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**W. C. T. U. NOTICE.**

The Chestertown W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. S. M. Usilton, Wednesday evening, Nov. 6th, at 7 o'clock. This meeting being the first since the State Convention, a report of the same is expected from the delegates, which with other important business will make it an interesting meeting. A full attendance of the members desired.

By order of President.

**YORK STATE CALVES FOR SALE.**

I have 52 Head of York State Calves for sale——BULLS and HEIFERS. All High-grade Stock.

JOHN H. CLENDANIEL,
n2. Kennedyville, Md.

**CAUTION NOTICE.**

All trespassing with dog or gun is positively forbidden on the premises of the undersigned.

E. THOMAS MASSEY,
n2-3t J. T. SHALLCROSS.

**NOTICE TO GUNNERS.**

All persons are forewarned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise on the farms of the undersigned. The law will be enforced against all offenders.

GEORGE S. BIDDLE,
WALTER MORRIS,
W. R CLOW,
W. Y. BURKE,
*n2-3t

**CAUTION NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given that the law will be strictly enforced against all trespassers with dog or gun on the premises of the undersigned.

T. A. GODWIN,
EDWARD W. HEPBRON,
WILLIAM H. WHITELEY,
*n2 3t J. L. TURNER.

**NOTICE TO GUNNERS.**

Notice is hereby given that no trespassing with dog or gun will be allowed on the farm of the undersigded. All violations of this notice will be dealt with according to law.

o26-3t F. X. KRAFT.

**NOTICE TO GUNNERS.**

Notice is hereby given that the law will be strictly enforced against all trespassing with dog or gun on the following farms of the undersigned: The Shallcross farm where George Cox lives; the R. A. Cochran farm where John Cox lives, and the two farms where I reside.

o26-3t* THOMAS VANDYKE.

**TRESPASSERS NOTICE.**

The undersigned gives notice that the fullest penalty of the law will be meted out to all trespassers with dog or gun on the farm where he resides in Quaker Neck. No exceptions will be made, but trespassing will positively not be allowed.

o26-3t. THOMAS MASLIN.

**NOTICE TO GUNNERS.**

All persons are forewarned not to trespass with dog, gun or otherwise, as they will be dealt with according to law, on the farms tenanted by

JAS. L. CROUCH,
ROBERT H. MORGAN
R. RAWLEY,
JOSHUA R. JARRELL,
s19-3t. HOWARD CLENDANIEL.

**HOTEL REMOVED.**

I wish to inform the general public that I will be in my new house, "Hotel Pippin," and ready for guests, ON MONDAY MORNING NEXT. I will have no further connection with the Armstrong House, in any way, shape or form. I will be glad to see my old friends at my new house.

WILLIAM R. PIPPIN,
oc19. Prop'r Pippin Hotel.

**FESTIVAL and SUPPER.**

The ladies of Worton M. E. Church will hold a Festival and Supper at Gear's Hall, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, NOV. 1st & 2nd. All of the delicacies of the season will be served.

o5-5t. COMMITTEE.

# DEWEY PARK.

## Wednesday, Nov. 6th.

## Last Dance of the Season.

We take this opportunity to thank our patrons for the support they have given us the past season. The attendance has always been good. We hope to see you all again when we open for the season of 1902.

Very truly,
n2-1t. SHALLCROSS & MASSEY.


## Notice From Supervisors of Elections.

CHESTERTOWN, MD., OCTOBER 29, 1901.

Board of Election Supervisors met with full board. Harry Meekins was excused as back-door keeper in seventh district, and Milton W. Faulkner was appointed in his place.

The board ordered the bill for the ballot boxes paid.

Joseph E. Boyd qualified as a judge in second precinct, first district.

The clerk to the board was ordered to get supplies for judges and clerks of election; ordered to notify registers of voters to appear on Monday, November 4, to receive supplies.

Board adjourned to meet on Saturday at 8 o'clock.

☞ All judges and clerks who have not qualified are notified to meet the supervisors at that time.

J. RAYMOND BOWERS,
WILLIAM A. HYLAND,
WILLIAM S. CARROLL,
Supervisors of Election.


—CHOICE—

**NURSERY STOCK.**

I have for delivery this fall a fine lot of

**Apple, Peach, Pear and Plum Trees.**

Also a limited number of

**OPALESCENT APPLE TREES,**

the most wonderful apple of the century.

**OUR KEIFFERS**

Are Unusually Fine.

HARRY L. BOYD,
s21-11t. Chestertown, Md.


## BRIDES AND BRIDE-GROOMS ENTERTAINED.

### An Elegant Reception in Honor of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Graham and Mr. and Mrs. John Burchinal Hines.

Mr. and Mrs. John N Dodd entertained a number of friends on Tuesday evening from 8 to 11 o'clock P. M. in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Graham and Mr. and Mrs. John Burchinal Hines.

The spacious parlors, halls and dining room of the Dodd residence were beautifully decorated with palms, ferns and autumn leaves, while a flood of brilliant light added to the artistic beauty of the general effect.

The receiving party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Hines, welcomed their guests in the midst of a veritable bower of the tropics, while the rich colorings of a Maryland autumn gave just enough color to the picture to complete the perfection of its setting.

The dining-room was decorated in perfect taste, and the table was charmingly arranged. From a central point at the ceiling coiled white ribbons were caught at each corner of the table with Love Knots. Roses completed the beauty of the table ornamentation.

Among many others present were,—Mr. and Mrs George W. Hatcherson, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Beck, Mrs. Wm. R. Aldridge, Mrs. B. F. Fleming, Misses May Jones, Jennie Hines, Grace Wilkins, Lillie Greenwood, Hallie Connelly, Hallie Toulson, Mabel Toulson, Mary Fleming, Maggie Plummer, Bertie Burchinal, Cora Massey, Isabel Beck, Laura Thomas, Bertie Hines, Lucy Hines, Mabel Graham, Ida Stevens.

Messrs. D. Arthur Bacchus, M. deK. Smith, E. F. Perkins, Jr., Thomas W. Perkins, Thomas Massey, Arthur Bradley, Dr. H. L. Dodd, C. L. Dodd, William Lusby, Dr. H. G. Simpers, Raymond Simpers, J. A. Thomas, Thomas Massey and others.

## W. C.'S DEFEATED.

### A Stormy Voyage—Tug Master Got Lost and Kept Players out all Night.

The Washington College foot-ball team was defeated in a finely contested game with the Maryland Athletic Club, on the Union Park grounds, Baltimore, on Saturday.

The Baltimore *American*, in commenting upon the game, said that the college men "displayed wonderful pluck and nerve and fought hard for every inch of ground until the end of the game," against their "heavy opponents." The work of Vickers, Jefferson and Hitch, of the Washington College team, was referred to as conspicuous for its dash. Their play is spoken of as "brilliant."

The lineup was as follows:

| M. A. C. | W. C. |
|---|---|
| Kenley, le | le., Vickers, Hitch |
| Willett, lt | lt., Stephens |
| Tatem, Stocksdale, lg | lg., Quimby |
| Dickey, c | c., Deputy |
| Rothstein, rg | rg., Brice |
| Allen, rt | rt., Andrews |
| Brooks, Shea, re | re., Jefferson |
| Poe, qb | qb., Crew |
| Green, Rhinehart, lhb | lhb., Noble |
| Reese, Weeks, rhb | rhb., Marine |
| Sperry, fb | fb., Garey, Vickers |

Umpire—Dr. J. H. Whiteburst, Maryland Athletic Club. Referee—Mr. Clarence Perkins, Washington College. Timers—Requart, Maryland Athletic Club, and Kirk, Washington College. Linemen—Hughes, Washington College, and Dame, Maryland Athletic Club. Time of halves—20 minutes. Touchdowns—Willet (3), Weeks and Sperry. Goals kicked—Willett, 3; Green, 2.

A DANGEROUS TRIP.

The players left Baltimore at 7 o'clock on the small tug Comet. The bay was extremely rough, the waves ran as high as the windows and the cabins were drenched. These conditions made the trip uncomfortable enough, but to add to the discomfort of the defeated players, many of whom were sick, the captain lost his way, and after roaming about Chester river the greater portion of the night, arrived in Chestertown at 5 o'clock on Sunday morning.

The college team has disbanded for the season and cancelled games with some of the strongest teams in the State.

## A DOUBLE DROWNING.

### Young Tucker Entered Washington College Last Spring But Afterward Left.

E. Atwell Hopkins, aged 33 years, and Mordecai P. Tucker, aged 19 years, were drowned in Coxe's creek, Kent Island, Saturday, under distressing circumstances. They, in company with Charles E. Comegys and Harry Hopkins, Jr., went out sailing and the boat capsized. They all clung to the upset craft and clambered upon its bottom, but were unable to right it. They were an hour or so in this predicament, when aid went to them from shore. The rescue boat was a small affair, which was upset also in the efforts of the men to get into it and was sunk. A second rescue party set out from the shore and all were saved except Hopkins and Tucker.

Mr. Hopkins was the oldest son of W. H. Hopkins, of Kent Island. He was a good swimmer and could have saved himself, but he stuck to Tucker, who could not swim, and was so much hampered that both lost their lives. Mr. Hopkins had been in business in New York for the past five years. He was visiting his family on Kent Island, with his wife, spending his vacation. Mordecai Tucker, a kinsman of the Hopkins family, was the oldest son of William C. Tucker, who lives in Queen Annes, and is one of the eldest and most successful teachers of the county.

Young Tucker entered as a student at Washington College last spring, but after the first week returned to his home on account of his health.

There are 9 Democrats to be voted for in Kent county. Don't forget any of them.

## ELECTION MAMDAMUS.

### Court Orders the 10,200 "Official Ballots" for Kent County Reprinted Because of Use of Small Initial Letters in Party Names.

A considerable commotion was caused in political circles on Thursday, by the institution of Mandamus proceedings against Messrs. J. Raymond Bowers, William A. Hyland and William S. Carroll, constituting the Board of Election Supervisors of Kent county, to compel them to print the "official ballots" to correspond with the list of candidates as published in the papers of the county. The case was taken up for a hearing by Judges Pearce and Martin at 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon. The contention of the Republicans was that the party names in the list of nominations had been printed in the papers with the initials, capitals; that many citizens of the county would be deprived of the right of franchise, and that the printing of the party names on the "official ballots," with the initial letters in small letters, would make the ballots more difficult to vote, and would tend to confuse.

The contention of the Democrats was that the tickets had been carefully prepared and in strict accord with both the spirit and letter of the law; that the printing was uniform throughout, and that the illiterate vote of no particular party had been discriminated against, but that the members of all parties would be affected alike, and that the board of Election Supervisors acting unanimously (Mr. Carroll, the Republican, acting with his Democratic colleagues), had acted in good faith, and had not transcended their authority as clearly set forth in the Election Law.

The court was engaged in considering the case as presented by both sides until after ten o'clock when its decision was announced and an order passed to the effect that the "official ballots" should be reprinted with the inital letter of each party name a capital. The court held that as many persons had familiarized themselves with the lists of nominations as printed in the papers, and as the party names in that list had been printed with the initial letters, caps, a change to the small letters would render the ballot confusing and more difficult to vote.

The ballots printed were 10,200 apportioned among the districts as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| First precinct, 1st district | 1000 |
| Second precinct, 1st district | 1000 |
| First precinct, 2d district | 800 |
| Second precinct, 2d district | 800 |
| Third district | 1200 |
| First precinct, 4th district | 1000 |
| Second precinct, 4th district | 800 |
| First precinct, 5th district | 1000 |
| Second precinct, 5th district | 800 |
| Sixth district | 1000 |
| Seventh district | 800 |

## THE REED MEMORIAL FUND.

### An Acttve Interest Manifest in the Raising of Money.

The practical work of raising money to be devoted to the erection of memorial stones over the grave of Gen'l Philip Reed and on the scene of the Battle of Caulk's Field, is progressing most satisfactorily. Contributions of money and interesting letters have been received from prominent citizens throughout the country, and local assistance has been given.

The Baltimore *Sun* has given a most flattering editorial notice of the movement, and the *Evening News* has devoted space to a column article with a most excellent picture of the distinguished Kent county citizen, warrior and statesman. Such progress has been made as to warrant the calling of a meeting of the committee having the selection of the monuments in charge, to be held in the TRANSCRIPT office at 10 30 o'clock on Saturday next, November 9. Interesting data bearing upon this subject has been gotten, and the meeting will be one of great importance.

In the issue of the TRANSCRIPT of next week or the week following will be an elaborate and highly interesting article on the Battle of Caulk's Field, by Mr. Thomas Hill.

The citizens of Kent should respond with patriotic promptness and zeal to the fund being raised. Small contributions of persons of limited means will be as expressive of a patriotic interest in this worthy undertaking as will be the larger contributions of those more generously provided with this world's goods.

The patriotic orders of Rock Hall have made contributions to the fund, and it is especially desired that all patriotic orders of the county be identified with the work in hand.

## A SUNDAY SHOOTING.

### One Colored Man Accidentally Shot Another in Mr. Cochran's Kitchen.

Henry Sutton, colored, was painfully shot by George Braxton, also colored, in the stairs of Mr. Frank P. Cochran's kitchen, on Sunday morning. The men were handling a cheap pistol when, they claim, it was accidentally discharged, the ball taking effect in Sutton's shoulder. The ball entered from the front, struck the shoulder blade, was deflected and remained embedded in the fleshy portion of the body back of the shoulder. Mr. Cochran was not in the house at the time, and the first intimation which Mrs. Cochran had of the occurrence was when Drs. Scott and Latimer drove up to see the patient and asked where he was.

At last advices the ball had not been removed, but the man was doing well. Both men are from Virginia and comparative strangers in the county.

## COURT STILL IN SESSION.

### Forty-nine Election Appeals Decided—Other Interesting Matters Before the Judicial Body.

SATURDAY.

The interesting Cecil county ejectment case of Lenox Birkhead vs. Edwin Reeside and Mary J. Reeside was given to the jury, who rendered a verdict in favor of Birkhead. The particulars of this case are about as follows:

The ejectment case of Birckhead vs. Reeside, which was on trial at our last issue, was concluded on Saturday, when the jury, after short deliberation, rendered a verdict for the plaintiff.

Mr. Birckhead stated that in 1893 Dennison Reeside, brother of the defendant, applied to him for a loan of $6,000 on the property, known as the Marley Farm, which money Mr. Birckhead furnished; afterward when Mr. Birckhead proceeded to get a deed of the farm he was prevented from doing so by Edwin Reeside, the defendant, who claimed that that portion of the farm whereon he resided belonged to him. Value of property in question is about $12,000.

Edwin Reeside, the plaintiff, testified that his mother gave him a farm in Baltimore county, as a wedding gift, which farm his brother Dennison persuaded him to exchange for the property now in question. He stated that his mother didn't give him a deed for the Baltimore county farm as she died very suddenly and didn't have an opportunity to do so. Mr. Reeside also testified that his brother, Dennison, gave him a deed for the property in question. The plaintiff offered in evidence a deed dated August 3, '91, from Edwin Reeside and wife to Mary Reeside, which deed was acknowledged before a Justice of the Peace in the city of Baltimore,—said deed conveying to Mary Reeside the property to recover which this suit was instituted. Mr. Reeside denied having ever executed any such deed, also denied the signature as being his. He stated that the only time any deed for the property could have been given was on one occasion, when Mary Reeside came to his house and asked him to sign some paper, which he signed without reading. He said he afterwards thought it was a deed of the property he signed. Mr. Reeside was corroborated in this statement by his wife.

Miss Mary Reeside, who was called to the stand at a later stage of the case, testified that the paper which they (Reeside and wife) signed on that occasion had nothing whatever to do with the property in question, but said it was in regard to a farm in Carroll county, which stood in her mother's name; she also stated the paper was explained to them before they signed; she further stated that the signatures to the deed were the signatures of Edwin Reeside and wife; further testified that the farm in Baltimore county, which the defendant said he exchanged with his brother for property in question, was traded by her brother, Dennison for houses in Baltimore.

Several other witnesses, who worked on the farm, testified that they received all of their instructions from Dennison Reeside, and that Edwin Reeside, the defendant, never gave any orders or was never accounted to for any of the proceeds of the farm.

The case was a hotly contested one, both sides being represented by able counsel. The plaintiff was represented by Messrs. George A. Blake and Wm. S Evans, of Elkton; J. Paul Harris, of Baltimore, and Marion deK. Smith, of this bar, while the defendants were represented by Messrs. Albert Constable, of Elkton, and Harrison W. Vickers and R. D. Hynson, of this town.

The appeal case of Wesley Broadway, in which Broadway was charged with holding up Mr. Wm. E. DeFord on last Decoration Day, was next taken up. This was the case in which Mr. DeFord was held up by Broadway while driving through the line of march of colored veterans on their way to decorate graves of their comrades in the cemetery about one and a half miles from Chestertown. Broadway testified that he was acting upon instructions and upon an established precedent that the line of march of G. A. R. veterans would not be allowed to be broken. The court took a strong position and stated that no order of their organization could subvert the rights of the citizen on the public highway. Broadway's former good character was thoroughly established, and as the court stated saved him from a longer sentence. The court sentenced him to 30 days in jail and to pay a fine of $1 and costs.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

William Gladsky vs. Hugh McClosky, appeal from Justice Wilkins. McClosky sued Gladsky for $50 for a drill. Gladsky claimed that McClosky owed him for harvesting and threshing a crop of wheat and presented a bill in bar, offering to pay the difference. McClosky denied the debt. Jury trial, verdict for McClosky.

Part of Monday and Tuesday consumed in hearing the case of W. B. Price vs. W. J. and J. W. Robinson, an appeal from Justice Melvin. Mr. Price sold a horse at public sale and Mr. Robinson claimed, recommended the animal to be sound. The horse afterward proved to be blind and the Messrs. Robinson sued to recover the note which they had given for the horse. Price claimed that he only recommended the mare to be sound *so far as he knew*. The jury brought in a verdict for Robinson.

The case of Charles Brown, colored, charged with attempting to pick the pocket of Mr. Frank P. Cochran, at Tolchester, on July 4, was taken up on Tuesday afternoon. Jury trial, verdict guilty.

Juries were all discharged until Friday morning and Wednesday and Thursday set apart for the hearing of registration appeals.

REGISTRATION APPEALS.

James Gibbs, colored, 1st precinct, 1st district; petition to strike off granted.

David Lockerman, colored, 1st prec., 1st dist.; petition to put on granted.

Alex. Watson, colored, 1st prec., 1st dist.; petition to put on granted.

E. C. Sunfield, white, 1st prec., 1st dis.; petition to put on dismissed.

H. F. Walls, white, 1st prec., 1st dist; petition to put on dismissed.

Robt. Clayton, colored, 1st prec., 1st dist; petition to strike off granted.

W. T. Mallalieu, white, 1st prec., 1st dist.; petition to strike off dismissed.

Jas. C. Pinder, white, 1st prec., 1st dis; petition to strike off refused.

H. J. Toulson, white, 1st prec., 1st dis.; petition to put on granted.

R. E. Porter, colored, 1st prec., 1st dis.; petition to strick off granted.

B. J. Nickerson, white, 1st prec., 1st dis.; petition to strike off granted.

Wm. Legg, white, 1st prec., 1st dis.; petition to strike off granted.

Moses Hughes, colored, 1st prec., 1st dist.; petition to strike off granted.

J. E. Hazard, colored, 2d prec., 1st dis; petition to strike off granted.

Jos. Lusby, colored, 2d prec., 1st dis; petition to put on granted.

Louis Chambers, colored, 2d prec., 1st dist.; petition to put on dismissed.

J. H. Warner, colored, 2d prec., 1st dis.; petition to strike off refused.

Geo. Kilson, colored, 2d prec., 1st dis.; petition to strike off granted.

Tredas Sworden, colored, 2d prec., 1st dist.; petition to strike off granted.

Wm. Ringgold, colored, 2d prec, 1st dist.; petition to strike off refused.

Alex Mander, colored, 2d prec., 1st dis; petition to strike off refused.

Geo. Boyer, colored, 2d prec., 1st dis; petition to strike off granted.

Sam'l Riley, colored, 2d prec., 1st dis.; petition to strike off refused.

Thos. Roe, white, 1st prec., 2d dis; petition to put on granted.

Isaac Haywood, colored, 1st prec., 2d dis.; petition to put on refused.

Robert E. Daniels, colored, 1st prec., 2d dis.; petition to put on granted.

H. C. Meredith, white, 1st prec., 2d dis.; petition to put on granted.

Major Robinson, colored, 1st prec., 2d dis; petition to put on granted.

Lemon E. Morgan, colored, 1st prec., 2d dis.; petition to put on dismissed.

Geo. Henry, colored, 1st prec., 2d dis.; petition to put on granted.

Charles Scott, colored, 1st prec., 2d dis; petition to put on granted.

Richard Robinson, colored, 1st prec., 2d dis; petition to put on refused.

Sam'l J. Johnson, colored, 2d prec., 2d dist.; petition to put on dismissed.

Walter Milligan, colored, 2d prec., 2d dis.; petition to put on, under indictment, case continued to to-day.

Robert H. Briscoe, colored, 2d prec., 2d dis.; petition to put on refused.

B. H. Scott, colored, 2d prec., 2d dis.; petition to strike off granted.

Geo. A. Briscoe, colored, 2d prec., 2d dis.; petition to strike off refused.

W. H. White, colored, 3d dis.; petition to put on refused.

G. P. Nesbitt Trenchard, white, 1st prec., 4th dis.; petition to put on granted.

Dan'l, Miller, colored, 1st prec., 4th dis; petition to put on granted.

John Robinson, colored, petition to put on dismissed.

Wm. A. Taylor, colored, 1st prec., 4th dis.; petition to put on refused.

Sam'l Sheppard, colored, 2d prec., 4th dist.; petition to put on granted.

Geo. Camp, white, 1st prec., 5th dis.; petition to put on refused.

W. T. Crouch, white, 2d prec., 5th dis.; petition to strike off refused.

John Gable, white, 6th dis.; petition to put on granted.

John Lomox, colored, 6th dis; petition to put on dismissed.

Chas. B. Holden, white, 7th dis.; petition to put on granted.

## CHURCH NOTES.

### The M. E. Conference.

The 34th annual session of the Wilmington Methodist Episcopal Conference will be held in March next, but the meeting place has not yet been selected. Where it will be held is a question that is puzzling the presiding elders, who will make the selection. Previous to the last session, which was held in Wilmington, the conference did not adjourn until after it had decided where it next would meet, but last March, owing to the fact that no invitation was extended, the selection of the next conference seat was referred to the presiding elders. Crisfield and Denton have been mentioned as possible conference seats. The former could pleasantly entertain the conference, but the latter would be taxed to the utmost. If the conference were to go to Denton, four to six ministers would have to be entertained by one family. Despite the rumors to the contrary, the conference has not been invited to meet anywhere next March. It will convene then, however, and the presiding elders will select a good place, even though no invitation is forthcoming and the ministers have to pay the cost of their entertainment, which most of them prefer to do. Two-thirds of the ministers receive larger salaries than the laymen who entertain them at the conference sessions; and many laymen spend for the entertainment of the ministers more than they contribute to church benevolences in a whole year.

Divine services at the M. E. Church South, Chesterville, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Subject,—The Lamp. Services at night at 7.30; Sunday school at 10 A. M., E. S. Bratton, superintendent. Millington M. E. Church South, services at 3 P. M.; Sunday school at 2 P. M., R. Wesley Moffett, superintendent All are cordially invited to attend. I Ryder, pastor.

"Joseph" will be the subject at Grace Presbyterian Church to-morrow at 3 P. M, and at Worton at 7.15 P. M. Sunday school as usual.

*The about two thousand negro voters in Kent, practically constitute the strength of the Republican party of Kent county. It is their vote which controls the white farmer and the white taxpayer of the county.*

There are 9 Democrats to be voted for in Kent county. Don't forget any of them.

## CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW.

### Delightful Two-Night Programs for Entertainments For Town Improvement Fund.

The Ladies of the Town Improvement Association are making elaborate arrangements for their entertainments, to be given for the benefit of the Town Improvement fund.

The first evening will consist of a Chrysanthemum Show and a charming program of song, elocution and other features. The finest home talent will take part in the musical parts, a violinist from Wilmington will be present and an elocutionist of rare ability will give selections.

The committee arranging for the Chrysanthemum Show desires the co-operation of all chrysanthemum growers, that they may be able to present the largest and most beautiful display of chrysanthemums ever exhibited in the town.

All are invited and urged to send cut flowers, plants and designs. The premium list as arranged is as follows:

Largest single bloom, 1st and 2nd; best collection, 1st and 2nd; collection containing greatest variety in designs; best potted plant; best collection potted plants; best collection grown out of the county; best single bloom, grown out of county; best design in county, out of town; best collection in county, out of town; first premium, best plant of chrysanthemum in pot; best display of varieties in pots. The premiums, as heretofore, will be potted plants.

The committee requests that all exhibits be sent to the hall between two and four o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 12; at that time the committee will be present to receive and arrange them.

A SPLENDID SUPPER.

The second evening will be devoted to an elegant supper, for the serving of which the following committees have been appointed:

Colonial Tea Room—Mrs. James A. Pearce, Mrs. Hallie Gooding, Mrs. Chas. C. Hopper.

Supper Table Committee—Mrs. Jervis Spencer, Mrs. Jas. G. Beck, Mrs. M. A. Toulson, Miss Clare Vannort, Mrs. Harry Lloyd, Mrs. James T. Dixon, Mrs. W. Bladen Copper, Mrs. H. H. Klinefelter, Mrs. J. D. Bacchus, Mrs. C. E. Crane, Miss Maggie Plummer, Mrs. James Brice, Mrs. W. E. Jarrell.

Chrysanthemum Committee—Mrs. W. W. Hubbard, Mrs. H. B. Simmons, Mrs. K. Klinefelter, Miss Clare Vannort, Miss Clara Usilton, Miss Marian Lusby.

Palmistry—Mrs. Emile Sprague.

## ANNAPOLIS TAKES THIS LEG.

### Sudlersville Shooters Now Tied for Silver Team Cup.

The Sudlersville Gun Club of Queen Anne county went to Annapolis on Wednesday of last week, and shot a return match with the local gun club for a silver cup offered to the club which wins it two out of three times. Each team consisted of ten men and the shooting was at 50 birds per man. Annapolis won by 378 to 360, a lead of 18. The score:

| ANNAPOLIS. | | SUDLERSVILLE. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tyndings | 36 | Smith | 41 |
| Beall | 41 | Sudler | 34 |
| Beacher | 39 | Brown | 36 |
| Thomas | 35 | Seward | 43 |
| Knickenedt | 39 | Gould | 29 |
| Hemitz | 31 | Faithful | 32 |
| Cantier | 38 | Reid | 29 |
| Bennel | 37 | Wallace | 36 |
| Levy | 41 | George | 43 |
| Smith | 41 | Booker | 37 |
| Total | 378 | Total | 360 |

The first match was held at Sudlersville, where the home team was the victor. This makes the cup contest stand a tie. The other contest will be held on neutral grounds, probably on those of one of the Baltimore Gun Club's.

Messrs. Brown, Gould, Faithful, George and Booker, are well-known in Kent gunning circles.

## OBITUARY.

Mrs. Clara V. Scott, 40 years old, wife of Dr. Edward A. Scott, of Galena, and daughter of Mr. Sam'l J. Diggs, of Baltimore, died Wednesday evening of last week at the home of her father, 1717 East Baltimore street, of consumption. She leaves a husband and two young daughters. The funeral took place Saturday morning at 10.30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. W. D. McDowell, pastor of Broadway Methodist Episcopal Church, conducted the services. Interment in Greenmount.

Mrs. Scott had suffered for some time with consumption. She had only recently gone to the home of her parents having been at her home in Galena. When Mrs. Scott went to Baltimore it was known that her condition was serious.

CHARLES A. ESTES.

Mr. Charles A. Estes, died at the home of his father, Mr. Charles Estes, Queen street, on Sunday afternoon, aged 44 years. Mr. Estes had been a sufferer from consumption for some years but was only confined to his bed a short time. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Dr. Greenfield; interment in Chester cemetery. The following acted as pall-bearers: Walter U. Lusby, Frank H. Howard, Boyer Lusby, William A. Wheatley, William C. Sutton, Dr. Harry G. Simpers. Undertaker John N. Dodd had charge of funeral arrangements.

MRS. KATIE KIRBY.

Mrs. Katie Kirby, wife of Mr. George Kirby, formerly of Chestertown, died at the home of her husband, in Baltimore, on Tuesday morning, of consumption. She leaves six small children.

Don't forget Judge Brown, the Democratic Judicial candidate.

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