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LOCAL MATTERS.

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

ALL PERSONS indebted to the old firm of Collins & Hopper for subscriptions, advertising and job work prior to January 1st, 1900, are hereby notified to settle their accounts at once. All accounts uncollected on June 1st may be placed for legal collection. Payments may be made to either member of the firm.

COLLINS & HOPPER.

Lights Turned On.—The electric lights were turned on at Still Pond on Thursday, and now the little village is in the forefront of up-to-date,aggressive towns. Messrs. Wright & Tracy put in the dynamo and did the wiring. Mr. Frank M. Miller placed the big engines and other machiney for the Robinson mill.

Will Play With Dover.—Messrs Burris, Charles, McDorman, Massey and Marine, left this morning to play ball with the Dover base ball team against the strong New Castle nine. These are five of the strongest men on the Washington College team and will certainly carry Dover to success. They also play with Dover against the Chester team on Monday.

Will Build a Wharf.—The Ericsson Steamboat Company has purchased a half acre of land on the old Kinnard Point or Geike farm, from Mr. Carson W. Harris, and it is stated will build a substantial wharf. The tendency of the steamboat companies seems to be to extend the development of the county toward the lower section. The lumber is in place and the improvements will cost about $5,000.

Fine Property Sold.—Messrs James G. and Arthur L. Harris, have purchased the fine farm known as Howell's Point, from Mr. Reverdy Johnson, of Baltimore, for $15,000 cash. The property contains 555 acres, much of it as fine land as can be found in the State. It is beautifully situated on the Chesapeake bay and is considered one of the finest estates in Kent county.

Newspaper Interest Sold.—Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court Lemuel Dunbracco, has purchased from Mrs. John Rush Streett, of Taylor, Baltimore county, her half interest in the Centreville *Observer*. Four thousand dollars was the price paid. Mr. Dunbrncco will not enter into the active management of the journal, and it will be conducted as heretofere, by William J. Price, Jr., as editor and manager,assisted by T.Sudler Roberts.

Mr. Atkinson in Luck—Mr. Cecil R. Atkinson received an encouraging letter a few days ago from the gentleman in Massachusetts who has his fine stallion, Advertisemont. Mr. Atkinson showed the letter to a representative of the TRANSCRIPT this week. The gentleman stated that Advertisemont promises great speed and for breeding purposes is the finest in America, and if the horse belonged to him $5000 would not purchase him.

Canning Peas.— The Chestertown cannery of Isaac Robinson, commenced operations on peas on Thursday, and is now running on full time. The cannery opened at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The crop has been greatly reduced by the green pea louse. The pea huller, in use at the Robinsen cannery, is an ingenius piece of machinery. The pea vines, after having been mowed are simply pumped into the big hopper and the huller does the rest.

Want the Pavement.—A number of citizens and tax-payers have petitioned the town commissioners asking that a pavement be placed along improved Kent Square, continuing the pavement along the east end of the TRANSCRIPT Building. A crossing is also asked for across High street opposite the store of Mr. William R. Maull. This would be a great improvement and the extensive tax-payers of that section of Chestertown have strong ground for their request. The commissioners have not given their reply to the petition.

A Sermon on Fraternity,—Dr.Henry B. Martin, rector of Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal church, Chestertown, will preach a sermon to the several fraternal orders on Sunday, June 24th. Dr. Martin is himself a member of several orders and has selected Fraternity as the subject for his discourse. A cordial invitation is extended to the members of the different fraternal organizations throughout the county to attend the service. The sermon will be preached in the evening, of Sunday, June 24, commencing at 8 o'clock.

Kent's Telephone System.—Mr. W. H. Baker, manager of the Diamond State Telephone Company, was in Chestertown yesterday, looking after the interests of the company. He stated that the line between Chestertown and Tolchester will be the first to be put in perfect order. Work will commence in the county in about two weeks, and by Aug. 1, the work will be completed, and Kent will be in connection with the outer world by a first-class long-distance system of telephone.

The New Steamboat Line.—The steamer Tourist of the Merchants & Farmers Steamboat Company of Kent county, reached Chestertown on Monday night and made her first trip out of Chester river on Tuesday afternoon The steamer started from Crumpton. All of the river wharves were made, together with the stop at Rock Hall. The steamer, which has already been described in the TRANSCRIPT, was visited by a number of persons at all of the stops. A considerable quantity of freight was taken on. Mr.Meeteer Wallis has been appointed agent for the company at Chestertown.

The Sprinkler.—It has not been positively decided when the long-talked of and much-needed sprinkler will be put in operation,but the days of dust-covered streets are numbered. Final arrangements have been made with Mr. R. G. Nicholson by the board of town commissioners, for the use of the waste water from his ice factory. A tank which will hold between four and five thousand gallons of water has been ordered by Mr. F. M. Miller for the town commissioners to be used in storing the water at the ice plant. As soon as this tank is in place and the sprinkler has been painted, streets will be regularly sprinkled.

An Unusual Experience.—A certain Kent county undertaker sometime ago had a most remarkable experience. The undertaker in question was telephoned for to come and embalm the body of a prominent citizen. All arrangements were made and the embalmer hurried to the designated home and rapped at the door, when to his utter astonishment the party whom he had prepared to embalm met him, smiling and unusually gracious. Some inquiry disclosed the fact that a lady was dead on a nearby farm and the mistake had occurred in telephoning the message.

Taking the Census.—The census enumerators are busily engaged in ascertaining Kent's population at the close of the nineteenth century. Some of the gentlemen engaged in the work are having novel and interesting experiences. One of Uncle Sam's representatives was refused admission to the house. In one case a young lady became insulted at being asked her age and refused to answer, in another case a maiden of questionable youthfulness refused to tell her age until her sister had left the room. Even a few men became silly when discussing their ages. No enumerator is allowed to answer any question relative to his work. He cannot tell the population of the town, district, or give any information whatever.

LITTLE LOCALS.

† Rural delivery was inagurated on two routes at Rock Hall, on Monday.

† Mr. William T. Wilkins has been appointed purser on the steamer Gratitude.

† The "June drop" is not over but a fine peach crop is pretty nearly assured.

† A Galena farmer has a pair of handsome six weeks old twin colts for which he wants $100.

† Mr. William Bell will place his young stallion in the hands of a Delaware trainer this season.

† Dogs killed several fine sheep for Mr. R. G. Cooper, near Chesterville, last week. The dogs were also killed.

† The headquarters of the Chestertown Book Club have been moved to the insurance office of Joseph N. Wheatley & Co.

† Capt. Frank Satterfield has been made the agent of the Mercnants & Farmers Steamboat Company, at Rock Hall.

The handsomest sewing machine wagon in Kent is that owned by Mr. C. J. Reiche, agent for the Wheeler & Wilson Company.

† W. H. Lambert, Jr., is assisting the clerk to the county commissioners, Theodore Jewell, in arranging the annual levy list.

† Mr. Daniel McKee, who celebrated his sixty-first birthday on Wednesday, says he never had his pulse felt by a physician in his life.

† The bids for the $20,000 worth of Kent county school bonds will be opened by the board of county commissioners on Tuesday next.

† Mr. Thomas R. Reiche, brother of Mr. C. J. Reiche, has been appointed painter in one of the departments in Baltimore city, at $2.50 per day.

† Betterton builders have found it impossible to get a sufficient number of carpenters and masons in Kent, to do local building, and have been forced to send to Baltimore.

† The name of Dr.Thomas H.Gilpin, of Middletown, a brother of Dr. C. P. Gilpin, of Chestertown, is being mentioned in connection with the democratic gubernatorial nomination in Delaware.

† The postponed meeting of the directors of the Baltimore & Delaware Bay Railroad will take place in Chestertown to-day,when business of more than usual importance is expected to be transacted.

† Deputy Sheriff Howard Owens has been granted a three months leave of absence to take a position in the Chesapeake House of Crew & Owens, at Betterton. Sheriff Davis will run the office without a deputy.

† Conductor John D. Welch went to Clayton on Monday. This was the first time he had been on the road since his serious accident last winter. He only went up for the trip.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

The opening ball of the season was held at the Chesapeake House, Betterton, last night. The committee were: John W. Jester, William Wheeler, Maxwell Starkey and Howard Owens.

The TRANSCRIPT is indebted to Miss Julia M. Burchinal, Mr. P. T. White Mr. J. Wilson Sutton and Mr. H. Staunton Brown, members of the graduating class, for invitations to the graduation exercises of Washington College on Wednesday morning, June 20, in Stam's Hall.

Miss Ethel Perkins, daughter of Dr and Mrs. J. A. Perkins, of Philadephia, graduated from the Philadelphia Collegiate Institute, on Thursday.

Mr. Chas. S.York, Jr.,has been visiting his parents in Baltimore.

Mr. T. Jeff Joiner, of Philadelphia, spending several weeks in town.

Miss Nellie Casey, of Rock Hall, has been the guest of Miss Gertie Copper the past week.

Mrs. Arthur Hurlock and Miss Eva Hurlock are visiting the former's parents, near Laurel, Md.

Mr. Owen Boone of the U. S. Army, is at home on a furlough. He has been stationed at Porto Rico.

Misses Jane Anderson and Cora Stevens, of Baltimore, are visiting Miss Clara T. Biddle, near town.

The Messrs.Blackiston,of Cumberland, are visiting their aunt, Miss Jane Blackiston, on Washington avenue.

T. J Pennington, Esq., and wife, are spending a week or two in Virginia, where Mr. P. has a large tract of land.

Miss Beulah Hayes will attend the wedding of her friend, Miss Trapnell, in Charlestown, Virginia,this week and act as one of the bridesmaids.

It is reported that Capt. Joseph. W. Thompson, of Philadelphia, is arranging to establish a steamboat line between Milford, Del., and Philadelphia.

Miss Tannie Williams Willis, daughter of Mr. E. T. Willis, Chestertown, graduated Monday at the Maryland Institute, having won high honors. Mr. Willis attended the commencement exercises.

Mr. J. H. Simpers and Mr. Wm. A. Wheatley, two prominent Chestertown masons, went to Centreville Monday and assisted in the degree work of the lodge in that town.

Mr. W. J. Morrison and family, of Chester,Pa., have moved to Chestertown and occupy the Sappington dwelling adjoining Christ M. P. Church. Mr. Morrison will have charge of Robinson's cannery.

Mrs. J. C. Jones, of Lynchs, is visiting Dr. Wm. R. Turner and sister,Mrs. Wm. Davenport, Mr. George W. Rouse and other relatives and friends in Baltimore.

Mr. John Toulson, son of Druggist M. A. Toulson, was examined by the State Pharmaceutical Board at Harrisburg last week and successfully passed, receiving a certificate as a registered qualified assistant druggist.

Dr. Fisher, of Port Deposit, is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Fisher, Front street.

Masters Robert and Wilkins Simpers, of Wilmington, are visiting their aunts, the Misses Wilkens.

Mrs Joseph Archbell has returned to her home at Charlotte, N. C. after a pleasant visit to Chestertown friends.

The Norristown, Pa., *Times*, this week contains a fine picture of Prof. Samuel Webb Merritt,principal of Schissler College of Buisness. Prof. Merritt is a son of Rev. J. B. Merritt D. D. of of Worton Station.

FROM MILLINGTON.

Mr. Ben Duling is erecting a handsome residence for Mr. Frank Smith.

Millington M. E. Sunday School will observe Children's day both morning and night, June 10th. Program entitled "Flags and Flowers," with a flag drill.

Massey's M. E. Sunday school will use program, "Sunbeams," Sunday afternoon, June 10, for their children's day service, and it's fine; school numbers 80 pupils.

Dr. W. F. Corkran held first Quarterly Conference for Millington circuit, Saturday morning last.

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Leave Chestertown.....7.00 a. m.
Stopping at Rolph's,Booker's,Quaker Neck, Cliffs and Queenstown.
Leave Queenstown.....8.45 a. m.
Arrive Baltimore about.....11.30 a. m.
Leave Baltimore.....3.15 p. m.
Arrive Queenstown.....6.00 p. m.
Arrive Chestertown about.....8.00 p. m.

STEAMER B. S. FORD

Leave Centreville.....7.00 a. m.
Stopping at landings on the Corsica river, Bogles, Jackson creek and Kent Island.
Leave Jackson Creek.....8.30 a. m.
Leave Kent Island.....9.00 a. m.
Arrive Baltimore about.....11.15 a. m.
Leave Baltimore.....3.30 p. m.
Arrive Centreville about.....7.45 p. m.

SPECIAL.

Leave Centreville, Saturday only....8.00 p. m.
Leave Baltimore, Sunday only.....5.00 p. m.

STEAMER GRATITUDE

Leave Rock Hall.....8.00 a. m.
Arrive Baltimore.....10.15 a. m.
Leave Baltimore.....4.00 p. m.
Arrive Rock Hall.....6.15 p. m.

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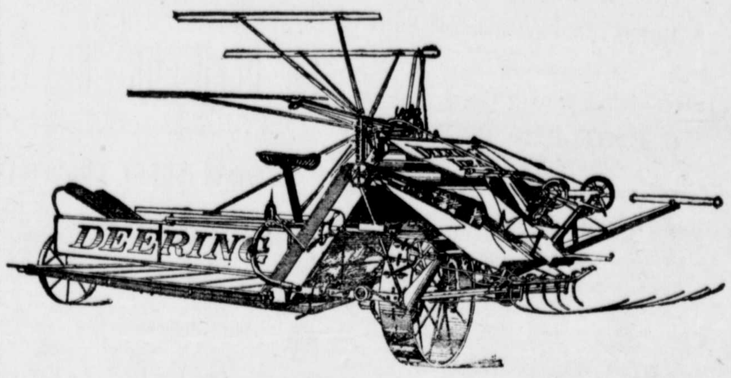

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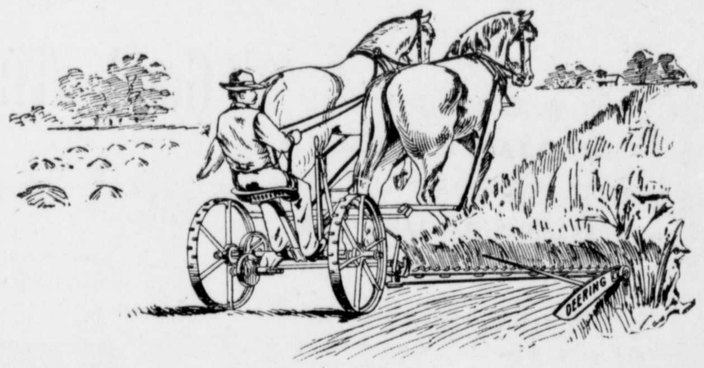

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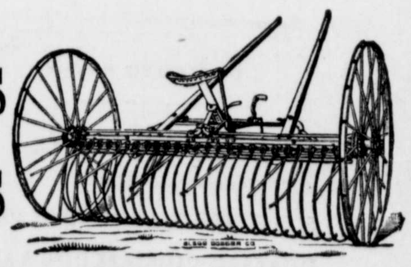

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