his position in Philadelphia and will take charge of the fine farm near Chestertown, now in the tenancy of Mr. Thomas S. Anderson. Mr. Anderson, his mother and two sisters, will move to Baltimore and make their future home in the city.

OBITUARY.

STEPHEN C. ROBERTS.

The death of Rev. S. C. Roberts, rector of the P. E. Church in Chestertown, which took place week before last, was a sad loss to that town and community. Dr. Roberts was a broad-minded churchman, who did much to live down and counteract many of the barriers between churches, which have long been separated by petty ecclesiasticism. He could ascend the pulpit of a Methodist Church during a revival and preach with a warmth and earnestness, not surpassed by many. It was the writer's privilege to hear Dr. Roberts preach a sermon on Sanctification during a revival in a Methodist Church, second to no article or sermon ever read or heard on the subject. It was clear and keen, Wesleyan theology, specially emphasizing the necessity for a sanctified life. The doctor lived such a life. No night was too dark, no storm too severe, no case too humble, but that he went as his Lord, to do good. He had no time to attack or criticise other denominations, but kept busy in his work of helping and saving souls. The P. E. Church has lost a great man from its ministry, and Chestertown parish has sustained an irreparable loss.—*Peninsula Methodist.*

MRS. MARY A. DIEHL.

Mrs. Mary A. Diehl, a highly respected and christian woman, died after a long illness, at the home of her daughter-in-law, in Baltimore, on Friday. She was seventy-eight years of age. The remains were bought to Kent Saturday afternoon and funeral held from St. James M. P. Church, conducted by Rev. E. C. Makoskey; interment at Chester cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Samuel Vannort, Wm. G. Smyth, Murray Smyth, Joseph R. Usilton, Jesse Usilton and Harry C. Willis. Undertaker John N. Dodd had charge of funeral arrangements.

AT THE COLLEGE.

Weighty Questions Settled by the Young Debaters.

The members of the Mt. Vernon Literary Society at their meeting on Friday evening, discussed the question, Resolved that Universal Disarmament would not Be Beneficial. The speakers for the affirmative were J. W. Sutton, Fred B. Noble and Dudley G. Roe. The champions for the negative were C. C. Gum, A. S. Marine and O. D. Baynard. After a thorough discussion of the great international question, the committee, by a two to one vote, awarded the laurels to the negative.

On the same evening the members of the Philomathean Literary Society took hold of the even more weighty question, Resolved that Heredity Exerts a Greater Influence upon Character than Environment. The speakers for the affirmative were F. C. Kirk and Mr. Lynch. For the negative, A. T. McDorman and Mr. Russell. This question called for exhaustive investigation and the young men displayed a great amount of preparation in their treatment of it. The question was decided in favor of the affirmative.

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SOCIAL PLEASURES.

Early Winter Joys Hold Full Sway.

The students of Washington College celebrated the Thanksgiving holiday by a mammoth oyster scald, which was held in the basement of East Building. About seventy-five or eighty were present, and the affair was immensely enjoyed. Eight bushels of oysters were provided by the male students, and the necessary edibles (pickles, crackers, etc.,) were furnished by the lady students. The faculty were in attendance, and the married teachers brought along their wives. Music was furnished by the newly organized Glee Club, and every one voted the occasion grandly successful.

Katherine Merritt Hennick and Laura Christine Lowe held an informal reception in honor of the former's eighth birthday, at their home, on Eutaw place, Baltimore, Monday, Nov. 27, from 4 to 6 P. M. The rooms were decorated with pink and white carnations and chrysanthemums, and the tots indulged in various childish amusements and dancing. These young ladies have frequently been the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Charles R. Twilley, and have a number of little friends in town.

A number of the young ladies of Chestertown celebrated Thanksgiving evening delightfully, at Hotel Brown, Water Street. The Animal Game was the source of a vast amount of amusement. Each one present was called upon to give an exhibition of his talents as a drawer of animals,—and such animals as dropped from the crayons of some of the young artists. A Tasmanian Devil looked like a goat, and a goat looked like a lion and the real king of beasts was mistaken for a lamb. Then too, the pinning of the tail on a monkey, was the source of much amusement, of course the pinner was blindfolded and the monkey was kept perfectly still. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Misses Julia Burchinal, Hallie Toulson, Mary Brown, Adele France, Freddie Strong, Helen Wilkins, Jennie Hines, Mary Fleming, May Jones, Grace Sunfield, Anna Bryan, Lillie Greenwood, Bertie Burchinal, Irma Eliason, Cora Emory, Mabel Toulson, Nannie Dixon, Bessie Nicholson, and in short, all of the young ladies present appointed themselves a committee of one to insure an evening of delightful pleasure to their friends.

The Thanksgiving dance by the young men of Still Pond and vicinity, at the New Chesapeake House, Betterton, was a charming success. The music for the occasion was furnished by the McCauley orchestra, of Galena, and met the requirements of the most exacting. This orchestra is composed of the Misses McCauley and their brother. The floor was in fine condition and the night was ideal. Since the closing of the hall at Still Pond, these social functions have been delightfully carried out on the picturesque bluffs overlooking the Chesapeake. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Price, Misses Rebecca and Mattie Hepbron, Mattie and Emma Davis, Grace Severson, Sara Jones, Ida Crowding, Cora and Carrie Harding, Clara Scotten, Messrs. E. W. Hepbron, George C. Howard, J. B. Parrott, Edward and Jack Schofield, Walter and Henry Davis, Jack Jones, John Boulden, Edgar Pennington, Ed Crowding, Harry Moore, Edmund Hurtt, Willie Severson, Eugene Bonwell, Lou Alrich, Sam Roseberry, H. Turner, Maxwell Starkey, Still Pond; Mac. Price, Addie and Holt Woodall, Glen Pennington, Fredericktown; Fannie Walker, Aberdeen; Wm. Hyland, Jesse Ireland, Jennie and Daisy McCauley, Galena; Estella Jarman, Chesterville; Andrew Willson, Cecil; Eugene Paxson, Summitt Bridge; Julia Deshane, Annie Jones, Cecilton; Belle Frame, Earle Busick, Baltimore; Horace Constable, Jeff Ferguson, Maud Bramble, Phil. G. Wilmer, James Lucas, Chestertown; Violet Beck, Scott Beck, Lankford; Tom Wallis, Lulu, Edna and Page Strong, Rock Hall; J. C. Strong, Wilmington; Miss McCullough, Viollet Moore, Port Deposit.

A pleasant dance will be given at Edesville Hall, to-morrow evening. The committee are, J. T. DeCorse, G. H. Camp, T. W. Wallis and Charles B. Willson, Jr.

MATRIMONIAL.

CAREY—THOMPSON.

The Methodist Protestant Church, at St. Michaels, Talbot county, was the scene of a brilliant wedding at seven o'clock on Tuesday evening, when Mr. Robert Harrison Carey, of Chestertown, and Miss Addie McFeely Thompson, of that place, were united in marriage by the Rev. S. A. Hoblitzell, the pastor. The church was decorated with flowers and the pulpit was a solid mass of chrysanthemums, ferns and potted plants. The bride wore a handsome blue broadcloth traveling suit, trimmed with white silk and velvet, with hat and gloves to match.

The maid of honor was Miss Nannie Thompson, of Centreville, a cousin of the bride. The ushers—Mr. James M. Hoblitzell, of Cape Charles, Va., and Prof. T. D. Bowers, of Chestertown, wore black cutaway coats and light pants, with carnation boutonnieres. Mr. A. N. J. Smithman, of St. Michaels, was best man. The bride was given away by her uncle, Rev. William E. Thompson, of Centreville. At the appointed hour the procession started up the centre aisle, marching to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, which was played by Miss May Poisal, of Easton. The bride and her uncle were met at the altar by the groom and his best man. While the ceremony was being read, "Oh Promise Me" was softly rendered by the organist. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for a tour north, after which they will reside in Chestertown. The bride is the only daughter of the late Rev. Charles Thompson, of the M. P. Conference. She is a very popular young lady, and for a number of years has been the organist in the M. P. Church in St. Michaels. The groom is a prosperous young business man of Chestertown. They received many handsome presents.

M. E. Church Services.

9.30—Class Meeting.
10.30—Sermon—"Spirit-filled Christians."
2.15—Sunday School and revival service.
6.45—Epworth League service.
7.30—Sermon—"Midnight Scene in Jail and Altar Work."
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