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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1902.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The New School Building—All furniture and other equipments have been ordered for the new Chestertown public school building,and it is expected that the new home for the public school will be occupied about December 1

Mill Not Sold.—The Urieville or McKnett mill property which was offered by Lewin W. Wickes, Esq., at mortgagee's sale on Monday, was bid in at $2,600 by a representative of James S. Coates, of Philadelphia, the mortgagee. This is one of the oldest and most valuable mill properties in the county.

Miss Walters Appointed.—Miss Nellie E. Walters, of Pocomoke City, for a number of years one of the most efficient teachers in the Kent county schools, has been appointed to the vacancy in the Hibernia school. Miss Walters taught in the Chestertown school for a long time. The vacancy at the Hibernia school is caused by the resignation of Miss Dora M. Loller.

Mother Will Take Baby.— Mrs. Robert H. Latham, who was sentenced to six months in the House of Correction for violating the local option law, and who was refused admission to that institution with her two-months-old child, was again taken to the House of Correction yesterday by Sheriff Fletcher. Mrs. Latham's mother consented to take the baby and the difficulty was at once solved.

Mr. Shallcross Injured.—Mr.Thomas J. Shallcross, one of the most widely known citizens of Kent,sustained painful injuries two weeks ago from which he is now recovering. Mr. Shallcross fell from a hay mow to the ground, a distance of fully fourteen feet. Dr. J Horton Kelley was promptly summoned and pronounces his patient as recovering nicely and in good spirits.

A Big Yield.—Mr. James T. Ireland has an acre of ground on his Churn Creek farm which has actually yielded him 100 bushels of corn. Now, this is corn growing and no mistake. Mr. Ireland is willing and does throw down the gauntlet to any other farmer in all the country round about to beat this yield. Its up to the best of them to even equal it.

Not Quite to the Standard.—Mr.Geo T. Parvis, a merchant at Millington, has a ear of corn in his store which measures 13½ inches in length and has 882 grains of corn on it. Who can beat it?—*Record* Why, Mr. A. H. Johnson's ear of 13¾ inches beats it in length. An office rat, however, shelled Mr. Johnson's ear and failed to count the grains, so that point must remain unsettled.

Mrs. Tule Lost.—The claims of Mrs Ella Tule that a valuable mare included in the inventory of the estate of the late W. H. Baxter,belonged to her,was heard before the Orphan's Court on Tuesday. After hearing evidence and argument the court failed to take Mrs. Tule's view of the matter and decided that the animal in question belongs to the estate. Mr. Barroll, Mrs. Tule's attorney, will take an appeal. W. W. Beck represented the estate.

In Hard Luck.—Mr. Hayes Austin was in hard luck in his pugilistic exercises of recent date. He and Mr. Clarence Dadds suffered their angry passions to rise; Mr. Austin, Mr. Dadds claims, "assaulted" him, with which opinion Mr. Austin evidently agreed, for he promptly tramped to Rock Hall, a distance of eight miles and paid constable Jewell the sum of $3.10 to pay for the luxury of a setto with Mr. Dadds. The courts have decided that a man cannot go up, pay fines and deprive the State of the appearance of its witnessss,and no sooner had Mr. Austin paid the $3 10 than he was told by Deputy Sheriff Startt that he must appear before Justice France and have a hearing. This was done and the case is now being held under consideration by the Chestertown justice.

Looking for Farms.—The advantages offered by Kent county are becoming daily more generally well-known. In climate, soil and other desirable conditions this section is without a counterpart in Maryland Messrs. William G. and Samuel F. Evans, with their families, from Pittsburg, Pa., have taken up their residence in Kent. For the present they will reside in Chestertown. The latter will take rooms with Mrs.J.B. Burchinal in the new Hubbard building. Later they will engage in farming.

Phaesants Have Prospered.—The experiment of Mr. W. Irving Walker in raising phaesants on his Round Top farms, has proven eminently satisfactory. Last year Mr. Walker released three hens and a cock phaesant. The birds at once took to the splendid cover in which the Round Top Farms abound and were only occasionally seen afterward. Food was placed where they could get it during the winter and evidently the birds have prospered. Mr. Walker states that he has now as fine covey of the birds as can be found in the State. He is guarding his treasures with great care and will allow no one to hunt where it is possible that the rare pets may be interfered with.

An Unpleasant Experience.—Mrs. William W. Beck and her little daughter, who are now guests of St. Louis friends, had an unpleasant experience during their trip to the west. The train on which Mrs. Beck,Mrs. W.S. Walker and Miss Nelie Walker went, had a head-on collision in which three men were killed outright and others were injured. Mrs. Beck saw a poor fellow taken from the wreck with his arm cut off and otherwise mutilated and bruised. We are glad to state that no injury befell the Kent county party.

Kicked by a Horse—William Davis, the 4-year-old grand-son of Mr. John H. Greenwood, was badly kicked by a horse yesterday afternoon. The little fellow went into a nearby lot and it is supposed went behind one of the several horses grazing there. An ugly wound was inflicted over the eye. Had the child been an inch nearer the horse his skull would certainly have been crushed. As it was, the blow glanced upward and it is expected that he will recover. The cries of a little playmate attracted the attention of Mrs. Hirons who went to the little sufferer.

Dogs vs. Sheep.—That either the worthless dog or the valuable sheep industry of the county must be surrendered is becoming more evident. Kent should follow the good example of Cecil and a few other counties, and while restricting the local supply of dogs provide a fund out of which the owners of sheep killed by dogs may be paid for their losses. That some idea may be formed of the ravages of dogs in some sections, the following list is given. These losses were all within *one* month: S. Tilden Cooper, 33; Samuel F. Cooper, 3; Geo. Venable, 5; George T. Williams, 4; William French, 3; I. E. Fowler, 1; Otho Fogwell, 2; Henry T. Jewell, 1; J. W. Vannort, 1; Mr. Kiker, 2. Total, 55

The Moore Case.—Testimony was heard by special examiner for the circuit court, Lewin W. Wickes, on Thursday, in the case of Clara L. Warner against Jonathan G. Moore. Mrs. Warner was given judgment for $975, interest and costs, at the fall term of the circuit court for Kent county last year. When an effort was made to collect the amount of this judgment it was found that Moore had transferred his property by deed to his wife, Sarah J. Moore. It is to set aside this deed that the present proceedings before the special examiner have been instituted. In the examination of one of the witnesses on Thursday a difference of opinion arose between Mr. Barroll,attorney for Mrs.Warner,and the special examiner, Mr. Wickes, relative to the admission of certain matter which Mr. Barroll insisted upon being incorporated into the proceedings as evidence. As a result of this difference of opinion the proceedings were suspended and both Mr. Wickes and Mr. Barroll will present the matter to the court for a decision. This will necessarily delay the final settlement of the point at issue.

Mr. Ireland Coming to Town.—Mr. James T. Ireland, one of the most successful farmers and a widely-known citizen of the county, on Saturday bought the fine Chestertown residence of Mr. Thomas R. Hubbard,on High street. The purchase includes furniture, carpets and everything in the nicely furnished house (except a few articles reserved by Mr. Hubbard because of their peculiar association with his old home) and all of the land running through to Calvert street. The house has baths, closets and every convenience of a desirably appointed home. The finest materials were used in the residence, stables and outhouses, so that Mr. Ireland has really purchased one of the finest properties in Chestertown. He has thousands of cords of wood on his several farms and proposes to open a wood yard on Calvert street, and will also sell hay and other products from his valuable farms. The new owner of the Hubbard home has six children and declares that the proximity of the handsome public school building will be no objection to him. "I can just drop the children over the side fence," he declares, "right into the school-room." Mr. Ireland was born in Chestertown in the house adjoining the home of Mr. Josiah Lusby, and says he feels that he is only coming back to his old home. Mr. Hubbard had an elegant home and the breaking up of the old association is a sore trial, but circumstances render it better that it should be so Mr. John Moffett has rented Mr. Ireland's farm and will move there at New Years.

LITTLE LOCALS.

† The board of county commissioners on Tuesday appointed Mr. John Dempsey a constable for the Third District.

† Repairs will be commenced on Muddy Creek bridge on Monday, December 8. During repairs travel on that road will of necessity be suspended.

† Mr. Robert Rash was painfully shot in the legs while gunning with Mr. John Hackett, of Still Pond, on election day.

† Samuel B. Latham on Saturday climed to the top of the flag-staff in the public square and painted it

*†*Hard coal has commenced to arrive in Chestertown in limited quantities.

† The pumping station of the Chestertown Water Works is being painted.

† Judge Pearce, at Centreville, last week sentenced Charles H. Scott, the negro who resisted arrest and shot at an officer, to four years in the penitentiary.

† Heavy keiffer pear shipments are still being made from Kent.

† Work has been begun on the large planing mill and sash factory of W. S. and A. M. Culp, near the depot.

† About $60.00 was raised by the Rock Hall public school festival on Saturday. The money will be used in the purchase of books for the library.

† The pretty pony belonging to Miss Nellie McWhorter died on Monday.

*†*Mr. Wilbur Eliason, Jr., has purchased of Messrs. C. S. Smith and J. C. Davis the freighting schooner, Agnes. The price is stated as $775.

† Clerk James T. Dixon threshed his crops of wheat and orchard grass on Wednesday. Late threshing, but there are more to follow.

† Contractor Boston will commence some needed repairs to Chester bridge to-day.

† The steamer Susquehanna will run on the Sassafras River route until the steamer Sassafras is finished, leaving out Buck Neck wharf as will be seen by advertisement in this paper.

† Mr. J. W. Sutton, of Catt's Corner school,has been appointed to the vacancy made by the resignation of Prof S. Walter Sparks,of Galena but there seen to be some hitch in the matter.

† Mr. John E.George, Dr.Sudler and four other Sudlersville sportsmen, went to North Carolina on a gunning trip on Saturday.

† The members of the Green Spring Valley Hunt Club will make their annual visit to Kent next week.

† Ye ladies of Chestertown, how is this for monster chrysanthemums? Blooms at the Gardeners' Club, Baltimore, measured 24 inches across.

† Oysters are selling on Swan Point bar at 60 and 65 cents per bushel.

† Mr. Frank M. Lamb has rented the Richard Grove's farm near Lankford, and will go there next year.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Helen Carter is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. M. Brown, on Front street.

Mr. W. H. Brown, Jr., left for Baltimore, hoping to receive an appointment on a government vessel as a machinist. The work offered was not as comprehensive as desired however, and Mr. Brown is hoping to secure a place in a large Baltimore shipyard.

Mr. Kent Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Lambert, after nearly three years in the navy, is now on his ship at Norfolk, Va., hoping for a furlough during which he may visit his old home. Mr. Lambert, who is only about neneteen years of age, has seen service in China and the Philippines, and has visited many interesting parts of the earth.

Mr. William R. Aldridge, who has been very sick during the past week, is very much better at this writing.

Mr. Percy Merrick, of Queen Anne, and Miss Griffith, were married at Dunkirk,Calvert county,on Wednesday. Mr. Merrick is a cousin of Mr. and Mr. J. R Clements.

Mr. William Clough, whose knee was painfully injured by a rope becoming entangled around it while he was driving a cow, is still walking on crutches.

Col. William M. Marine, orator, literateur, lawyer and politician, spent several days of this week in Kent. Col. Marine was largely instrumental in securing the fund for the erection of the Battle-Marker at Caulk's Field,and the placing of the slab at the grave of General Philip Reed. He visited the grave of the hero of Kent's battle on Tuesday.

A delightful Autumn Dance was given at The Chesapeake House, Betterton, last night. The patronesses were: Mrs. H. C. Deringer, Mrs. W. H. Wallis Mrs. Harry Davis, Mrs. Harry Nicols, Mrs. J. B. Hossinger; floor managers: Messrs. William Hepbron, W. H. Davis, J. B. Parrott and L. Harris Crewe; invitation committee: Messrs. L Harris Crewe, Harry Nicols, L. T. Alrich, H. D. Hendrickson and W. H. Davis Twenty-one dances and a number of "extras" were on the program.

Mr. Norris, of Howard County, is visiting Judge and Mrs. James A. Pearce, at their Front street home. Mr. Norris is a fine violinest and will play the accompaniments to the piano at Tuesday and Wednesday's entertainments.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Pippin celebrated the eighth anniversary of their marriage by an elegant supper to a small party of friends last night. The parlors and dining room of the Pippin Hotel were tastefully decorated,and the supper was one of those elegant affairs for which Mr. Pippin's hotel is noted. Those present wished many returns of the occasion to the happy couple.

Mr. William H. Stewart, whose marriage and pleasant visit to the old Stewart home, White Hall, in Kent, was noted in the TRANSCRIPT of three weeks ago, immediately upon reaching his home in Birmingham, Alabama, was stricken down with typhoid fever. He was at once taken to St Vincent hospital where all that medical skill, trained nursing and the love of a wife can do is being done to bring him back to health. A telegram states that unless unexpected complications set in his recovery will be speedy and sure.

Mr. Gale, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. Horton Kelley. Mr. Gale is a student in the medical school and is an officer in the administrative department of the District.

Mr. E C. Cooper, formerly of Chesterville, but at present of Baltimore, and Miss Hart, of Baltimore city, were quietly married on October 19. The wedding was very quiet because of recent death in the family of the bride. Mr. Cooper now fills a position in the New York Clothing House.

Mrs. L. M. Pollock, of Freemont, Pa, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. K. M. Bull, Kennedyville.

Announcement cards have been issued of the marriage of Mrs. Carobel Wallis formerly of Chestertown, to Mr. Sheetz, of Washington, D. C., on Wednesday, November 12. Mr. and Mrs. Sheetz will be "at home" after November 18, 1338 New York avenue.

Dr. M. Earle Usilton contributes a highly interesting and instructive article on A Clinical Study of Lumbago, to the current number of *The Hahnemannian Monthly*. Dr. Usilton's article is given a prominent place among the contributors to the really valuable professional publication.

Miss Maude Ringgold entertained the Card Club most delightfully on Wednesday evening.

Miss Fannie Smith has returned from Baltimore to spend the winter with her mother.

Miss Clara Bryan, of Millington, spent several days last week at the Watts' House.

Mr. Willliam H. Blakeney and wife have been on a visit to their son in Philadelphia,and elsewhere.

Miss Edna McSherry, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Laura Thomas, Washington avenue.

Messrs. J. Frank Davis and James H Shuster, of Wilmington, Del., spent Monday in town.

Mrs. Frank Messick and Mr. William Messick, of Allen, Md., are guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Twilley

"Duke" Brown has accepted a position in the National City Bank of New York. This is Rockfeller's bank and is the richest in the United States.

Miss Fannie Stuart was unable to attend her duties of the Chestertown public school on Monday being confined to her home with a severe cold.

Messrs. J. H. Simpers, L. Bates Russell and J. King Wright have been appointed delegates to represent Chester Lodge A. F. and A. M., at the annual communication of the Grand Lodge of Maryland, which will be held in Masonic Temple, Baltimore, next week.

CHURCH NOTES.

A Long and Interesting Budget of Church News.

Rev. W. C. Starr will preach in Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal church, tomorrow morning and evening. Dr. Martin, who was called away from his church by the death of his wife's sister, expects to occupy his pulpit on the following Sunday.

The M. E. Church at Massey, after being closed for 5 months has been opened this week and the M. E. pastor from Millington is holding services there. The attendance is very good and much interest is being manifested. The attendance at the prayer meeting last Friday evening was 40, the largest for nearly a year.

It is expected that Rev. D. L. Greenfield, D. D., pastor of Christ M. P. Chuch, this town, and Rev. R. S. Rowe, pastor of Kennedyville M. P. Church, will exchange pulpits this, to-morrow, Sunday morning.

The public are cordially invited to attend the revival services being held at the Chesterville M. E. Church, South. Quite an interest is manifested. Preaching every night at 7 o'clock by Rev. I. Ryder and others. Come one and all.

St. Paul's Sewing Circle held one of its delightful meetings at the rectory in Fairlee, on Thursday evening. The bright moonlight, mild weather and generally favorable condition resulted in a large attendence. Mr. and Mrs. Denroche enjoyed the pleasant occasion not less than did their guests.

Rev. W. C. Starr will occupy the pulpit of Emmanuel P. E. Church Chestertown, to-mormow morning and evening.

Rev. W. B. Coleman, of Chestertown, preached at Piney Neck M. E. Church last Sunday night, assisting Pastor Morris in his revival services.

Revival services are now being held at Salem M. E. Church, Fairlee, and much interest is being manifested. Rev. Mr. Campbell, of Dover, is assisting the pastor, Rev. W. C. Poole.

Last Sunday was observed as "Decision Day" by the Sabbath schools of the various Methodist churches throughout the country. In the Chestertown and Kent churches the day was marked by devotional services of a re-consecration character.

There will be preaching at Westminster Presbyterian Church at 10.30 A. M. to-morrow,and at Grace Presbyterian Church at 3 P. M., and at Worton Presbyterian Church at 7 P. M.

MILLINGTON CHURCH NOTES.

The Asbury M. E. church, Millington, will have a feast of Tabernacles for the week begining Sunday,Nov.16 The Sunday evening service will be conducted by the pastor. Monday evening,November 17, Rev. J. A. Arters, of Clayton, will preach. Tuesday evening,November 18, Rev. E. E. White, of Wilmington. Wednesday evening, November 19, Rev. W. F. Corkran, D. D., P. E.Easton Dist. Thursday evening, November 20, Rev. C. S. Baker, D. D., P. E. Dover Dist. Friday evening, Nov. 21, Rev. H. S. Dulany, of Wilmington. All are invited to come and participate in this feast of spiritual things.

It will be well worth any one's while to visit Christ Church, I. U. parish now. The building has been closed for three Sundays previous to the 9th Nov. On the 9th it was reopened. A large congregation greeted Mr. Denroche on that day. Every break in the walls had been repaired;the walls themselves have been painted a light drab color; casings round the windows a rich dark brown; the seats are done in oak and are grained and varnished. The effect of the whole is modern and unassuming,in giving the worshipper a feeling of Godly quietude and thorough cleanliness. One would hardly know this pretty church again. Everything is now so neat, so peaceful and so appropriate. We congratulate our brethern of I. U. Parish and trust they may enjoy the privilege they have earned, to "Worship the Lord in the beauty of Holiness."

The 2nd Epworth League Social will be held at the home of Miss Ollie Vansant,(Brick Hotel) on Thursday evening, November 13th. A good time is anticipated.

The attendance at the Asbury M. E. Sunday school was 104 last Sunday, the largest since last March. Congregations are increasing every Sunday.

Plans are being made to brighten up the lecture room of our church. Any church wishing to buy benches for seating an audience of 250 may buy them cheap at this time.

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Wheat.—Receipts for today 27,407 bus. viz., 9,674 bus. southern, and 17,733 bus. western. Shipments from elevators, 2,433 bus. Stock in elevators, 663, 15¾ bus. The market for southern wheat today was steady as compared with yesterday's transactions on grade. Receipts slightly freer and everything promptly disposed of under the prevailing good demand. Sales generally of cargoes on grade at 75½ cents for No. 2 red, 72¾ for steamer 2 red, and 70 cents for rejected while one cargo went at 75½, 72¾ and 69 cents for the foregoing grades in the order named. Small bag lots, by sample, brought 72 and 75 cents, and several cargoes of choice wheat went to millers at 75¾ cents, by sample.

Western yesterday afternoon was quiet December, 76.

Corn—Receipts for today, 20,260 bus., viz 2,730 bus southern and 19,530 bus western. Shipments from elevators 31,154 bus. Stock in elevators, 52,263 bus. The market for southern corn today was firm with freer offerings and an excellent demand for prime corn of both colors from shippers and local dealers. Sales of cargoes both colors on grades at 62 cents for No 2 white, yellow or mixed; 56 cents for steamer; 53 for No. 3 of either color,and 50 for rejected. Small bag lots of white brought 55 and 56 cents, by sample,quality fairly good.

Cob Corn is in fairly liberal supply, but there is no plethora of strictly prime yellow offered and such is quotable at $2.10@2.15 per bbl. Pale, mixed, short eared or otherwise inferior stock drags even at 5 to 10 cents per bbl. less.

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Thomas S. Dodd, Late Sheriff,
vs.
Sarah A. Hurtt's Heirs.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, Md.

THE report of the sale of the real estate of Sarah A. Hurtt for taxes,made by Thomas S. Dodd, late sheriff, as sheriff of Kent county, collecting taxes and reported by him in the above case, and the proceedings having been read and considered, and the same appearing to have been regular, and the provisions of law in relation thereto to have been complied with; it is thereupon, this 23d day of October, 1902, by the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, ordered that all persons interested in the said real estate of Sarah A. Hurtt sold by said Thomas S Dodd, sheriff, for taxes and reported as aforesaid, be and they are hereby notified to show cause, if any they have, on or before the 24th day of December, 1902, why said sale shall not be ratified and confirmed, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Kent News and the Chestertown Transcript, respectively, two newspapers printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 24th day of November, 1902.

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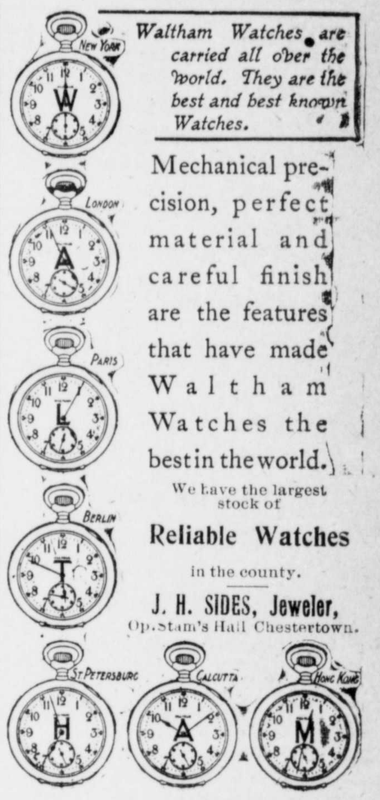

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