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LOCAL MATTERS.

Collection Notice.—It is necessary to call the attention of the friends of the TRANSCRIPT to the fact that a number of bills sent out at the opening of the year have not been responded to. It is desired to straighten up, as far as possible, old business. Then too, money is absolutely necessary to the successful management of a live, up-to-date newspaper.

Rural Delivery on Horseback.—Because of bad roads Carrier Willis, of Chestertown Free Rural Delivery No. 2, went out on Thursday on horseback. A little novel, but it was an improvement on the usual wheel vehicle.

Stole The Chickens.—Some one entered the back yard of the store of Mr. J. F. Thompson on Saturday night and carried off some of his poultry. Mr. Thompson heard a commotion back of his store and reached his backdoor in time to see the thief escape over a rear fence.

Going Into Business Life.—Ex-sheriff John C. Davis has decided to re-enter the sphere of business life and has rented the store-room of Mr. R. R. Hatcherson, High street, opposite the Voshell House. Mr. Davis will deal in feed stuffs, fertilizers and agricultural implements.

Contract Awarded.—Mr. Joel R. Clements has contracted with Messrs. W. S. and A. M Culp for the erection of two double houses, on his lots near Janes M. E. Church, Queen street. Three bids were received for the work as follows: W. S. and A. M. Culp, $1,100; Walter T. Pippin, $1,188; W. S. Carroll, $1,258.

State Bar Association.—The executive council of the State Bar Association has determined to hold the next annual meeting at Ocean City, Md., on June 26 and 27 next. The committee of arrangements consists of Messrs. Frank G. Turner, Charles W. Heuisler and Joseph C. Mullin, of Baltimore, Hope H. Barroll, of Chestertown, and Clayton Purnell, of Snow Hill.

Court on Monday.—Judge James A. Pearce came to Chestertown on Saturday and drew the jurors for the April term of court at night. On Monday he presided at the mid-winter or non-jury term of the court. The court was principally engaged with the entering up of judgments and routine work, no matters of special importance or interest coming before it.

Cannery at Deep Landing.—Capt. William Van Dyke accompanied Messrs. Schenckle and Ryan, representing the H. T. Hemingway Packing Co., of Baltimore, to Deep Landing yesterday. The gentlemen are prospecting for the establishment of a cannery at that point. A number of prominent farmers in the vicinity were seen and the outlook is favorable to the establishment of the cannery.

Mr. Hayes Will Filed.—The last will of Theodore E. Hayes was filed for probate in the Orphans Court, on Tuesday. Mr. Hayes left all of his property, resl, personal and mixed, to his wife, Annie T. Hayes, who is named as executrix without bond. The will was witnessed by Hope H. Barroll and W. B. Copper, and is dated January 27, 1897. The estate is now estimated at from $90,000 to $100,000.

Supt. Wright.—Mr. J. King Wright, who has been offered the superintendency of the Home Light plant, arrived in Hagerstown and had a conference with Dr. Wareham, president of the Board of Street Commissioners. Mr. Wright has had excellent experience, having constructed the plant at Chestertown and built up a nice business for it. Mr. Wright signed the contract prepared for Mr. Johns; he will have $1,200 and will take charge Feb. 1st.—*Hagerstown Mail.*

A Valuable Time Peace.—Dr. J. B. Merritt, of Easton, son of Rev. J. B Merritt, of Worton, has an old clock which he values at $250. It is a fine time keeper, and the wood work is of mahogany. In 1776, at the time of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, it was the property of Cæsar Rodney, of Delaware. It has had several owners since that time, and it was but recently the doctor got trace of the clock. He also has a sideboard which is considered one of the handsomest pieces of antique furniture to be found in Talbot county. One day while the doctor was making a call at the home of a patient who lived in a rickety old house, he discovered the side-board up-stairs, and he immediately purchased it. The upper story of the house had been repaired many years ago, and the window was not large enough to admit of the side-board being taken through. The doctor hired a couple of carpenters, who, after taking out an end of the building, lowered the much-sought-after piece of furniture to the ground.

LITTLE LOCALS.

† Prominent citizens of Rock Hall want their town incorporated.

† Galena Cornet Band will celebrate its anniversary by an elegant supper on Tuesday, January 28.

† Mr. Adkinson has succeeded Mr. Pennington in the management of the Still Pond creamery.

† A young white man and a colored man from a vessel lying in Rock Hall harbor, were sentenced by Justice Jewell to six months in the House of Correction for stealing chickens from Capt. George Mariner.

† Capt. G. Frank Satterfield, in command of the oyster police schooner, captured two dredge boats on Wickes' Beach, last week. The police captain was forced to fire on the pirates and one captain was slightly wounded.

† Bad roads are now the order of the day.

† Mr. W. F. Wiggins, of Queen Anne is furnishing the Chestertown market with home-grown lettuce.

† Mr. Newhouse, the Southern stock dealer, who so mysteriously disappeared in Baltimore on Christmas eve, was personally known to Mr. William E. Jarrell.

† Bad roads make Rural Free Delivery popular with many farmers.

† A meeting of the board of directors of Chester Cemetery Company was held last week at which the treasurer and secretary, Joel R. Clements, made his annual report.

† Col. E. P. Stacey has a desirable position in the freight department of the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Broad street station, Philadelphia.

† Mr. William Baxter drove from Wilmington to his home in the Second district, with a single horse, on Wednesday.

† Mr. William M. Clendaniel had his hand painfully injured while haltering a colt one day this week.

† The Anthony Groves, Jr., of the Philadelphia Line, was several hours late, and reported much ice in the upper bay on Wednesday.

† Large shipments of baled hay are being made to Kent county farmers and livery men.

† A prominent farmer sold 9 seven-month-old pigs for $100 this week.

† A successful farmer states that it costs him from $300 to $350 more to meet current expenses on the same farm, than it did eight years ago.

† Dr. G. Allen Jarman and Mr. C. H. B. Massey attended the sale of W. T. Harriott at Chesapeake City, on Monday. Garrett, a registered stallion, Myrtleton, Jr., brown stallion, and other well known straus were offered for sale.

† Mr. Isaac Robinson was in Chestertown on Thursday looking after his business interests.

† Lewin W. Wickes, Esq, has been confined to his home several days this week by sickness.

† Cute, the 16 year-old dog of Mrs Joseph Guest is dead.

† Railroad talk is sharing honors with no other subject in Chestertown. Tomato talk is the absorbing subject with farmers.

† Lamb records are gradually growing.

† New Jersery pork is selling at 7½ cents.

† A gentleman in town several days ago said that $2,000 would establish a broom factory in Chestertown. He declared that it would be a paying investment.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The marriage of Miss Mary Isabel, daughter of Mrs. Ellen and the late Dr. Samuel Beck, and Mr. John N. Roberts, of Memphis, Tenn., son of the late Rev. Dr. S. C. Roberts, will take place in Emmanual P. E. Church, Chestertown, on Wednesday next, January 29th, at 12 o'clock noon, Rev. Dr. H. B. Martin officiating. No cards have been issued.

Miss Annie Brownley is the guest of her cousin, Mr. William Spear Brownley, at the Pippin Hotel.

Thanks are due Mr. William Welch for an interesting copy of the Monthly Journal, International Association Machinists.

Mr. Rufus F. Parks and Mr. Claude Parks have both been sick during the past week. Mrs. Claude Parks was expected to arrive in town on Thursday but found it impossible to come.

Miss DeGoll has been visiting Miss Rebecca Wickes, Front street.

Miss Cora Massey has been the guest of Mrs. J.A. Perkins, Jr., Lansdowne, Pa., Miss Massey is now a guest at the home of her brother, Mr. Norman P. Massey, Jersey City, N. J.

Mr. H. P. Skipper, of Bedford, Massachusetts, is in Chestertown arranging for the enlarging of the residence which was last year built on his finely located farm just across Chester river from Chestertown. When all improvements are completed Mr. Skipper will bring his family to the new home.

Mr. George Gledhill, whose illness has been noted in the TRANSCRIPT, has undergone a successful operation in Baltimore hospital.

Judge Joseph A. Wickes has been quite sick at his home for two weeks past.

The St. Paul's Sewing Circle met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bell on Thursday evening, when a delightful program was enjoyed.

After a protracted rest, Miss Mary Hurtt has so far improved in health as to be able to resume her classes in music and at Washington college in the early spring. Should it be deemed inadvisable to take up the work so soon, she will certainly resume her music work with the early fall.

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

Mr. Thomas J. Willis, of Worton, is visiting friends in Talbot county.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Davis spent a portion of the week in Philadelphia.

Mr. Charles Kibler, of Philadelphia, has been visiting his father, in town.

Miss Grace Cockran, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Bennett, High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Shinn, of near Chestertown, last week visited relatives in Wilmington, Del.

Mr. Milton Peregoy, of Wilmington, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Peregoy, Mill street.

Mrs. Wm. J. Morrison went to Baltimore Friday morning and will enter the City Hospital for treatment of injured limb.

Miss Mamie Du Hamel and Guy R. Biddle, both of Cecil County, were married by Rev. A. P. Prettyman, pastor of the Galena M. E. Church.

Mrs Thomas W. Eliason is the guest of Baltimore friends. Mrs. Eliason will visit Miss Irma, in Washington, during her absence from Kent.

Mr. Merritt Brice entertained the members of the C. C. C. and a number of friends at the home of Mr. W. Tilden Brice, at Lankford, last night. An elegant supper and dancing were the features of the evening..

Mr. John McKee, of Morgnec, stole a march on his unsuspecting friends and married Miss Mary McGugan, in Washington, D. C., on Thursday, January 16. Rev. Father Dolen, of St. Patrick's church, officiated.

Miss Mary Beck, who will be married to Mr. John N. Roberts on Wednesday next, has been entertained at lunch by Mrs. H. M. Brown, Mrs. W. F. Hines, Miss Blanche Constable and Mrs R. H. Constable. Mrs. James G. Beck entertained the King's Daughters, of which Miss Beck is a member, yesterday afternoon in her honor, and Mr. and Mrs. William W. Beck will entertain a party of friends in her honor at an oyster scald this afternoon.

Mrs. John Walter Smith, wife of the Governor, held the third of her winter receptions at the Executive Mansion on Thursday. The callers were very numerous, many of the members of the Senate and House of Delegates being among them. Assisting Mrs. Smith to receive were her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Douglas Foster, of Baltimore; Mrs. Pearce, wife of Judge James Alfred Pearce, of the Court of Appeals, of Chestertown; Mrs. Fell, wife of President Thomas Fell, of St. John's College; Mrs. Nevett Steele, Mrs. Barnette, Miss Nan Owen and Miss Mabel Murray, of Annapolis Mrs. George E. Upshur, Miss Upshur, Miss Dougherty, Miss Dennis, Miss Stieff and the Misses Waters, of Baltimore, and Miss Mitchell and Miss Bull, rom Racine, Wisconsin.

CHURCH NOTES.

Dr. Martin's plain talks to men on Thursday evening in the Sunday school room at 8 o'clock, are for all men, young and old, who may feel inclined to attend. A most cordial invitation is hereby extended to them.

Dr. F. T. Tagg, editor of the Methodist *Protestant*, the official organ of the Methodist Protestant church in Maryland, will occupy the pulpit of Christ M. P. Church on Sunday (to-morrow) morning and evening, and will address the Sunday school in the afternoon. Dr. Tagg has made of the *Methodist Protestant* the very best church paper received in the TRANSCRIPT sanctum, and indeed, there are few more readable, newsy church papers published anywhere. The TRANSCRIPT editors are under obligations to the *Methodist Protestant* for some of the most profitable and interesting articles which are found in its columns from week to week. Dr. Tagg's editorial utterances, like his religion, are sound, vigorous and rich in profit to the reader. His sermons likewise, are always stamped "sterling" in every respect.

A large company of Wesley Chapel congregation, on Thursday, the 16th, descended upon the parsonage and the pastor found himself placed "in the hands of his friends." This statement, however, has no political significance as all party, and even all denominational lines were forgotten in the efforts made to show the regard and appreciation entertained for the pastor. Of course there was a "feast of good things," both for the physical and the mental man. Several of the ladies performed on the piano. There were songs and choruses and an unusually fine recitation by Miss Hattie Lewis. All went "merry as a marriage bell," and when the guests departed, there was found to be abundant provision for "both man and beast." The occupant of the parsonage can hardly be blamed for feeling that the lines have fallen unto him in pleasant places.

Miss Anna G. Lambert and Messrs. M. A. Toulson and M. W. Thomas, the committee appointed to purchase an organ for the Chestertown M. E. Sunday school, went to Baltimore last week and secured a handsome Mason and Hamlin instrument which they have on trial.

Mr. Charles Park, representing the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. delivered a series of interesting addresses to the students and others in the chapel at Washington College. On Friday, his subject was Practical Religion; on Saturday his talk was exclusively to men, and on Sunday afternoon his theme was, We are Indebted both to Greek and Barbarian.

Presiding Elder Corkran will occupy the pulpit in the Chestertown M. E. church to-morrow (Sunday) evening.

Preaching at Morgnec Church Sunday, the 26th, at 2.30 P. M., subject: "The Faded Flower." Parents, come and bring your children. Wm. B. Coleman, pastor.

Kesley Chapel M. P. Sunday school on Sunday elected the following officers; Superintendent, Mrs. Walter Fletcher: assistant, Miss Maude Thompson; secretary, Miss Lizzie Saunders; treasurer, Capt. Herbert Fletcher; librarian, Mr. Thomas Vickers; organist, Mrs. Herbert Fletcher; assistant, Miss Clara Staats.

Christ M. P. Sabbath school elected the following officers last Sunday afternoon: Superintendent, Wm. B. Usilton; assistant, W. A. Wheatley; secretary, Miss Mamie Thompson; treasurer, Miss Clare Vannort; organist, Miss Gertrude Sappington; pianist, Miss Clare Vannort; leader of orchestra, Mr. A. M. Culp; Messrs. J. N. Dodd, John C. and Foster Cannan; superintendent of primary department, Mrs. A. M. Bowers; assistant, Miss Marion Lusby; librarians, Messrs. James D. Lucas, J. Raymond Simpers and Kennard Aldridge.

The presiding elder met with the official board of Janes M. E. Church on Monday, and succeeded in bringing about a partial and temporary truce between the warring factions in the official body. The unfriendly brothers were asked to shake hands and make up, which they did. The old board was re-elected and pastor Horsey was asked to return.

Rev. T. F. Beauchamp, of Still Pond, and Prof. Harris Crew, are assisting Rev. Mr. Covey, of Pomona, with his revival services.

Rev. R. W. Todd, is again able to occupy his pulpit.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

On the eighth page of this issue will be found an advertisement of the Huber traction engine and Huber thresher. Mr. J. A. Rose, the general manager, has been in the county during the week driving around with his local representatives, Mr. W. C. Rolph, of Millington, and Mr. H. D. Orem, of Chestertown. These gentlemen will have from time to time many other articles to offer our farmers. Watch their change of advertisement.

Mrs. Nellie B. Ashley has had erected a comfortable store-house in Rock Hall and will open a store with a full and carefully selected stock of goods.

MARRIED.

JONES—REESE.—Mr. Raymond Jones and Miss Edith C. Reese were married at St. Paul's church, Jan. 8th, by Rev. C. T. Denroche.

BLACKISTON—HARRIS.—Mr. Thomas Blackiston and Miss Hennie Harris, both of Chestertown, were married Jan. 17th, at Salem parsonage, Fairlee, by Rev. J. M. Arters.

McKEE—McGUGAN.—Miss Mary A. McGugan and John McKee were married at Mass by the Rev. Father Dolen, St. Patrick's church, Thursday, 16th of January, Washington, D. C.

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