The Transcript.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1901.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Destroying School Property.—Vandals have been destroying property and committing other depredations at School No. 2, at Brice's gate, near Lankford. A reward is offered for the apprehension of the guilty party or parties.

Big Price for Horses.—Mr. William Clark, at his sale on Church Hill, on Wednesday, bid in a pair of Belton geldings at $373. All things considered, Mr. Clark considers this one of the finest pairs of animals in Queen Anne.

Horticultural Society Meeting.—The Maryland State Horticultural Society, Mr. James S. Harris, president, and ex-Senator Baker, of Kent, vice-president, will be in session in Baltimore, on Thursnay and Friday next, December 12 and 13.

Public Schools Will Close.—The public schools of Kent county will close for the Christmas holiday on Friday, December 20, and will reopen on Thursday, January 2. The TRANSCRIPT wishes a merry Christmas and a happy New Year to both scholars and teachers.

Big Judgment Satisfied.—The counsel for the American Strawboard Company paid into court $9,478 and the judgment in the damage case of Smith against the American Strawboard Company was satisfied on Wednesday. This amount includes $9,000 awarded as damages by the jury, interest and plaintiff's costs.

Investigating Fires.—State Fire Marshall Robert M. Price is investigating the series of fires which took place during the summer and fall near Sassafras. These fires were all reported in the TRANSCRIPT and were of a most suspicious character. The State Fire Marshall will leave no stone unturned to ascertain the causes.

Teachers Resigning.—Miss Amye Russell, teacher of school number 3, known as the Hanesville school, distict No 3, has resigned, her resignation to take effect December 30. Miss Katie P. Smith, teacher of school number 5, first district, Galena, has sent in her resignation, the resignation to take effect December 30. The vacancies have not yet been filled.

Fine Poultry Record.—Mrs. George Rollison may well challenge the State to surpass her record as a successful raiser of turkeys. She has this year raised 193 of as fine birds as can be found in the county or State. She has already sold 135 for which she received between $235 and $240, and still has 58 turkeys left. It would have been impossible to find a more inspiring picture of rural thrift than was presented by Mrs. Rollison's flock in Quaker Neck.

Capt. Leary Resigned.—Capt. Columbus A. Leary on Wednesday resigned as president of the board of almshouse trustees. Messrs. Copper and Bowers, the members present, entered protest, but Capt. Leary insisted that his health demanded that he take the step. He had been president of the board for six years and no man ever gave a more faithful or conscientious stewardship. Conservative, painstaking and intelligent in his every action, his services were of great value to his county. Mr. Milbourne A. Toulson was elected to the vacancy caused by Capt. Leary's resignation.

A MUSICAL TREAT.

Mr. Conradi Will Appear in a Delightful Program, and will be Assisted by Eminent Talent.

The citizens of Chestertown are to be congratulated upon the rare musical treat in store for them, and it is to be hoped that all will take advantage of the opportunity to hear these very distinguished artists who have so kindly given their services for the benefit of the Ladies Town Improvement Association.

Mr. Conradi ranks among the eminent artists of this country, and his appearance here will afford an opportunity such as has never been enjoyed by music-lovers of Chestertown and the county. Miss Wales is not wholly unknown to a few persons of Kent, and they are enthusiastic in their praises of her voice. Its richness and beauty charm, while personally she is extremely attractive. Miss Weil and Mr. Owst, have international reputatons. The latter has charge of the Harmony class of an European Conservatory of Music, spending about six months of each year abroad, and is also in charge of the Peabody Conservatory of Music, Baltimore. He is even more eminent as a composer both in this country and Europe. Mr. Primrose is the well-known baritone of Baltimore.

It is not only due to ourselves but to our distinguished guests of the occasion to see that a full and appreciative audience is present.

*†*The members of the Chestertown Ladies Improvement Association are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Hope H. Barroll, at 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon, to discusss matters of importance.

† The patrons of Buck Neck and Sales' wharf are clamoring for a Saturday steamer at those points.

LITTLE LOCALS.

† Washington College will close for the Christmas holiday on Friday, December 20.

† Kent county oystermen report that unfavorable weather has driven many tongers from the oyster bars.

† Tuesday last was one of the blustery days of the year for Kent county steamers. Many passengers were seasick.

† It is stated that Capt. W. C. Eliason, of the Tolchester Company, has promised to give Elkton a steamboat line if the river is deepened up to that place.

*†*Betterton watermen are figuring on legislation for the protection of up the bay fishing interests.

† A Kent county farmer who grows peaches, pears, and tomatoes, proposes to import Hungarian families to harvest his fruit crops. He will build living quarters on his place.

† The steam heating apparatus is being placed in the Pippin Hotel.

† The veteran watchmaker and jeweler, E. T. Willis, has left Chestertown and joined his family in Baltimore.

† Great numbers of peach baskets are being hauled through the streets of Chestertown from the factory of Crane, Hynson and Valliant.

† The sale of mules advertised to take place on Tuesday was prevented by the storm, but will take place to day.

† The cholera is sweeping off hundreds of dollars worth of hogs in and around Galena. Many Kent county farmers will have their pork to buy.

† Mr. Moffett has gotten a clue to the whereabouts of his team which was stolen from Still Pond church several weeks ago. It is not definitely located as yet.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Katharine K. Hobbs, principal of the Normal Department Washington College, read a fine paper before the Delaware State Teachers Institute on Wednesday, on the subject of Psychology and The Principles of Education. Miss Hobbs is recognized as one of the most representative advocates of advanced methods along all lines of Normal work in the South.

One of the Philadelphia papers gave a fine likeness of Mrs. W.E. Gunby, the wife of the Washington college student who several weeks ago astonished his fellow students by announcing that he was a married man, having secretely married a young lady of Philadelphia some months before.

Mr. D. U. Dewees, of Brenford, Delaware, has been the guest of Kent county friends this week, and was in Chestertown on Tuesday. Mr. Dewees was for years one of Kent's prominent politicians, and few men were more popular.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wickes will celebrate the tenth anniversary of their marriage with a Variety Wedding, at their pretty home, Napley, on Grey's Inn Creek, on Wednesday, December 17.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry B. Martin have been guests of Baltimore friends this week.

Miss Hallie Westcott attended the marriage of Miss Porter, at Church Hill, on Wednesday.

Miss Maud Gibson, daughter of Prof. J. W. Gibson, principal of Templeville graded school, has been awarded the scholarship to the Normal Department in Washington College, from Caroline county. She will enter January 4th.

Mrs. R. B. Taggart, of New Castle, Del., is spending the winter at Hawthorne Place, Betterton, Md.

Mrs. Rosalie Mitchell Schuyler has just returned from a visit to Philadelphia to the Water Color exhibition at the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts.

Mr. John N. Dood has been confined to his home by sickness.

Mr. J. Raymond Simpers spent Thanksgiving day in New York.

Prof. Thomas D. Bowers, of Easton, spent Thanksgiving with his mother in town.

Messrs. John Evans and John A. Russell spent several days last week in Philadelphia.

Mr. J. Hydie Thompson has recovered from a week's sickness and is able to be at his post in the store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams, of Goldsboro, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenly, Queen street.

Miss Maggie Fowler returned home Saturday, having spent the autumn months at the home of her sister in Cumberland.

Miss Nellie O'Haleran and Mamie Sheriden, of Baltimore, have been visiting the Misses Cannon, on High street, the past week.

T. Ireland Elliott, Esq., and sister, Miss Rose Elliott, of Baltimore, spent several days last week at "Lauretum Place," the home of H. W. Vickers, Esq.

Hope H. Barroll, Esq., and wife; Messrs. W. W. Chapman, William B. Usilton Jr., and other Kent countains witnessed the Army—Navy foot ball game in Philadelphia last Saturday.

Luther Greenly, the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenly, of Chestertown, broke his leg on Thursday while on a visit to his grandfather, Mr. David Foster, in Centreville. Young Greenly and Mr. Foster's young son were playing around Mr. Foster's stable when the little fellow fell out of the stable loft.

It is stated upon good authority that Dr. G. W. Simmons will remove to Sudlersville about New Years. Dr. Simmons is the father of Dr. H. Benge Simmons and has been assisting the latter in his large practice during the last two years.

MATRIMONIAL.

PERKINS—SHELMERDINE.

In the presence of the immediate families and a few relatives, at the house of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Shelmerdine, Germantown, Mabel Quayle Shelmerdine was married to Mr. Walter Wickes Perkins, Monday evening, December 2, at 6 o'clock. Charles Carroll Albertson, D. D., pastor of First M. E Church, Germantown, performed the ceremony.

Mrs. Raymond W. Tunnell, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor, and Mr. David B. Perkins, the groom's brother, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Perkins will be at home after January 1st, at 269 West Walnut Lane, Germantown.

MONROE—PORTER.

Miss Mary Virginia Porter, of Church Hill, Queen Anne's County, and Mr. D. Edward Monroe, of Baltimore, were married at noon on Wednesday, in St. Lukes Protestant Episcepal Church, Church Hill, by Rev. Chester M. Smith. The church was profusely decorated with chrysanthemums and evergreen and was artificially lighted throughout with wax taper, the effect being one of rare beauty. A large floral gate through which the bride and groom passed was erected in front of the altar. The bride was attired in a rich imported robe of white chantilly lace over taffeta trimmed in white chiffon medallion. Miss Nellie Valliant, of Church Hill, was maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Misses Helen M. Dudley, Carrie Louise Monroe, Mary Elizabeth Green, Maude Newnam and Ella Roberts. They wore pink silk mull over pink taffeta. Mr Philip M. Trueheart, of Baltimore, was the groomsman. The ushers were Frank C. Fossett, James L. Ives, Frank S. Dudley, of Baltimore; Harry Valliant Gould, W. E. B. Faithful and Dr. Norman Dudley, of Church Hill. An elegant wedding breakfast was served at the brides home, after which Mr. and Mrs. Monroe took the train for points north.

TEAMS NEVER BROUGHT BACK.

Jervis Jewell, it is Thought, May Know Something About Them.

The Mount Winans police on Monday arrested a man who gave the name of Jervis Jewell, and who they think responsible for the disappearance of a number of horses in Baltimore county, near the city, recently. The plan of the thief was to go to the owner of a team and state that he wished to hire a horse in order to ride out to see some woodland, with an idea of buying the tract. The team was never returned.

On Saturday last Mr. Frank Hammond, 26 Harford road, lost a horse valued at $85 in a similar manner. On November 27 Mr. William Eurich, of Stemmers Run was taken advantage of by this means, and on Friday Mr. William Renner, who lives near Catonsville lost an equine.

Jewell appears to be about 25 years old, says he is from Kent county and has a wife, who lives at 624 West Fayette street.

Sergeant Lurz and Patrolman Austin, of the Northwestern district, were sent to Mount Winans that night to bring Jewell to Baltimore, but when they arrived they found that Mr. Renner had laid a charge against him, so he will be held for the action of the county authorities.

CHURCH NOTES.

Kennedyville M. P. church will not be opened until Sunday, December, 14, when appropriate services will be held.

Rev Jonathan S. Willis, of Milford, Del., will lecture in Fairlee M.E. church, Wednesday night, Dec. 11. Subject, "Man and his Assets;" and in Worton M. E. Church, Thursday night, Dec. 12. Subject: "Plain Talk about Plain Things." There is a treat in store for all who hear this popular speaker.

CHRISTMAS TREATS.

The Sunday school of Union M. E. Church, at Worton station, is preparing a delightful program for their Christmas treat on Wednesday evening of Christmas week (Christmas night).

The scholars of Fairlee Sunday school will enjoy their annual Christmas treat on Thursday evening, the night after Christmas day. This arrangement will enable the pastor, Rev. J. M. Arters, to be present at both entertainments.

The Chestertown M. E. Sabbath school has selected the "Messiah's Kingdom" by Hall—Mack, as their Christmas service, which will be held Friday evening after Christmas day, and at which time the usual Christmas treat will be given the children.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The sale of a fine lot of personalty by Mrs. Julia R. Ringgold, near Edesville, will be found in this issue. This is probably the finest lot of personalty that has been or will be offered in the section of the County this fall and those wishing to add to or replentish their farm outfits should attend this sale.

Mr. Harrison W. Newnam advertises in this isue a fine lot of well-bred stock, as well as a fine lot of farm implements, at his home near Rolph's wharf, in Queen Anne county. Mr. Newnam has rented his farm to Mr. James Newnam for next year, and will discontinue farming.

One of the largest sales of fine and well-bred stock that has taken place in Kent county for many years, is advertised for Wednesday next, Dec. 18, by Mr. William T. Money, on the Janvier farm, Shrewsbury Neck. Read his advertisement sn this issue, as it speaks better for itself than we can write of it.

C. C. C.'S REORGANIZE.

A Pleasant Occasion at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Deringer.

The C. C. Club, of the second district, held its first meeting of the season, at the beautiful home of Mr. and and Mrs. Harry C, Deringer, Wednesday evening, Dec. 4. Progressive euchre was the game of the evening, and for several hours (there being seven tables) a most interesting and exciting contest was waged for the respective prizes, after which, at the bidding of the fair hostess, the members partook of a most delightful luncheon. The loss to the club of one of its most popular and expert lady players, was the only incident to mar the otherwise happy and auspicious reorganization of the C. C. C. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Comegys. Its members are:

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Deringer, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Comegys, Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Price, Mr. and Mrs Wm. H. Wallis, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Crow, Mrs. Wm. A Kennedy, Mrs. E. T. Comegys, Misses Etta Wallis, Susie Edson, Susie Sutton, Mable Comegys, Ida and Loula Crow, Mamie Kennedy, May Jones, Messrs. Philip G. Wilmer, John B. Parrott, Stephen Ford, William Hepbron, Eddie Wallis, Harrold and Bob Kennedy, Edmond Hurt and Walter Crow.

A MEMBER.

OBITUARY.

CHARLES E PERKINS.

Mr. Charles E. perkins, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Eben F. Perkins, of Chestertown, died at his home in Philadelphia, at 7.30 o'clock, yesterday morning. He had been in poor health for several years. A wife, Miss Carrie Harding, of North Carolina, before marriage, survives him. Mr. Perkins graduated at Washington College in the class of 1884, and then studied law in Philadelphia in the office of his uncle, Mayor Charles Warwick. After being admitted to the bar he received an important appointment in the law department of the city government, which position he filled with eminent ability up to the time of his death. He Was 36 years of age. Interment will be made in Philadelphia, on Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

SARAH W. SHUSTER,

Mrs. Sarah W. Shuster, relict of the late Samuel Shuster, died of pneumonia, at the home of her son-in-law, Walter F. Sparks, at Fairlee, yesterday, in the 84 year of her age. She was sick but one week. Funeral services will be held at her late home, to-morrow, Sunday, at 11 o'clock, Rev. J. M. Arters, officiating.

Interment will be made in Chester cemetery. The bearers will be as follows:—J. P. Nicholson, Thomas W. Skirven, John Bell, W. E. Keyser, James Bramble and E. N. Roland.

BLANCHE ELBURN.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Elburn has been sadly stricken within the past two weeks. Blanche, the eighteen-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elburn was taken with whooping cough several weeks ago and died on Thursday of last week. As the little body was being laid within the shadows of old St. Paul's, Annie, the fourteen-year-old sister, passed away. Annie had had the typhoid fever, and during the weakness caused by this protracted illness, the whooping cough developed, and the two were more than the little life could successfully battle against. Death came during the services over the body of the baby sister. The remains were laid to rest at St. Paul's, on Sunday, Rev. J. L. Elderdice officiating. The bearers for little Blanche were: John Adkinson, William Frances, John and Marion Hadaway. The bearers for Annie were: Elwood Burgess, Burtie Adkinson, Lloyd Gale, Pearl Wheat, Robert Lewis and William Shriver.

J. P. LEARY.

J. P. Leary, son of James L. and Mary Leary, died of heart trouble at the home of his parents on Sunday, aged twenty-five years. Mr. Leary was popular and successfully conducted the mercantile business of Capt. C. A. Leary between Edesville and Rock Hall.

The remains were interred in Wesley Chapel cemetery on Tuesday. The bearers were: C. A. Leary, O. P. Leary, Elmer E. Leary, William, Samuel and Vachell Burgress.

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Leave Queenstown at ..... 8.45 a. m
Arrive Baltimore at ..... 12 m
Leave Baltimore ..... 2.15 p. m
Arrive Chestertown ..... 7.15 p. m

STEAMER B. S. FORD

Will leave Centreville at 7.00 a. m., stopping at landings on Corsica river, Jackson Creek, Kent Island.
Leave Jackson Creek ..... 8.30 a. m
Arrive Baltimore ..... 11.45 a. m
Leave Baltimore ..... 2.30 p. m
Arrive Centreville, Saturday ..... 7.30 p. m

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