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SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1903.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Dewey Park.—The dance at Dewey Park, advertised for July 15, has been withdrawn. The next dance at the popular Sassafras river resort will be held July 22. A large crowd attended the dance on Wednesday last.

Wheat Yield.—Reports from various sections of the county are to the effect that the wheat crop is very light. Several farmers near Worton have threshed and report a yield of 7, 8, and 10 bushels to the acre. The indications are that there will not be m re than a third of an average yield throughout the county.

With the Fishermen.—Chester River is litterly alive with fish, large catches with the hook and line are being made daily by lovers of the sport-up the river, down the river and off Chester bridge. Mr. Harry Brice and Huck Coleman went down the river Wednesday and made a large catch of pan rock and fine size perch besides a large quantity of small fish. Twelve inch perch and sixteen inch rock are being caught at Chester bridge.

Mill Improvements.—Prof. Topping has contracted with W. S. & A. M. Culp for the building of an addition to his already large mill near Chestertown. A new water wheel of the latest improvement and a new pen stock will supplant the present ones. The above contractors have recently completed for the Professor a new elevator and storage bin with a capacity for the storage of 3000 bushels of grain. This elevator is so constructed as to completely change the position of the wheat whenever desired, reversing that at the bottom to the top and thoroughly mixing it. This is done to prevent weavel from getting in the wheat after it has been stored in the elevator.

Old Depot Sold.—Mr. R. G. Nicholson has purchased the old depot at Chestertown from the B & D. B. R. R. and will remove it to his ice factory, where it will be used by him as an office. The price paid was $30. It was built about 15 years ago by Mr. Frederick Gerker lessee of the old road, under the supervision of Mr. B. F. Flemming. This building was to have been moved to Worton Station and used as a depot at this once famous Kent Fair centre of the county, but the sale of it will give Worton a new building. An old Worton resident, who did not like the idea of having the Chestertown depot sent to Worton told a representative of the TRANSCRIPT a short time ago, that if the B. & D. B. R. R. was extended to Tolchester Beach, Worton would be the junction, and Chestertown would be given a dummy engine to transfer passengers to and from the main line If a dummy engine is good enough for Chestertown why isn't Chestertown's old depot good enough for Worton?

Storm Damage.—The storm of last Friday evening was the heaviest of the summer. Lightning did considerable damage throughout the county. The barn on the Walker farm, near Bacchus' mill, tenanted by Mr. R. C. Morgan, was destroyed, together with a shed, hay crop, farming implements and some of the stock. The barn and shed were insured with Mr. James G. Beck, for $700. Several people were shocked at Tolchester, trees were shattered or uprooted in different sections of the county. The storm was accompanied by a heavy wind and heavy downpour of rain, in sections, doing some damage to corn and wheat in the shock. A limb of the large silver maple on the college campus by the base ball diamond was blown off by the heavy storm of Friday evening last. There was a large hollow in the limb where birds have been nesting for years. This limb will be missed as much by visitors to the ball games, who have enjoyed its shade for years, as by the birds who have found it a home for an equal length of time.

Improvements at the Wharf.—The Chester River Steamboat Company are making extensive improvements to their Chestertown wharf property. The old granery or canning house, which stood near Water street has been torn down and W. S. & A. M. Culp, contractors, commenced work yesterday morning on a new building which will be placed on the wharf. At the lower end will be built an office and baggage room, 16x27 feet with a 20 foot open court, then a 50 foot frieght room, followed by a shed 86 feet long. The improvement when completed will add much to the comfort and convenience of the traveling public. All that will be needed after the buildings are finished will be telephone connection, which we understand is contemplated by the company. The old office and baggage room will be removed and the site where it now stands will be filled in and graded. It is understood that the Ladies' Town Improvement Association will beautify the spot where the old granary or canning house stood. If this be so, we may look for a much more inviting water approach to Chestertown.

LITTLE LOCALS.

† One of the finest tomato fields we have seen at this season is on the farm tenanted by Mr. B. F. Rash, near town.

† One of the paper mill mules dropped dead in the road, in front of Mr. Harry Nicols, near Worton, on Friday evening. The excessive heat was supposed to have been the cause of the animal's death.

† Mr. M. F. Plummer, superintendant of rural mail routes, was in the county this week and inspected the proposed route from Fairlee to Tolchester.

† Mr Jake Shriley reports 22 bushels of wheat to the acre. This is the largest yield we have heard of this season.

† Miss Eunice Elliott fell overboard from a small boat in front of the Chester river steamboat wharf one day this week, and was rescued by Maxwell Blakeney, who jumped in the water after her. After catching her he swam to the boat, put her in it and then rowed the boat ashore.

† The wires of the Diamond State Telephone Co. are being placed in position at their new headquarters in the Maul building, and the operator will be moved there next week and business opened at the new office.

Chestertown Banks.

The directors of the Second National Bank of Chestertown, on Wednesday declared a semi annual dividend of 3 per cent. on its capital stock of $50,000 ($1,500) which is payable to-day, and carried $2871 08 to the undivided profit account. This bank now has a surplus of $12,000 00 and undivided profits of $9210.36.

The Chestertown National Bank at a meeting of its directors last week declared a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent.

The directors of the Kent County Savings Bank on Tuesday declared a semi annual dividend of 3 per cent. and carried $224 09 to surplus fund. This bank last week elected Mr. J. Edward Hurlock, of Millington, a director in the place of Mr. R. Heston Hicks, resigned.

CHURCH NOTES.

Galena M. E. Church next Sabbath July 15.—Love Feast at 9.30, preaching at 10 30 by Rev. W. G Koons, Presiding Elder, of Easton District. Sunday school at 2 30 P. M., instead of 9 30, on account of Love Feast being held in the morning. Preaching by the pastor at 7.45. Epworth League at 7 P. M.

The first of the summer preaching services will be held in the new Tabernacle on the Massey M. E. Church lot, on Sunday July 12, by the pastor of Asbury M. E. Church, Millington. A delightful place for services of this kind. Let the neighbors and friends attend.

Rev. Charles M. Elderdice will preach at Wesley Chapel Sunday, July 19th. Rev. J. L. Elderdice will preach the same day at Rowlandville, in Cecil county.

Services will be held in the Catholic church at Rock Hall at eight o'clock Sunday morning. Sacred Heart church, Chestertown, at 10 30.

REAL ESTATE SOLD.

The fine farm of the late Wm. H Stewart, near Chestertown, known as White Hall, and containing 307 acres, as advertised in the TRANSCRIPT, was sold at public sale on Tuesday, by Hyland P. Stewart, Esq., attorney, of Baltimore, to Mr. D. B. Stewart, of the Stewart Fruit Co., Baltimore, at $44.25 per acre.

Lewin W. Wickes, Esq., trustee, has sold at private sale to Messrs. Eben F. and Thomas W. Perkens, the Stewart Matthews back farm of 200 acres at $48 per acre, a total of $9600. This farm was offered at public sale on Tuesday, June 30, and held up at a bid of $41 per acre.

PERSONAL MENTION.

The Misses Knox, of Baltimore county have been visiting Miss Mabel Nicholson, Fairlee.

Mr. William Skirven, of Washington, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Nicholson, Fairlee.

Mr. Lewin W. Skirven has been entertaining at a House Party, Mrs. Arthur Hurlock, of Cambridge, Md; Miss Ida Mann, of Baltimore; Miss Ella French, of Kent, and Messrs. David Ford, Harry and Warren Hurlock, of Chestertown. The party was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. H. Stockton Startt and son, of Baltimore.

Mr. Elmore Skirven, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Morris, near town.

Miss Anne Rothwell Stewart, of Baltimore, is the guest of Misses Mary and Bessie Nicholson, near town.

Mr. Alfred Jervis, of Philadelphia, is spending his vacation with his aunt, Miss Sue Patten.

Mrs. Hiram Brown and daughter, Elizabeth, sailed from Baltimore on Sunday for Boston, where they will spend the summer with Miss Chadbourne. Miss Chadbourne will be remembered in Chestertown as a delightful elocutionist.

Mrs. Hayes and daughter, Miss Beulah, are visiting Mrs. Trapnell, in West Virginia.

Mr. James Alfred Merritt, of Baltimore, is spending the summer at Mrs. Spencers.

Miss Hope Wickes left this morning for a sea trip to Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Albright, of Texas, is the guest of Mrs. George W. Smith. Mrs. Albright was formerly Miss Madge Slaughter, of this town.

Mrs. A. L. Houston is staying at the Watts House.

Mrs. Poe, of Baltimore, is staying at Mrs. Burchinals.

Miss Adele France is one of a house party at Mr. Charles Strongs.

Mr. W. Plunket Stewart, of Greenspring Valley, son-in-law of Mr. A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., and brother, visited town Tuesday and were guests of Mr. Jefferson D. Bacchus.

Mr. Harvey Cole and Mr. Tom Cole, of Baltimore, came up on their gasoline launch and spent Saturday morning with Mr. and Mrs. James G. Beck.

Miss Grace Whaland left on Saturday for Boston, where she will attend the National Teachers' Association.

Miss Comegys, daughter of Glanville Comegys, formerly of this county, has been the guest of Miss Grace Brooks.

Miss De la Roche, of Beltville, Md., is the guest of Miss Maude Ringgold.

Mrs. Samuel Beck, Mrs. J. N. Roberts, Mrs. Allan Harris and son Allan, are visiting Mr. George Beck.

Miss Bertha Hynson is spending the summer at the Betterton House, Betterton.

Miss Mary Wheatley, of Annapolis, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Bessie Wheatley.

Miss Violet Evans has returned from a pleasant visit to her old home in Pittsburg.

Mrs. James D. Lucas is visiting at the home of her father, Clarence S Hurlock, Esq., Masseys.

Mr. Jacob F. Thompson spent Sunday and Monday the guest of his sister, in Anne Arundel county, where a family reunion was held.

The Misses Ethel Mead, of Baltimore, and Anna Lowman, of Anne Arundel county, are visiting Miss Anna Brock on Calvert street.

Mr. Thomas Anderson, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. Walter Gale, Hanesville.

Miss Virginia Martin is the guest of Mrs. Physic, on Queen street.

Misses Alice and Elsie Philpitt and Miss Agnes Simmons, of Washington, D. C., are guests at the home of Mrs. John W. Ivens, High street.

Miss Maggie Joiner, of Philadelphia, is being entertained by the Misses Cannon

Mrs. Craig, of Baltimore, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Sutton.

Miss Julia Crouch, of Rock Hall, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McIntyre.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Davis, of Wilmington, spent Saturday the guest of relatives in town.

Mr. John C. Ireland, of Wilmington, spent the Fourth the guest of his brother, Mr. James T. Ireland.

Mrs. William Peacock and two children, of Cecil county, are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheetz, of Washington, D. C, were guests over Sunday of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sappington.

Miss Agnes Schley, of Frederick city, is the guest of Mrs. James T. Ireland, High street. Miss Schley is a cousin to Admiral W. S. Schley.

Mrs. Mollie Bevans and children, of Baltimore, are visiting at the home of Mr. George T. Hudson near town. Mrs. Bevans and Mrs. Hudson are sisters.

Mrs. J. Willson Smith, Jr., after spending several months with her father, Mr. George Quelett, on Cannon street, returned to her home at Newport News, Monday.

Mrs. Harry Wilkinson, of Baltimore, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Barnes.

Mr. Harry W. Brice and family, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. C. B. Watkins, and family, of Baltimore, are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brice, Washington avenue.

Mr. Carroll C. Perkins, of Baltimore, was in Chestertown a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Primrose, of Baltimore, visited friends in Chestertown this week. Mrs. Primrose was a Miss Carville of this county, and is a niece of Dr. C. W. Whaland.

Mr. Louis K. Stam who has had to leave the Army on account of his health is the guest of Mrs. C. F. Stam.

Miss Ellen Roeder is the guest of Mist Mary Rogers.

Miss Bertie Whaland, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Welch.

Mrs. Worrell, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Ireland, is visiting Mrs. Cecelia Howard at Howell's Point.

Master J. Harvey Estes, of Washington, is the guest of his grandfather, Mr. Charles Estes, on Queen street.

Rev. W. N. Sherwood, of Grace M. P. Church, Baltimore, visited friends in Chestertown this week.

Announcement of the wedding of Miss Maude Atkinson has been made to take place September 23rd at her home in Jersey City Heights. The groom to be is Mr. Bernardo Rionda, of New York and Cuba.

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Slight injuries often disable a man and cause several days' loss of time and when blood poison develops, sometimes result in the loss of a hand or a limb. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment. When applied to cuts, bruises and burns it causes them to heal quickly and without maturation, and prevents any danger of blood poison. For sale by M. A. Toulson, druggist, Chestertown, Md.

LEWIN W. WICKES, Attorney.

ORDER NISI.

Sallie S. Wilkins, et al,
vs.
Henrietta E. Matthews, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 7th day of July, 1903, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in equity, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in the above entitled cause, made and reported by Lewin W. Wickes, trustee, appointed by a decree of this court to make said sale, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 14th day of September next; provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 14th day of August next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $9621.20.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:—
jy 11-4t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent County, letters testamentary upon the personal estate of

A. J. HYNSON,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of December, 1903, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 16th day of June, 1903.

MARY A. HYNSON,
ju20 4t. Executrix.

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County Treasurer's Tax Notice!

In pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed at the January Session, 1894, Chapter 293, the undersigned Treasurer of Kent county, hereby gives notice that the County Commissioners of said county have levied a tax of $1.35 on the Hundred Dollars, on taxable property of said county.

Same taxes are due and payable September 1st, at the office of the County Treasurer, in Chestertown, at which place and time the State Tax of 17 cents on the Hundred Dollars is also due and payable.

Persons desiring a statement of their taxes may receive same by applying at the Treasurer's Office.

JESSE R. COPPER,
jul3-tf. Treasurer.

EDWIN R. COCHRAN, Jr.,

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Cash Capital	$1,250,000.00
Reserve for Reinsured (legal standard)	6,798,504.68
Reserve for all Unsettled claims.	1,209,716.33
NET SURPLUS over Capital and all Liabilities	3,000,855.44
Total Cash Assets	$12,259,076.45

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