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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1903.

LOCAL MATTERS.

A Successful Supper.—The supper held on Monday and Tuesday evenings by the ladies of Sacred Heart Catholic Church was not only a great success socially, but financially as well, two hundred dollars being realized. The Democratic State and county candidates took supper on Monday evening.

Manufacturers Combine.—The manufacturers of crates, baskets and fruit packages on the peninsula have consolidated for the protection of their interests. The heavy freights charged by the railroads in transporting the raw material to the several factories is said to be the principal cause of the consolidation. The establishment of a line of steam barges to transport timber to the factories is contemplated if the railroads will not concede proper rates. There are five plants in the consolidation, among them being the large plant of Crane, Hynson and Valliant, Chestertown. These five concerns represent a large amount of capital and will make a strong combination.

A Curiosity.—While a force of workmen were digging a sewer through the alley of J. K. Aldridge & Co's hardware store a curiosity was unearthed. It looks very much like a piece of coral, but many think it a fine specimen of petrified wood. It has every appearance of coral and is shaped, like a turnip. A young gentleman who has spent much of his time in Cuba, the Bermuda Islands and elsewhere, ventures the opinion that the "find" is a piece of coral which was deposited several hundred years ago on what was then the surface soil of Chestertown. He thinks that it was brought from the Bermuda Islands as ballast on an ancient ship that sailed our waters in the early Colonial days. A number of cobble stones were found in the same stratum with the curiosity.

Beat a Retreat.—A certain young gent went out one evening this week to call. Upon leaving his friend's home, he met a shower of missiles and brick bats that came from all quarters of the surrounding street. He took to his heels in a terrible fright, and found himself exhausted and panting, standing in the inner doorway of the Brick House clubroom. His sudden appearance startled, for the time, the occupants of the room, but he gained his breath sufficiently much to tell the gentlemen that he "had been chased." He was taken to his boarding house by two kind gentlemen who assured him that nothing would hurt him while they were near. The young man did not sleep very well that night, but next morning he was a little more composed and able to go to his work.

Sale of an Excursion Steamer.—The old excursion steamer "Pilot Boy," which years ago was used to carry excursions from Elkton, will be broken up for the iron which is in her. She has lately been the Washington, D. C., ferry steamer Belle Haven. She was built in 1857 and launched as the Pilot Boy at Harlan & Hollingsworth's yards at Wilmington, Del. She is said to be the oldest iron-hull, side-wheel steamer afloat, and was one of the first iron vessels built in America During the Civil War she was employed by the Government as a transport in the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries. Capt. W. C. Eliason acquired the Pilot Boy in Philadelphia and opened the Tolchester resort with her in 1878. She ran to Tolchester until 1880. In her early days the steamer was splendidly fitted out, and had a reputation for speed, and it is stated that in her long career she never had a serious accident and never lost or injured a passenger by accident.

LITTLE LOCALS

*†*Do not forget the fine musical and literary entertainment given by the Parker Concert Company in Stam's Hall next Friday evening, Oct. 30. Those who fail to hear this entertainment will surely miss a rare treat. This will be the first entertainment in the course to be given by the young men of the town this winter. Let's have a full house to witness this high-toned entertainment.

*†*The Town Commissioners have had the pavements in front of the residences of Wm. R. Aldridge and Mr. Q. Moody relaid.

*†*Liveryman Whitely had two buggies badly wrecked by a collison on Chester bridge a few nights.

WEDDING BELLS.

OTTINGER–GREENWOOD.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Prof. and Mrs. J. A. Greenwood, Rock Hall, on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. The contracting parties were the Professor's popular daughter, Miss Laura M., and Mr. George W. Ottinger, one of Rock Hall's popular young men. The parlor in one corner was banked with green plants, and in front of this was an arch of roses and chrysanthemums, under which the pastor, Mr. Burr, received the wedding party. The bride wore a gown of gray voile and was attended by her sister, Mrs. Kendall, as Matron of Honor, and Miss Ottinger, sister of the groom, as Maid of Honor. Mr. Sprague, of Camden, was best man, and Mr. Arthur Greenwood, brother of the bride, was usher An elaborate wedding breakfast was served after which Mr. and Mrs. Ottinger left for an extended trip north.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. E. P. Roberts, of Chestertown, has been invited to become the pastor of Ebenezer M. E. Church, Easton, next Conference year. Rev. Dr C. A. Grise has signified his desire for a change.

The Chestertown M. E. Sunday School will observe tomorrow, (Sunday) as "Rally Day." An interesting program has been prepared.

The Epworth League of Chestertown held its regular business meeting on Tuesday evening of last week. Reports from the Vice-Presidents showed good work had been done throughout the year. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mr. J. L. Smith; Dept. of Spirituality, Miss Emma F. Davis; Dept. of Evangelism, Rev. E. P. Roberts; Dept of Mercy and Help, Mrs. R. F. Parks; Dept. of Literary and Entertainment, Miss Bertie Burchinal; Secretary, Mr. Kemp Bordley; Treasurer, Miss Ethel Colemen. Misses Hallie Toulson and S. Elizabeth Stuart were elected delegates and Mrs. R. F. Parks and Miss Maude Kemp, alternates to the District Convention to be held at Odessa, Del., Oct. 28–29th.

Rev. Dr. E P. Robers is enjoying a short vacation with his mother. There were no services at the M. E. Church last Sunday in consequence, and the congregation worshiped with Christ M. P. Church congregation,

Rev. J. M. Sheridan is in the midst of a gracious revival at Lynch's M. P. Church. Much interest is being manifested and good results are being accomplished.

Revival meetings will be held in the M. E. Church, South Chesterville, commencing October 25th. The meetings will be conducted by the Rev. H. M. Strickler, I. Ryder and others. The public are cordially invited to attend.

"Quiet Day" in I. U. Christ Church, on Oct. 14th, under the auspices of the Dr. Martin branch of the Woman's Auxiliary and conducted by the Rev. W. A. Coale, of St. Stephen's, Cecil County. Services were held at 10.30, 1? and 3. at which addresses were made by Mr. Coale on "Motives in working for God," "The Nature of the Work" and the "Recompense of Reward." The congregations were fairly numerous, and joined most heartily in singing many stirring hymns and in all the services Much spiritual good has been sown at this meeting. Mr Coale is clear in instruction and moving in exhortation. It is very possible that he will conduct a mission of a week or ten days at St Paul's in the Spring.

The themes at Christ Meth. Protestant Church will be: At 10 30 A. M, "How Men Become Petrified;" at 7 30 P. M., "Ominous Gray Hairs." The Young People's "Christian Workers" service at 6 45.

Revival services are being held at the Methodist church at Worton. A great deal of interest is manifested, and it is hoped that great and good results may be accomplished.

MILLINGTON MATTERS.

Mrs. M. A. Price and daughter, Miss Ollie, are visiting Mrs. Price's son, Rev T. L. Price, at Baldwin, L. I.

Miss Nema Price is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. F. S. Bottomly spent a few days this week in Philadelphia.

Mr. Belton Meginnis, of Wilmington, is visiting relatives in town

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Solloway, of Crumpton, spent three days with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stafford.

Mr. Clarence Price spent a few days last week in Chester, Pa.

Mrs. Dr. F. A. Walls has returned from a visit with her sister at Darby, Pa.

Mr. W. C. Rolph spent a few days this week on a business trip to Frederick.

Mrs. Ahern & Tonkin are adding another large lumber shed to their large and well stocked lumber yard near the station.

Mrs. E. M. Yarnall, of Philadelphia, spent Wednesday with her aunts, Misses Helen and Vic Power.

Some of our farmers are not done seeding wheat on account of the wet weather. The wheat seeded before the rains is coming up nicely and looking well

Forbidding the sale of or Giving Away Liquor on Election Day.

For the information of all persons concerned, the following Act of the Legislature passed March 24th, 1895, is published:

AN ACT

Prohibiting the sale of Spirituous or Fermented Liquors in the counties in the State on the day of Election.

SECTION 1.—Be it enacted by the General Assembly, of Maryland, That it shall not be lawful, for the keeper of any hotel, tavern store, drinking establishment or other place where liquor is sold, *or for any person or persons*, directly or indirectly, to sell, barter, give or dispose of any spirituous or fermented liquors, ale or beer, or intoxicating drinks of any kind, on the day of election hereafter to be held in the several counties of the State.

SECTION 2.—And be it enacted that any persons violating the provisions of this Act shall be liable to indictment by the Grand Jury of the county where such offense is committed, and shall, upon conviction before any judge of any of the Circuit Courts of this State, be fined a sum not less than fifty dollars for each and every offense; one-half the fine is paid to the informer and the other half to the County Commissioners for the use of the public roads.

Article 33 of the Code of Public General Laws as amended by the Acts of 1900 and 1901, says:

"Whoever, during the hours of registration or revision of registration, or during the hours of election or canvass of votes, or of making returns thereof in any precinct, shall bring, take, order or send into, shall or attempt to bring or take or send into, any place of registration or of election, any distilled or spirituous liquors, wine, ale or beer, or shall at any such time or place, drink or partake of such liquor, shall upon convictian thereof be fined not less than ten dollars nor more than $100.

o24-2t. THOMAS J. FLETCHER, Sheriff.

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Concealed Weapons on Election Day.

The following Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January session of 1874 and approved April 6, 1874, is published for the information of the public:

AN ACT

To prevent carrying of guns, pistols, dirks, dirk-knives, razors, billies or bludgeons by any person in Kent, Queen Anne's or Montgomery counties on the day of election in said counties:

SECTION 1.—Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the passage of this Act it shall not be lawful for any person in Kent, Queen Anne's or Montgomery counties to carry on the days of election, secretly or otherwise, any gun, pistol, dirk, dirk-knife, razor, billy or bludgeon, and any person violating the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof before any Justice of the Peace, in either of said counties, shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and on refusal to pay said fine shall be committed by said Justice of the Peace to the jail of the county until the same be paid.

SECTION 2.—And be it enacted, That the fines collected under this Act shall be paid by the officer collecting the same to the School Commissioners of the county where such offence shall have been committed, for school purposes.

SECTION 3.—And be it enacted, That any constable of either of said counties or the sheriff thereof, who shall refuse to arrest any person, violating any provision of this Act, upon information of such offence shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof before the Circuit Court of the county, shall be fined not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars, and shall forthwith be discharged from office.

o24-2t THOMAS J. FLETCHER, Sheriff.

BETTING ON ELECTION.

The attention of all persons is particularly called to the following sections of Article 35, Code of Public Laws of Maryland:

SECTION 45.—No person shall make any bet or Wager on the result of any election to take place in this State.

SECTION 48.—Any person offending against the last preceding section shall be liable to indictment to the Circuit Court, if the offence be committed in any county, or in the Criminal Court of Baltimore, if the offence be committed in Baltimore; and on conviction shall be fined not less than fifty nor more than five hundred dollars, to be paid to the State for the use of the School Fund.

SECTION 48.—Any Deposit of money in any part of the State as a wager or bet upon elections in this State or elsewhere shall be forfeited and paid over to the County Commissioners of the county where deposited, for the use of the county, and if deposited in the city of Baltimore, to the Mayor and City Council.

o24-2t. THOMAS J. FLETCHER, Sheriff.

Valuable Town Property —AT— PRIVATE SALE.

ALL that Valuable Two-Story BRICK DWELLING House and Store Room and premises situated on Calvert street, Chestertown, Maryland, near College Avenue, at private sale, of which the late Jeanette Hall died seized and possessed.

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Election Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the General Election will be held in the several election districts or precincts of Kent county, between the hours of eight (8) o'clock in the morning and six (6) o'clock in the evening, on

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903,

The places wherein such Election upon the date aforementioned will be held in the respective Districts or Precincts, are as follows:

FIRST DISTRICT,
Millington Precinct,
G. O. CACY'S STOREHOUSE, MILLINGTON,
ON SASSAFRAS STREET.

FIRST DISTRICT.
Galena Precinct,
BAND HALL, GALENA.

SECOND DISTRICT,
FIRST PRECINCT,
AL L. D. KELLEY'S STORE, Kennedyville.

SECOND DISTRICT,
SECOND PRECINCT,
AT HOTEL, KENNEDYVILLE.

THIRD DISTRICT,
H. E. COOPER'S STORE, WORTON STATION.

FOURTH DISTRICT,
FIRST PRECINCT,
COURT HOUSE, CHESTERTOWN.

FOURTH DISTRICT,
SECOND PRECINCT,
J. F. Thompson's Store Room, High Street, Chestertown.

FIFTH DISTRICT,
FIRST PRECINCT,
B. F. MORRIS' HOUSE, ROCK HALL.

FIFTH DISTRICT,
SECOND PRECINCT,
SAMUEL BURGESS' CARRIAGE BAZAAR, EDESVILLE.

SIXTH DISTRICT,
WALTER B. BARNES' STORE, FAIRLEE.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.
WM. S. SCOONE'S STORE, POMONA.

Said election is to be held for the purpose of voting for public officers as follows:

One person to be Governor of the State of Maryland.

One person to be Comptroller of the Treasury of the State of Maryland.

One person to be Attorney-General for the State of Maryland.

One person to represent Kent county in the Maryland State Senate.

Two persons to represent Kent county in the House of Delegates of the State of Maryland.

One person to be Clerk of Kent County for the term of six years.

One person to be Treasurer of Kent County for the term of two years

Three persons to be Judges of the Orphans' Court for the term of four years.

Three persons to be County Commissioners of Kent Connty for the term of four years

One person to be Sheriff of Kent County for the term of two years.

One person to be State's Attorney for Kent County for the term of four years.

One person to be Surveyor of Kent County for the term of two years.

The Return Judges shall make their returns before twelve (12) o'clock noon, the second day after the election, that is to say, before noon Thursday, following the Tuesday of the election, in the manner prescribed by the law, to the clerk of the Circuit Court, to the County Commissioners, to the Board of Supervisors of Elections and to the Register of Wills of the county aforesaid.

By order,

J. RAYMOND BOWERS, Pres't:
D. J. McCAULEY,
JOHN C. DAVIS.

JOSIAH MASSEY, Clerk.

Instructions to Voters.

How to Proceed to Cast a Ballot Under the Election Law.

Attorney-General Isidor Rayner has prepared the following instructions to voters as directed by Article 33, Code of Public General Laws, and amendments thereto:

1. To vote. Enter room, step up to guard rail, give name and registered residence to Judges. Wait until your name is found upon the registers, then get ballot from Judge in charge of ballots. See that he has written your name and number on the coupon attached to the ballot and his own name or initials on back of ballot itself.

2. Upon receiving your ballot, retire to one of the booths or compartments and prepare your ballot by marking with an indelible pencil after the name of every person or persons for whom you wish to vote and to the right thereof, in the blank space provided therefor, a cross for (X) and in case of a question submitted to a vote of the people, by marking likewise in the appropriate space, a crossmark (X) against the answer you desire to give. If you wish to vote for some one whose name is not printed on the official ballot, you can write the name of such person in the blank space upon the ballot provided for that purpose.

3. In marking the ballot you may take with you into the polling place any written or printed memorandum or paper to assist you in preparing your ballot, except a fac-simile of the ballot to be voted. You must prepare and deposit your ballot without undue delay. Before coming from behind the curtain in front of your compartment you must fold your ballot in the same way it was folded when you received it, so that the marks you have made upon it shall be entirely concealed. You then hand your folded ballot to the Judge at the ballot box, give him your name and registered address, and wait until he tears off the coupon containing your name and number, and strings it, and deposits your ballot in the ballot box. You must then leave the polling room and cannot again go behind the guard rail during the day.

4. A voter must not go into any compartment occupied by another or converse with any other voter while engaged in a compartment more than seven minutes, if others are waiting.

5. You must not take any ballot outside the guard-rail. If you spoil a ballot you must deliver the spoilt ballot to the Judge in charge of the ballots, and you can receive another from him. IF YOU SPOIL THREE BALLOTS YOU LOSE YOUR VOTE.

6. A voter who is physically disabled from marking his ballot must make an affidavit to that effect it he desires assistance. The two polling clerks, after such affidavit has been made, can accompany him into one of the compartments and there mark his ballot as he instructs them, marking only the names of the candidates whom he shall name. The clerks are not allowed to read the ballot to him.

7. Any voter who shall allow his ballot to be seen by any person with the apparent intent of letting it be known how he is about to vote, or place any distinguishing mark upon his ballot, or who shall make a false statement as to his inability to mark his ballot, or who shall interfere or attempt to interfere with any voter when inside the enclosed space in the polling room, or when marking his ballot, or who shall endeavor to induce any voter before voting to show how he marks or has marked his ballot, shall be punished by a fine of not less than five ($5) nor more than one hundred ($100) or by imprisonment in jail for a period not exceeding sixty days, or by both imprisonment and fine in the discretion of the court.

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D. J. McCAULEY,
JOHN C. DAVIS,
Supervisors of Election for Kent county.
JOSIAH MASSEY, Clerk.

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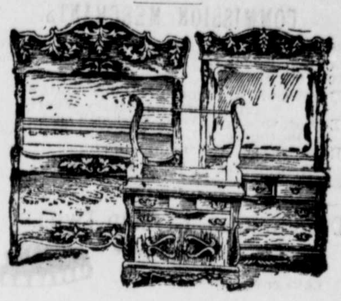

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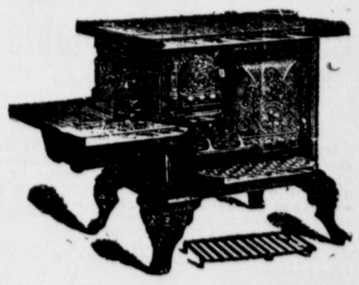

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