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SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1900.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Valuable Horse Dead.—King Humbert, the valuable standard bred stallion belonging to Mr. E. E. Marsh, died suddenly on Thursday at Mr. J. B. Hossinger's. King Humbert was by Nutwood King, 2.17¼, and was making the season in Kent.

Early Shearing.—Mr. George Beck is the first one reported as having sheared sheep this season. Mr. Beck sheared on Tuesday, and sold his wool to Marcus Ascher at twenty-five cents per pound. Mr. Ascher says this is the earliest date in which he has ever known sheep to be sheared.

Who Can Beat It?—Miss Daisy Nicholson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Nicholson, holds the record for profitable sheep-farming. She has one ewe which has given her three lambs at $4 a piece; she has sold the wool for $1.25, making a total of $13.25 from one sheep, and she still has the prolific ewe.

Mad-dogs Again.—The valuable cow of Mr. James Brice died of hydrophobia several days ago. The animal was severely bitten by a rabid dog in the early spring and had been closely watched. The dog which bit the cow inflicted wounds upon a number of other dogs all of which were immediately killed. A dog suffering with hydrophobia passed through Church Hill on Tuesday and bit a citizen of that town and a number of dogs.

Oyster Season Closed.—The regular oyster tonging season closed on Wednesday. Last fall was the most satisfactory in many years, but the winter was unusually trying upon the tongers. The price on the last day of this season was 50 cents as against 30 cents on the closing day of last year. Capt. Coleman represents the number of young oysters as promising a good season next fall. Oystermen will have five days in which to dispose of any stock which they may have on hand at the close of the season on Wednesday.

Base-Ball To-Day.—A fine game of base-ball is assured for to-day on the Washington College campus, to be called at 1.15 P. M. The Waverly Athletic Club, the strongest amateur base-ball aggregation in the State, will cross bats with the local team. This team plays at Union Park, the old league grounds, in Baltimore, and has been playing fast ball. The failure to have a game last week was due to a mistake on the part of the liveryman who was expected to bring the players from Tolchester to Chestertown. The carriages were sent to Betterton. The Washington College management was in no way responsible for the failure of the game to materialize. Read what Manager Brown says elsewhere in this issue.

Grey's Inn Improvements.—Mr. Elmer E. Leary, owner and proprietor of the extensive lumber mills and basket factory at Grey's Inn, near Rock Hall, is running a heavy force in the manufacture of peach and truck baskets and peach box stuff. Mr. Leary has received a number of very heavy orders for baskets from the great fruit and truck districts. In order that he may be prepared for any rush when the season formally opens, he is now erecting a large storage building to be used entirely for baskets. This improvement will give a capacity for over 100,000 baskets. This improvement is entirely separate and distinct from the great sash, door and planing plant which is run by Mr. Leary at the same point.

Fire at the College.—The west building at Washington College made a narrow escape from destruction by fire on Saturday. Mr. Lynch, one of the students, had made a fresh fire, and with several young men, was seated in his room For several minutes they heard a crackling sound overhead, and looking up saw smoke forcing its way from the ceiling. Investigation disclosed the fact that the upper floor was in a full blaze, while the flames were eating their way between the plastering. Though the water supply was extremely limited, by means of two extinguishers the fire was soon under control with trifling loss. The fire originated from a drum on the stove-pipe for heating purposes. Mrs. C. W. Reid rendered splendid services.

Oratorical Contest.—At the regular meeting last Wednesday of the faculty of Washington College, Prof. E. J. Clarke was elected faculty delegate to the Inter-collegiate oratorical contest, which was held last night at St. John College, Annapolis. The marks submitted by the judges on composition and delivery, are arranged in the presence of the delegation from each of the colleges, and a faculty member of the delegations is required. Mr. A. T. McDorman, of the class of 1900, delivered the oration. His subject was "The Outlook." Mr. McDorman, it will be remembered, carried off first honors at the declamation contest last commencement. There are two medals given at the Inter-collegiate contest. Mr. McDorman is expected to give a good account of himself and Washington College. Prof. Clarke and Mr. McDorman left on the Emma Ford yesterday.

Fine Paintings.—Mrs. C. H. Schuyler, the artist and literateur, who has organized an art class at Betterton, has two fine paintings on exhibition at Stam's drug store. The painting representing a number of luscious peaches carelessly falling from a Philadelphia *Record*, has been most favorably commented upon, and is a work of art. The execution is fine, while the conception is one of artistic beauty. The other picture represents a scene on the Delaware, near New Castle. Mrs. Schuyler studied under some of the finest living artists in the great art centres of Europe, and her work has been purchased at most gratifying prices.

A Weighing Wagon.—Kent County tomato and truck growers, will be interested in a wagon which is so constructed that its contents may be accurately weighed without removing the load. In carrying out this scheme, every effort has been made to reduce to a minimum, errors in indications, the contact surfaces being so as not to become easily disturbed or misplaced by the shaking or jarring of the wagon in use. The balancing levers are placed on the wagon frame, and so designed that the wagon bed, with its contents, may be removed from them to the wagon frame, as soon as the scale readings are taken, thereby removing the continual strain and wear on the balancing levers, while the wagon is in use. Lucius D. Norris, of Madrid, Iowa, is the patentee of this method of construction.

LITTLE LOCALS.

† The Galena Savings Bank is not dead but sleepeth soundly.

† Rock Hall is now considering the organization of a fire company.

† Mrs. S. E. T. Startt, has been granted a pension of $8 per month.

† Stamp books are now on sale at the Chestertown postoffice.

† Mr. Frank Howard and his men commenced painting Stam's Hall on Monday.

† Fruit growers estimate the peninsula peach crop for this year at 2,000,000 baskets.

† An extensive peach grower says that his peach crop awaits a bidder at fifty cents per basket.

† Mary J. Wilmer, of Chestertown, has been granted a pension of $8 per month.

† Mr. George Beck and Thomas W. Trew, of Broad Neck, made their first shipment of asparagus, on Wednesday.

† On and after May 2d there will be a daily boat from the Sassafras River landings and Buck Neck. The change is made to favor the asparagus growers.

† Manager William R. Pippin, gave a delightful concert at his hotel, the Armstrong House, last night. An Italian harpist and violinist discoursed fine music.

† The large new warehouse of Isaac Robinson, in Chestertown, has been finished by Contractor Boston, and is now stocked with a varied line of wagons, carriages and farming implements.

† Water was turned in the beautiful Kent Square fountain on Tuesday. Chestertown now has, thanks to the energy of her women, one of the most charming spots in the State.

† A number of ladies are collecting funds for a new Methodist Episcopal Church at Rock Hall, to replace the one recently destroyed by fire. They are meeting with a cordial response.

† Mr. Daniel McKee, of Round Top, in Queen Anne, made the first shipment of asparagus from Chestertown, on Tuesday morning. Mr. D. Arthur Bacchus had some of the fine grass grown by Mr. McKee on sale, the same day.

† A number of fish wagons from the most distant sections of Queen Anne passed through Chestertown on Tuesday. A wagon passed through Galena last week which had come sixty miles for fish.

† Mr. Skipper, of Yonkers, NY, who recently purchased Primrose Point farm in Queen Anne, opposite Chestertown, contemplates building a handsome summer residence on the beautiful site where the old dwelling now stands.

† Mr. Thomas Nickerson, of Galena, who died so suddenly in Wilmington last week, was a member of Galena Conclave Improved Order Heptasophs. He had paid in assessments and dues $13 and left $1,000 to his family. What order can beat this?

† The foundation for the pretty new home of Mr. William Hurlock, near Kennedyville, was commenced last week. Messrs. Stavely & Bowers will do the building. Mr. Hurlock's home, it will be remembered, was destroyed by fire during the winter.

† Through the kindness of Mr. Alexander Mair, of Betterton, the TRANSCRIPT received the Baltimore papers at 10.15 o'clock A. M. several days this week. Mr. Mair is a strong advocate of the proposed new mail route via Betterton to Chestertown.

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About three years ago my wife had an attack of rheumatism which confined her to her bed for over a month and rendered her unable to walk a step without assistance, her limbs being swollen to double their normal size. Mr. S. Maddox insisted on my using Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I purchased a fifty-cent bottle and the next morning she walked to breakfast without assistance in any manner, and she has not had a similar attack since.—A. B. Parsons. For sale by M. A. Toulson.

A PLEASANT OCCASION.

St. Paul's Sewing Circle Meets.

A pleasant meeting of St. Paul's Sewing Circle, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Jessop. The attendance was large and the social features of the evening were not less enjoyable than was the splendid supper which was served. Salads and many delicacies of the season were in abundance.

After supper Mr. Marcus Ascher entertained those present with instrumental and vocal music, and Miss Sophia Beck sung several beautiful selections.

Mr. George Beck added greatly to the pleasure of the occasion by entering into the cake walk and other pleasures, with as much earnestess as did the younger members of the company.

Mrs. Constable, Miss Blanche Constable, Misses Mary and Sallye Beck; Dr. H. L. Dodd and Horace Constable, were present from Chestertown.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Clerk James T. Dixon has recorded the following deeds for the transfer of real estate during the present month:

Board of school commissioners to Jas. T. Matthews, tract of land in the first district, consideration $24.75; Hetty F. Crosley to Martha E. Butler, lot of land in Shaptown, in the fifth district, consideration $25 00; James A. Nowland and wife to Jesse L. Shephard, all those farms, lots or parcels of land in the second district, consideration $50.00; Albert E. Williamson, attorney to James W. Ivens, one-fourth of an acre of land in the third district, consideration $30; James W. Ivens and wife to Wm. H. T. Hickes, lot of land in the third district, consideration $60; Wm. E. Ringgold and wife to the commissioners of Chestertown, parcel of ground in Chestertown, consideration $150; Bedford Roe, late sheriff, to John A. Bottomly, lot of land in Millington, consideration $1; Samuel Comegys, former sheriff, to Joseph N. Wheatley, lot of land in Chestertown, consideration $170; Joseph N. Wheatley and wife to Thomas W. Wright and wife, lot of land in Chestertown, consideration $250; Walter Bolen and wife to Herman Jacobs, lot of land in fifth district, consideration $225; The Tolchester Beach Improvement Co. of Kent county to the county commissioners of Kent county, certain land at Buck Neck wharf, consideration other land in same section; county commissioners of Kent county to the Tolchester Beach Improvement Co. of Kent county, lot of land at Buck Neck wharf, consideration other land in same section; Elizabeth A. Jump to Allie Bramble, several pieces of property in sixth district, containing 100 acres, and known as "Caulk's Field," consideration $75; John A. Startt to Geo. E. Wrightson and wife, his one-half interest in all that tract of land lying on Lankford bay, consideration $500; I. R. Leaverton and wife to the trustees of the M. E. Church (col.) of Pomona circuit, lot of land near Pomona, consideration $100; Thomas Jackson and wife to Carrie Sinnickson, tract of land in first district, consideration $2,500; James A. Casey and wife to Henrietta Rodney, lot of land in fifth district, consideration $600; Marion deK. Smith, trustee, to Amelia P. Matthews, lot of land in Chestertown, consideration $1000.

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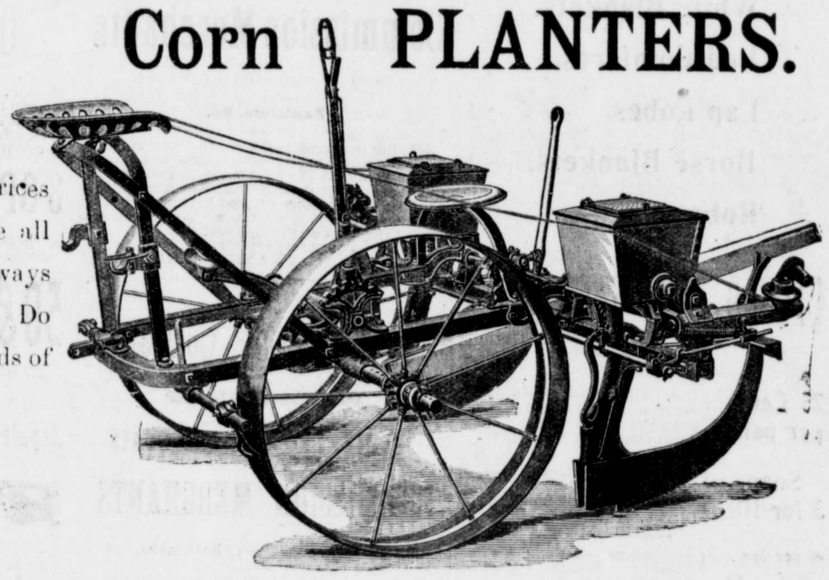

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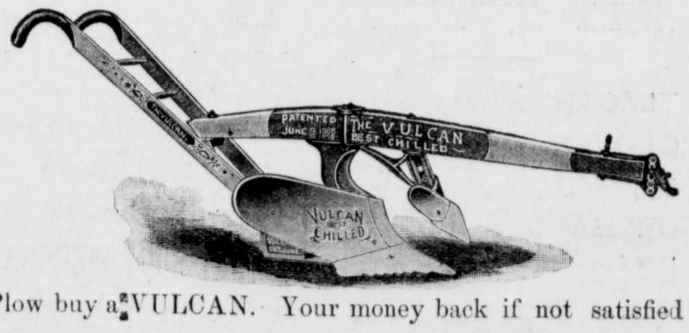

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