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SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 1901.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Public School Commencement.—The commencement exercises of the Chestertown Public School will be held in Stam's Hall next Thursday evening, June twenty-seventh, and will begin at eight o'clock. All patrons and friends are cordially invited to be present.

Capt. Barroll Transferred.— Capt. Morris K. Barroll has been assigned to Fort Howard, North Point, on the Patapsco. Captain Barroll has seen several years of active service in the Philippines and has received several promotions in rank for conspicuous valor. He this week arrived at San Francisco.

Second National Bank.—The directors and officers of the Second National Bank have in contemplation the introduction of a system of hot-water heating for their bank building. Judge Pearce, H. H. Barroll, Esq., and Cashier Copper, have been named a committee to consider the practicability, cost and other details, of the improvement.

Quick Payment.—The Washington Camp, No. 34, P. O. S. of A., on Friday of last week paid the death claim of H. Meeteer Wallis, amounting to $250. Mr. Wallis died on May 29, and it will be seen that this excellent order has acted with commendable promptness in settling the death claim of one of the most highly esteemed members of the local camp.

On to Boston—The Ladies Society of St. Pauls have supplied their rector, Rev. C. T. Denroche, with sufficient money for a sea trip to Boston and return. He left by steamer from Baltimore on Tuesday, 18th. Services will not be held on Sunday 23rd in either St. Pauls or I. U. Parishes. The Rector expects to be on duty again, Sunday 30th. We wish him a happy and beneficial voyage.

Saw the Wreck.—Several citizens of Kent saw the wrecked ferry boat, Northfield, as she lay at the bottom of New York harbor. Only a portion of the pilot house and walking beam of the Northfield could be seen. It will be remembered that the ferry boat Mauch Chunk and the Northfield were in collision and the Northfield went to the bottom and a number of passengers were drowned.

Hung on a Pile.—The steamer Emma A. Ford, met with a singular accident on her Monday morning trip to Baltimore. In making a landing at Wilkins' wharf a decayed pile was broken off, the stub catching the steamer just under her guard. For nearly a quarter of an hour she remained hung as it were on the pile. But for the skill of Capt. McConnor and his crew in handling the steamer much more serious consequences would have resulted.

Crowds Visit Tolchester—About 3,000 excursionists went to Tolchester on Wednesday on the steamers Louise and Sassafras and many were left at the wharf in Baltimore because the steamers were full. Greene Street German Reform Church, Emory Methodist Episcopal Sunday school, Summerfield Methodist Episcopal Sunday school, Messiah English Lutheran Church and the German Beneficent Society of Homestead gave excursions to the resort.

Found His Team.—Mr. A. J. Allen who last week registered at the Voshell House, Chestertown, and subsequently drove off with a livery team of Mr. Wm. T. Whitely, has not as yet been located, though he is wanted from California to Maine for numerous offences. Mr. Whitely several days ago located his horse and carriage at Queenstown, but Allen had gone, leaving his board bill unpaid. He left a suit case containing several soiled articles of wearing apparel and an unpaid hotel bill with Proprietor Lambert of the Voshell House. He also left an unpaid board bill with the generous proprietor of the Queenstown hotel. Allen is reported to be a noted crook, and is wanted in Baltimore and many other sections of the country.

Regrettable Resignations.—Horticulturists and agriculturists will alike regret to learn of the resignation of State Pathologist Prof. Charles O. Townsend, acting State Entomologist; Prof. H. P. Gould and Assistant Pathologist R. H. Pond, of the Maryland Agricultural College. The two former have secured positions in the recently created bureau of plant industry in the Agricultural Department at Washington, D. C. Mr. Guy L. Stewart, formerly Mr. Townsend's assistant, is an applicant for the place of pathologist. Mr. Pond will be employed in the United States Fish Commission and located for the present at Put-in-Bay, Ohio. Prof. Towsend is at present making a number of interesting experiments in combating enemies of Kent's large asparagus interests, and Prof. Gould has a series of experiments in fighting the San Jose scale and other pests, now under way in the county. Both of these gentlemen have done and are still doing a splendid work in the county and State, and their resignations will be learned of with general and sincere regret.

Almost a Runaway.—Mr. Garrett Foxwell, Mrs. Foxwell and Miss Foxwell, made a narrow escope from a serious runaway accident while returning home from Chestertown on Wednesday. Miss Foxwell was driving the pair of spirited horses and when near Morgnec the animals became frightened at a buzzard which flew up from the roadside. Miss Foxwell was managing the team splendidly but her father seeking to relieve her grasped the reins and threw his entire strength upon them; the reins parted and the horses dashed off at a terrific pace. Fortunately Mr. John H. Clendaniel appeared upon the scene just in time to assist in gaining control of the team and no damage was done.

LITTLE LOCALS.

† Town improvements are still under way.

† Substantial repairs are being made to Betterton's steamboat wharves.

† Wheat harvest will be on in real earnest next week. Good crops are promised.

† Some of the finest horses on the peninsula have appeared on the Rose-Hill track, near town, this week.

† Supt. Noland is busy sending out catalogues for the big Kent and Queen Anne fair. Let the school children remember the handsome premiums offered them.

† Kent's proportion of the State public school fund for the present quarter is—for white schools $2,885.13, colored schools $1,175 96.

† The Sudlersville base-ball team defeated the Kennedyville team last week by a score of 12 to 4.

† Big wheat, rough roads and a short grass crop are noticable features of Kent during these spring days.

† The "June drop" has not dropped all of Kent's luscious peaches. The outlook still is for a fair crop.

† Baltimore's City Council has requested a fund of $15,000 to be used in killing mosquitoes. If Baltimore will move to Kent she will save this useless expenditure. Strange, but Kent's crop of malaria and mosquitoes have gone to Baltimore.

† Mr. Garrett Foxwell will harvest 225 acres of wheat, commencing next Wednesday or Thursday. This is probably the largest cutting of wheat on any one farm in the county.

Mr. Wm. T. Money, of near Locust Grove, has 100 acres of corn which is waist high to the average man. This is the prize winner so far.

† Commencing with this week there will be no mail by way of Betterton on Wednesday.

† "Sovereignty and Salvation." will be the subject at Grace Presbyterian church tomorrow at 3 P. M. and at Worton Presbyterian church at 8 P. M. Sunday schools as usual.

THE SUPREME CONCLAVE.

Improved Order Heptasoph Rate Raised to 67 Per Cent.

The Supreme Conclave Improved Order Heptasophs, in session in Boston last week, effected legislation which is of vital interest and importance to members of the order in every section. The most important change made was to raise the rate to 67 per cent. This was considered the most practical way of dealing with the "double headers" or double monthly assessments which had been made necessary by the great increase in the death rate of the order. The double assessments were considered undesirable by the great majority of members who preferred a settled and stable system of assessment calls. The increased rate will insure, it is believed, a uniform number of twelve assessments each year and provide for a limited contingent fund. Instead of the usual expense assessment call, seven per cent. of the benefit fund will be appropriated to the expense of the executive body. Another important change was the grading of future benefit certificates. Members dying within one year after admission to the order will receive fifty per cent. of the face of their certificate, those dying within two years will receive sixty-five per cent., those during the third year eighty per cent. and after the third year the full face of the policy will be paid.

W. C. T. U. Executive Meeting.

A county executive meeting was held at the home of Mrs. H. B. Simmons on Tuesday, June 18th. Ten members and two visitors were present. The report of finance committee showed liberal collections at the late convention, leaving a balance in hand and completing its success in all ways. $1 00 each was voted Mrs. Shafer, Mrs. H. B. Simmons and Miss Virgie Skirven for literature to be used in the departments of narcotics, juvenile and Sunday school work. The president stated the need of funds to continue the good work at headquarters. The value of this branch of missionary work was discussed, and on motion, it was voted to make the next red letter day, July 4th, an occasion for contributing to the same. Unions are requested to respond. Suggestions for a new union were met by appointing a committee to take charge of the matter. By request the annual report of the corresponing secretary was read. Resolutions of commendation were voted such persons as have actively used their influence against the evils of the drink traffic, and our thanks to Fairlee Union for their effort in entertaining the convention. Flower Mission Day was observed at the almshouse, and by six large boxes of flowers sent to Baltimore by Chestertown Y and W.

PRESS SUPT.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. W. N. E. Wickes is the guest of Mrs. J. A. Merritt, Baltimore.

Miss Maud Melvin, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Susie Belle Culp, at her Washington avenue home.

Miss Josephine Tompson, of Philadelphia, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George B. McWhorter, Washington avenue.

The Court of appeals having adjourned until next fall, Judge James A. Pearce and Mrs. Pearce are now occupying their Chestertown home.

Mrs. Arthur Skirven and children, of Chicago, are the guests of Mrs. Skirven's mother, Mrs. Alice Constable, Queen street.

Editor S. Chester Coursey, of the Centreville *Record*, and Mrs. Coursey, attended the commencement exercises at Washington College this week. Mrs. Coursey was a graduate of the normal class of 1899. Mr. Coursey was also a student at the College and is one of the most active of the old students in advancing the best interests of the venerable educational institution.

Miss Reba Stewart, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Ada Barnett.

Miss Edith R. Riley, instructor of German, French and Drawing in Washington College, will take a special course in languages at the Summer School at Portland, Maine, during the summer months. She is now the guest of Miss Katherine K. Hobbs, at Denton.

Dr. C. W. Reid will start on Monday on a fishing trip in the mountains of West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Perkins, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eben F. Perkins, Front street.

Miss Mary Miller entertained her teachers from 8.30 to 9.30 on Thursday evening.

Mr. John G. Westcott gave a dance on Thursday evening at his home on the Chester, in honor of his guests from St. Mary's county.

Judge and Mrs. James Alfred Pearce gave a delightful dance last evening in Stam's Hall, from 8 to 11 o'clock, in honor of Miss Maude Ringgold, the debutante daughter of Mrs. M. C. Ringgold. After the dance the guests were entertained at an after-party supper at the home of Judge and Mrs. Pearce.

Miss Florence Barcus, Miss Elizabeth Satterfield, of Greensboro; Miss Jane Nicholson, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Hines and daughter, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John N. Dodd.

Mr. J. Frank Davis, business manager of the *Peninsula Methodist*, Wilmington, Del., is visiting his mother in Chestertown.

Miss Grace Solomon and Miss Woolman, of Riverton, are the guests of Mrs. Lewin W. Wickes.

Miss Elizabeth Morton, of Washington, D.C., is visiting Miss Fredrica Strong.

Miss Noyes and Miss Martin, of Port Deposit, are guests at the home of Mrs. Phisick, Queen Street.

Mr. Hughlett, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. Joseph Brice, Queen street.

Miss Parsons, of St. Mary's county, is visiting Mrs. W. E. Trenchard.

Mr. John G. Wescott, accompained by two St. Mary's county friends, is spending several weeks on his farm in Quaker Neck.

Mrs. E. W. F. Simpers and sons are guests of the Misses Sallie and Ella Wilkins.

Miss Shuster, of Wilmington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. F. Russell, Spring avenue.

Mrs. T. W. Eliason, Mrs. Wilbur Eliason and Miss Irma Eliason, left this morning for New Haven, Connecticut to attend the commencement exercises at Yale College. Mr. Eldridge Eliason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Eliason, will be one of the honored men of the Yale graduating class of 1901.

Master Sam Jones is clerking for D. A. Bacchus.

Mr. J. H. Hurtt was in town on business on Saturday last.

Misses Ida and Viola Erhart, of DeLand, Florida, is visiting at the home of Dr. J. T. Twilley.

Miss Beatrice Maslin, of St. Louis, Ill., is visiting her mother at Rock Hall.

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

Mr. Staunton Brown, of New York, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Brown.

Miss Bertha Barton, of Church Hill, is the guest of Mrs. A. Bell, Maple avenue.

Miss Jennie Parr, of Galena, started for a two month's stay in Virginia, near White Sulphur Springs.

Mr. R. Snowden Thomas has returned from a protracted stay at City Hospital, Batimore, very much improved in health.

Mrs. Howard Hubbard and daughter, Louise, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hubbard, on College avenue.

Mr. Samuel Vannort attended the Commencement exercises of Western Maryland College last week. Mr. Vannort is a member of the Board of Governors of that institution.

M. deK. Smith, Esq., wife and daughter, Miss Anna, are attending the Commencement exercises of Cornell University this week. Mr. Marion Smith, Jr., is one of the graduates in the engineering department.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Brown, of Fort Worth Texas, are spending the summer in Chestertown.

Miss Dorell McCollister, of Queen Anne, attended the commencement exercises on Wednesday as guest of Miss Mannie Dixon.

Mrs. Lowe, of Baltimore, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Richard Twilley, High street.

Mrs. Gardner, and little son, of Baltimore, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Brown, Queen street.

Mr. Spencer M. Hurt, of Philadelphia, attended the commencement exercises and cemmencement on Wednesday.

Miss Ethel Perkins, of Philadelphia, is visiting Miss Clara Vickers, Lauretum Place.

Miss Tropnell, of Virginia, is visiting Miss Bula Hayes, Washington avenue.

Mrs. N. Lieberman is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Rasin, at Melitota.

Miss Rebecca Trapnell, of Charlestown, West Virginia, is the guest of Miss Beulah Hayes, Washington avenue.

Miss Friel and Miss Elva Friel have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Boyd.

Miss Bessie Cole, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Beck, Queen street.

Miss Elizabeth Satterfield is the guest of Miss Grace Whaland.

Miss Elizabeth Ward is visiting Miss Minnie Massey, on Maple avenue.

Miss Stewart, of Baltimore, is being entertained by Miss Lottie Wickes.

COLLEGE VISITORS.

Not in many years have so many of the old students of Washington College attended the commencement exercises as during the present week. Among others were noted: Misses Elizabeth Williams, I. P. Barber, Eva Wright, Lillian Benton, Ethel Smith, Anna Beauchamp, Nan Hall, Emma Childs, Sarah Wailes, Elsie Norris, Miss Kirk, Mamie and Ella Downes and sister, Mamie, Ella, Anita and Edna Dawson, Clara Wilson, Emma and Mattie Davis, Marian Dickinson, Miss Pardee, Mrs. George Todd, Mrs. A. W. Woodcock, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. Eldridge Downes, Mr. and Mrs. S. Chester Coursey; Messrs. E. C. Cruikshank, J. S. E. Pardee, P. T. White, J. M. White, A. T. McDorman, V. F. Ward, J. I. and E. H. Coulbourne, C. C. Gumm, Rev. W. N. Sherwood, L. A. Davis, Rev. W. F. Venables, Rev. O. T. Baynard, J. Hall Anderson, Leroy Lynch, Walter Sheppard, H. A. Covey, Raymond Charles, Wilson Saulsbury, Edward and Bradford Downes, George McFeely and Frederick Owens.

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WHEAT.—Sales of sample lots, as to quality and condition, at 72, 75 and 75½c. Quote graded No. 2 red at the close nominally at 76 cents.

Western steady, July, 73¼. Foreign markets were generally ¼ up, but French were ¾ lower, while speculative on this side were inclined to be weak. Cash wheat continues in demand and could have been sold at any time, regardless of the situation, at 75½c. July, after being offered at 73¼, declined to 73. August was nominal at 72½.

Primary receipts were 468,000 bushels; same day a year ago, 619,000 bushels. Sales 1,000 No. 2 red, to arrive, 75½; 10-000 July 73⅛; car spot, 75½.

Inspections of wheat were, 18 cars, including 2 No. 2 red, 4 No. 2 red Western, 5 No. 2 Hard, 1 steamer No. 2 red, and 2 rejected.

Settling price, contract, 75½.

Settling price, steamer No. 2 red, 71½.

CORN.—The receipts of southern were very trifling in amount, consisting of only one small parcel yellow, which sold, by sample, at 46 cents. Quote prime white afloat nominally at 47½@48 cents. COB CORN by the carload is draggy. Quote prime yellow on spot at $2.30 per bbl.

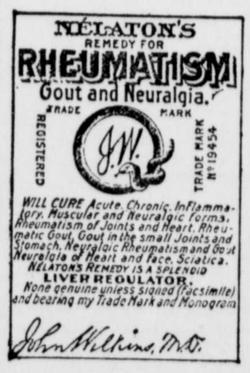
Western receipts were quiet and a shade easy. June was 46¼ and July 46½@¾. August 47 nominal.

Inspections of corn were, 120 cars, including 2 No. 2 white, 6 yellow, 109 mixed, 1 steamer white, and 2 steamer mixed.

Settling price, mixed, 46½.

Settling price, steamer mixed, 45½.

Stiff?



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Resolutions of Sympathy.

WHEREAS, Almighty God in His infinite wisdom, has seen fit to call from our midst Brother Wm. F. Blyman, and

WHEREAS, Brother Blyman was an highly respected citizen, a kind husband and father, and an active member of the Improved Order Heptasophs, honorably filling the highest office of this Conclave; was conservative in his arguments, impartial in his decisions and ever at his post of duty, and

WHEREAS, We feel that in the loss of Brother Blyman the family has lost a worthy companion and counselor, and the community a good citizen, and we, as Heptasophs, have sustained a loss which will ever be felt by us. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of Chestertown Conclave No. 371, Improved Order Heptasophs, extend unreservedly, the right hand of sympathy to the bereaved widow and family of our deceased brother, and may we bow in humble submission to the will of the Divine Father, remembering that Christ hath said,—"He that doeth the will of My Father shall not perish but shall have everlasting life."

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Conclave and be printed in the county papers, and a copy be sent the family of the deceased.

Committee:— C. C. HOPPER, S. R. MATTHEWS, J. B. MCINTIRE.

At a meeting held by the Daughters of America, Council No. 58, Chestertown, Md., the folowing resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God in His All-wise Providence to remove from our midst the husband of our esteemed sister, Carrie B. Wallis, and

WHEREAS, He was a kind husband, loving, generous and sympathetic, and

WHEREAS, We feel our sister has sustained an irreparable loss, has been deprived of a devoted and considerate companion. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved sister our sincere sympathy in this, the hour of her sore affliction, and commend her to Him who hath said,—"Come unto me all ye that are weary and heavy laden, and I will give you rest."

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread on the minutes of this Council; that they be published in the county papers and a copy be sent to our bereaved sister.

Committee:— E. B. WICKES, ANNIE C. HUDSON, JOHN E. MATTHEWS.

DIED.

HARRIS.—The two-months-old grand-child of Mr. J. W. Harris, of Chestertown, died this week. Undertaker Ferguson had charge of the interment.

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Notice to Horsemen!

HAVING arranged to work at Tolchester Beach during the coming season, I wish to announce to the horsemen of Kent and throughout the State, that I am prepared to handle horses on the track at the Beach. The track has been put in thorough order, and meets every requirement of other Association Tracks. Horses will receive my personal attention.

J. B. Pennington,

mar.30-3m KENNEDYVILLE, MD.

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