The Transcript.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1902.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Splendid Results.—The financial results of the Dorcas Society's entertainment last week were surprisingly large. The total net profits were $451. The ladies are not yet through receiving congratulations.

First Corn Shipment.—The first shipment of corn made from Chestertown this fall, was by Mr. Henry Stewart, of Queen Anne, on Wednesday. The first shipped out of Chester river on the Corsica went from Rolph's wharf on Saturday.

To Commence Work.—A communication from the York Bridge Company to the board of County Commissioners this week, stated that the material for Chester bridge had been shipped, that the lumber had been shipped and that they expected to commence work on the new draw next week.

Sweet Potato Pumpkins.—Mr. John Lockwood presented the TRANSCRIPT's editors with two fine specimens of the sweet potato pumpkin. These pumpkins are very similar in shape and color to the long sweet potato, and make delicious custards. Mr. Lockwood's pumpkins are an interesting contribution to the season's novelties.

Kicked by a Colt.—Mr. Jas. T. Ireland was painfully kicked by a colt several days ago and is compelled to walk with a cane. The animal was sick, and after having doctored it, Mr. Ireland touched it with his hand and received a kick which came near seriously injuring his knee-cap. He is now better, and says he will be ready to move to Chestertown before Christmas.

Welsh Coal.—Dr. R. M. Price, of Centreville, on Sunday received a cargo of 79 tons of Welsh coal. The entire lot had been previously sold to the Queen Anne county board of school commissioners at $15 per ton. It was later found that the coal had not been as expensive as at first expected and the price was made $12.75. The coal is declared to be of excellent quality and very satisfactory.

Fatal Results.—Four-year-old Benny Durding, who was burned while at play near his home in Rock Hall, last week, died as a result of his injuries on Friday evening. The little fellow suffered agonies before death came to his relief. Little Preston Joiner who was also burned in the fatal organ case, is somewhat better and his recovery is expected He was able to see out of one eye on Tuesday and was resting somewhat more comfortably.

Improved Mail and Passenger Schedule.—Commencing on Monday next Chestertown will be given a decidedly improved passenger and mail schedule. There will be no changes made in the character of the trains, but the schedule will be so changed as to greatly improve the present hours of departure and arrival of trains. The morning train will leave Chestertown at 7.18 and returning, arrive at 11.17. The afternoon train will leave at 2.35 and arrive at 6.27.

Looking For Thieves.—Officer Hudson on Sunday night received a telephone message asking him to look out for a thief or thieves who had robbed the Townsend post office. Goods valued at $200 were stolen and the post office safe was blown open and robbed of valuable papers. This work completed, the stable of Isaac Staats was broken into and a horse and buggy stolen. It was thought that the robbers were making their way to Chestertown on Sunday night with a view to taking the Chester river steamer the following morning. A close lookout was kept but no suspicious parties put in an appearance.

Short Poultry Supply.—The Thanksgiving poultry supply in Chestertown was the shortest in many years. A prominent merchant in commenting on the subject, says that there is an abundance of all kinds of poultry but the farmers' wives are holding it. A warm fall is always against a good poultry market. In the first place, in warm weather turkeys and other poultry feed largely on grass and food less productive of fat, and in cold weather grain, which is more fattening, is the principal food. Poultry was not, as a rule, in good condition and was not put on the market.

Location For Cotton Mill.—Mr. E. E. Gambrill, superintendent of the Unicorn Cotton Mills, Millington, who has been in correspondence with business men here with the view of establishing a cotton mill at this place, was in town Monday evening. He stated that as yet he had no definite answer to make regarding the project. He inspected the shirt factory of Dr. H. N. Rickards and stated that with an additional length of 65 or 70 feet with some few changes the building could be utilized for the purpose. Mr. Gambrill stated that he will notify those interested in a short time of his decision in the matter. He expressed himself as much pleased with the town and its people whom it had been his pleasure to meet.—*Caroline (Ridgely) Sun.*

A Real Thanksgiving.—The more than three hundred Chestertown school children and their parents, had more than usual reason for thanksgiving on Thursday. The desks, seats and other furniture for the handsome new public school building arrived on Wednesday evening and Thanksgiving day was spent in putting the furniture in place. It it now expected that the old barracks which have for so long been a disgrace to the town, will be abandoned and the public schools will be moved into their new quarters on Monday next. Chestertown now has one of the handsomest school buildings on the Eastern Shore.

His Leg Broken.—Mr. Rumsey Anthony, son of Mr. James T. Anthony, met with a serious accident on Wednesday. Mr. Anthony, assisted by a colored farm hand, was putting a rubberoid roof on his father's cow shed, when a narrow strip or support gave way, precipitating both men to the ground, a distance of twenty-five feet. Both bones in one of Mr. Anthon's legs were broken between the knee and ankle. One of the bones came so near protruding through the flesh that a painful sore was made. The colored man was badly shaken up but was not seriously injured. Mr. Anthony was resting comfortably yesterday and was doing as well as could be expected.

Dr. Kelley's Escape.—Dr. J. Horton Kelley was rendered unconscious by escaping coal gas on Sunday evening and narrowly escaped fatal results. The doctor and Mrs. Kelley spent the early hours of the evening reading in the office of their Kennedyville home. Mrs. Kelly noticed gas escaping from the stove and mentioned the fact to her husband. Later she went to her room up stairs and about ten o'clock returned to the office and found her husband in his chair in a semi-conscious condition. Dr. G. Irving Barwick, who lives next door, was at once summoned and soon succeeded in restoring his patient to consciousness. Dr. Kelley really made a very narrow escape from fatal asphyxiation but his many friends will be glad to learn that he has entirely recovered and is none the worse for his unpleasant experience.

LITTLE LOCALS.

*†*Mr. Harry Moore, who was so painfully injured at Price's mill several weeks ago, was in Chestertown several days ago. While the injured arm is much better it will be necessary for him to return to the hospital again for treatment.

*†*A prominent real estate owner estimates that the shrinkage of the present corn crop will be fully one-third as a result of the peculiar weather conditions which has prevailed during the fall.

*†*Capt. John Henry Crew is claiming the "big hog" of Betterton. His big porker is expected to tip the beams at about 370 pounds. Mr. J. M. Severson has killed a 335 pounder.

*†*The pretty new hotel of Mr. Alexander Mair, at Betterton, is nearing completion. It is on the site of the burned Hotel Wilmer.

† Tuesday was a day of few people and fewer teams in Chestertown.

*†*A pension of $8 has been granted William J. Lively, of Chestertown.

† Mr. D. B. McMenamin has lost his thoroughbred Gordon setter, Lara. Distemper was the trouble.

† The banks, post office, and public offices were closed and business generally suspended on Thursday.

† It is reported that Messrs. W. B Biggs, of Middletown, and Dr. Fred Walls, of Millington, contemplate building a training track near Millington.

† Little Colin Duyer, 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Duyer, caught his foot in a clothes line on Sunday morning and fell from the summer kitchen to the ground, a distance of ten feet. He was painfully bruised but not seriously injured.

† Christmas day was just four weeks off from last Thursday.

† Mr. Jack Joiner, of Rock Hall, has a 60-pound pumpkin.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs Joseph A. Catlin, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Beck, Queen street.

Mr. and Mrs. M. deK Smith, and Miss Anna, spent Thanksgiving in Philadelphia. M. deK. Smith, Jr., joined them for the Thanksgiving feast.

Miss Virginia Hynson and Miss Katharine Hopper are guests of Charles C. Hopper, Washington avenue.

Miss Mary Rogers has been attending the great New York Horse Show.

Miss Viola Ringgold Beck, of Lankford, has returned home from a pleasant visit to Miss Sarah Penning, of Havre de Grace.

Miss Elizabeth Snitcher, of Chestertown, has returned from an extended visit to friends in Philadelphia, and Camden, New Jersey.

Mrs. John Duyer and Miss Blanche Duyer are guests of Baltimore friends.

Miss Fannie Baker visited friends in Baltimore last week.

Miss Clare Vannort has been spending a few days in Baltimore.

Mr. James F. McKee, of Washington, D. C., spent several days in Kent last week

A very enjoyable evening was spent on Nov. 21, by the A. B. C. Literary Club at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Clendaniel, near Kennedyville. The subject of discourse was Washington Irving,—biographer, humorist and historian. A sketch of his life and writings was read by Rev. Mr. Edson, accompanied by very instructive and interesting remarks of this famous American writer. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wallis, Dr. and Mrs. Barwick, Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Schuyler and others.

Miss Weaver, of Pennsylvania, is the guest of Miss Irma Eliason.

Miss Mills, a former student at Washington College, is visiting college friends.

Prof. Thomas D. Bowers spent his Thanksgiving at home.

Mrs. Smith, of Yonkers, New York, has been a guest at the home of Mrs. W. N. E. Wickes, Front street.

Messrs. Samuel Greenwood and Earle Nicholson attended the Gadd-Legg wedding and reception, in Centreville, on Wednesday. Those present from Kent who attended the ball that evening given in honor of the bridal couple, were: Misses Sallye Beck, Maria Nowland; Messrs. Arthur Bradley, Frank and Charles Hines, W. A. Carroll and John M. Toulson.

Sheriff and Mrs. Isaac L. Dukes, of Caroline county, have spent several days of this week the guests of his brother, Mr. William T. Dukes, of near Locust Grove.

Hope H. Barroll, Esqr., took Thanksgiving dinner with his brother, Mr. J. Leeds Barroll, in Philadelphia, and witnessed the great football battle between Pennsylvania and Cornell. Mr. Barroll will return home on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas V. Simpson are in Easton attending the Groves-Shaw trial.

Mrs. Walter T. Bennett and little daughter spent several days last week in Baltimore.

Mr. Robert W. Calder fell from a wagon a few days ago and sustained some painful bruises

Mr. Frisk H. Ward, of Fairlee, is visiting his mother at his former home in Virginia, this week.

Miss Alice Fenhager, of Baltimore, was the guest of the Misses Stuart on Queen street last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Skipper, of Rhode Island, have been guests of their son, Mr. H. P. Skipper, near Chestertown, the past week.

Master Townsend Anthony was thrown from his horse one day last week and considerably bruised.

Mrs. William Hines and children, of Baltimore, are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. A. Wilkins, near town.

Mr. Walter M. Greenwood, son of Mr. Frank H. Greenwood, has accepted a position with a wholesale drug house in Lynchburg, Va.

Mr. R. Snowden Thomas has accepted a position with the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Company as special agent for the Eastern Shore.

Mr. George Bacon, wife and daughter, Frances, and Mr. Jere Miller, of Fairlee, are visiting friends and relative in Philadelphia and Camden.

Mr. and Mrs. Gubbly, of Philadelphia, spent a part of the past week at the home of the latters grandmother, Mrs. Araminta Burk, High street. Mrs. Gubbly was before marriage Miss Lottie Chapman, daughter of Mr. Joseph Chapman, formerl

DIED.

In loving memory of our Darling boy, G. Goldie Carey.

A loving one from us has gone,
A voice so loved is stilled;
A place is vacant in the home
Which never, no never can be filled.

As the clock struck seven on Sept. 7, 1902, when the angel swung the gates ajar and whispered, Goldie, come home, he only closed his eyes in sleep on earth to open them in heaven. He is peacefully sleeping beneath the earthly soil while the soul is resting in heaven. There was a glimmer of light came in the darkness when the gate shut after him. Oh, turn the key, sweet angel, the splendid, while he is peacefully sleeping in the arms of Jesus.

From a loving aunt,
MRS. MARY L. MANN.

USILTON.—Mary R. Usilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Usilton, died at the home of her parents, at Smithville, in Worton, on Tuesday night last, after a short illness of typhoid fever, aged 6 years 7 months, 10 days. Funeral in charge of Undertaker W. H. Krusen, was held on Thursday afternoon, at 2 P.M., Rev. L. E. Poole officiating. Interment took place in Old Union Cemetery.

ALLSTON—The infant babe of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allston, died at its parents' residence, in Wilmington, Del., on Wednesday, of Marasmus, aged 7 months. Remains were brought to Still Pond on evening train on Thursday and taken in charge by Undertaker W. H. Krusen. Interment took place on Friday morning, at Still Pond cemetery, Rev. T. F. Beauchamp officiating.

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