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LOCAL MATTERS.

New Orders.—An order has been issued by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company that on and after January 1st, next, all ticket agents and station agents shall wear a regulation uniform, consisting of blue cap, coat and trousers.

Lot Purchased.—Wm. B. Usilton, Jr., has purchased of Mr. J. H. Sides, the corner lot of the Mann tract on Washington avenue, which, together with an adjoining lot, Mr. Sides recently purchased from Mr. Alyn M. Culp. The price paid is said to be $600.

Seed Distribution.—The great seed distribution for this year has been begun by the Agricultural Department. More than 1000 tons of seeds in 45,000 000 packages will be distributed. Each member of Congress is entitled to 12,500 packages of five different varieties. Besides these the department will distribute 700,000 packages through its agencies.

Sale of Personalty.—The sale of personal property by Mr. Raymond Jones, of Lankford, on Monday was attended by one of the largest crowds of the season. Good prices were the rule, horses bringing from $35 to $125, cows from $22 to 41, and implements selling for even more than their original cost in some instances. This sale was advertised in the TRANSCRIPT.

Teachers' Association.—The first Teachers' Association for the present scholastic year will be held in the Assembly Hall of the Chestertown Public School building on Wednesday next, Nov. 25th. The schools throughout the county will be closed on this day as well as for Thursday, Nov. 28th, (Thanksgiving Day) and the day following. A full programme of the Teachers' Association will be found in another column.

Bread Soda for Hogs.—Bread soda is said to be an excellent cure for hog cholera. Mrs. George Davidson, of Queenstown, who recently lost 19 hogs from cholera, hit upon the plan of feeding bread soda to the remainder. The soda was mixed in small quantities with the swill, and it is said that Mrs. Davidson has not lost a hog since she began the experiment. It will be well for our farmers to remember this simple remedy, for quite a number have recently lost their hogs.

Fodder Rick Burned.—A fodder rick on the farm of Mr. Joseph Watson, near town, was destroyed by fire last Sunday morning. Mr. Watson is unable to account for the origin of the fire, as the rick had just been made last week, and his men had been cautioned about smoking nearby. The rick was standing near the barn, and had the wind been blowing, a more serious fire might have resulted. Mr. Watson saved his barn by keeping the sides wet with water. He very wisely had his fodder insured, so that whatever loss he sustained, is fully covered.

A Pig and a Half on Exhibition.—The Easton *Star Democrat* gives the following account of a freak of nature which was recently on Exhibition at Cambridge: "Preston Harding exhibited a pig and a half in Cambridge recently. It had one head, two fore feet, four hind feet, two tails and two bodies. From the middle of one body of the pig grew out another with two hind feet and a tail of its own. It was about the greatest pig curiosity that has ever happened around there.

Another Fire in the County.—The carriage house and corn crib on the farm of Mr. Romie Skirven, Worton Point, were destroyed by fire on Wednesday morning. The fire was first discovered about three o'clock in the morning by the cook, and at the time there was not a hand on the farm, and Mr. Skirven was compelled to fight the fire single handed. Like all the fires that have occurred in the county, its origin is a mystery, it having started in the fodder rick. Mr. Skirven lost all his harness, two carriages, a roller and 300 bushels of feed corn. The loss on all the property save the corn is fully covered by insurance placed by Mr. James G. Beck.

OBITUARY.

MR. GEORGE E. BOWERS.

Mr. George E. Bowers died at the home of Mr. Edward Lusby, near town, on Saturday last, after a short illness, aged 36 years. Mr. Bowers had frequently made his home with Mr. Lusby, and was a skilled musician and a man of exemplary habits. Funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. Lusby, interment in Chester cemetery, Rev. D. L. Greenfield officiating. The pall bearers were Messrs. Wm. R. Clough, Chas. L. Dodd, Charles Rolph, Mr. Simpler, Howard Dodd, Robt. T. Ford. Undertaker John N. Dodd, had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MRS. LYDIA CROSBY.

Mrs. Lydia Crosby, formerly of this county, died at the home of her husband Mr. W. Henderson Crosby, at Nanticoke, Md., on Monday, Nov. 9th, aged 28 years. The deceased was the daughter of the late Wm. P. Crosby, for many years manager of the Tolchester farm. She leaves a husband and two small children.

Mission Closes.—The Mission which was held in Emmanuel Church Chestertown, by Bishop Coleman was very inspiring to the large congregations which attended the services. His discourses on "Where art Thou?" and "Where is Thy Brother," showed man's great responsiblity to God for himself and the debt he owed to his brother. It was a time of spiritual refreshment to the hearers and it was with universal regret that the mission closed on Sunday evening.*

LITTLE LOCALS.

*†*School Examiner Peterson has been visiting the county schools during the week.

*†*Justice France sentenced Charles Thomas, colored, on Monday night to two years in the House of Correction for carrying concealed weapons, and threatening to shoot officer Cooper.

*†*A pair of horses hitched to a dearborn, belonging to Mr. Atwell, who lives on one of Col. Wm. J. Vannort's farms, ran from the corner of Maple avenue to the basket factory early Monday morning, creating some little excitement. The dearborn was considerably damaged.

*†*The Republican State Central Committee will likely settle the contest over the Chestertown postoffice on Tuesday. The Committee will meet on Tuesday to make their recommendations.

*†*The proposed shirt factory seems at present to be an assured thing for Chestertown. Several of our prominent young men are back of the movement and plans are being perfected for the introduction of a laundry and shirt factory combined.

*†*Mr. Frederick Humbert is an applicant for Court House janitor. Mr. Humbert would no doubt make a good janitor.

*†*Next Thursday is Thanksgiving Day. Turkeys are making themselves very scarce in anticipation of the event.

*†*Mr. Jefferson D. Bacchus gave an oyster scald last Saturday night to the railroad employes who have finished the siding upon which will be run the coal cars for the popular coal dealer in the future.

*†*Quite a number of Chestertownians enjoyed the excursion to Annapolis on the steamer B. S. Ford last Saturday. They saw St. John's wallop Washington College to the tune of 41 to 0, and witnessed the humilation of the Middies before the giants of Bucknell, but still they returned home just as patriotic as ever.

*†*The squeal of the pig will be heard in the land very soon and we may expect to hear of some rousing porkers.

*†*The farmer's wife who has a large flock of turkeys is surely a fortunate woman these days. There has not been a turkey in market up to the present time, and prices are likely to range from 18 to 20 cents per pound dressed during the holiday season. Eggs too, are bringing fancy prices in our local markets.

*†*Mr. Jackson Coleman is an applicant for the position of town bailiff to succeed officer Hudson, who resigned to accept the janitorship of the Chestertown Public School.

*†*Mrs. M. E. Watts will remove to the house now occupied by Mr. Wm. E Valliant, on Queen street the first of the year, where she will continue to accommodate boarders.

*†*Edna Hogans, Mary Chambers and Henry Cotton, all of Fairlee, were before Justice Willard Melvin this week, charged with disorderly conduct. The charge was dismissed for want of evidence.

CHASING SLY REYNARD.

Sportsmen of Kent and Queen Anne's Counties Enjoy a Dav's Sport With the Hounds.

Mr. W. Irving Walker, of Queen Anne's, who is entertaining a party of New York, Pennsylvania and Baltimore sportsmen, arranged for their pleasure on Wednesday a genuine Eastern Shore fox hunt. Quite a number of Kent and Queen Anne's sportsmen were invited to participate in the chase, and early Wednesday morning the sportsmen gathered at the home of the genial host and prepared for rare sport. Mr. George Brice who owns one of the finest packs of hounds in Kent county, selected 15 of his choice dogs to make the run, and several gentlemen of Queen Anne's contributed a part of there fine packs and when the bugle sounded the start, forty fine hounds were ready for the fray and were putting the nerves of the sportsmen on edge by the music of their barking. The first fox was started on one of Mr. Walker's farms, and after a run of several miles across country the fox went to earth on Round Top farm. A second fox was started and after an exciting chase this one went to earth on the farm of Mr. Penn Jester. The hounds being unable to start another fox the sportsmen repaired to the home of the genial host, where they indulged in a clay pigeon shooting match, an oyster roast and a sumptuous dinner, served in most excellent Eastern Shore style by Mrs. Walker. The day was an ideal one for the chase and while the sly Reynard was too wily for the excellent pack of hounds, yet they furnished Mr. Walker's guests and all the sportsmen a plenty of fun while the chase was on. Every one returned delighted with the days chase, as well as with the unstinted hospitality of the genial host and hostess. Quite a number of Kent and Queen Anne's folks attended the chase in carriages and enjoyed the hospitality at the Walker homestead. As usual the Kent county dogs were in the thickest of the chase.

MARRIED.

By Rev. K. M. Bull at Kennedyville, Md., Mr. Joseph V. Duyer, of Colemans, and Miss Esther J. Gears, of Worton, on Nov. 18, 1903.

IN FAVOR OF HON. ISIDOR RAYNER.

We, the undersigned citizens of Kent county, Md., living and residing in said county, do heartily endorse the candidacy of Honorable Isidor Rayner as Senator of the United States; and we respectfully ask that this endorsement be published in the county papers.

THIRD DISTRICT.

Thomas Massey,	James S. Harris,
Samuel G. Lee,	I. P. Sutton,
Henry W. Anderson,	Clarence W. Crew,
J. W. Kelley,	Joseph L. Fowler,
W. W. Newcomb,	Alonzo P. Fowler,
William Vansant,	J. Fletcher Clark,
Dr. John H. Hessey,	William E. Myers,
Walter Moffett,	J. T. Moffett.
J. W. Crew,	B. T. Hudson,
J. W. Ivens,	W. K. Hudson,
George E. Sheats,	Thomas Gale,
Geo. W. Rash,	William B. Willis,
Isaac Dwyer,	A. S. Turner,
Elwood Morris,	Scott Crownhart,
Horace F. Brice,	Harry W. Owens,
Charles M. Bacon,	Harry Crew,
William Wheeler,	John H. Crew,
Howard Owens,	L. H. Rasin,
John Brice,	Lee Joiner,
Rhoton Crew,	Harvey Brice.
Samuel Brice,	S. T. Newcomb,
Charles H Smith,	H. M. Matthews,
Bayard Crew,	P. A. Matthews,
John M. Smith,	James S. Matthews,
Charles B. Scott,	Otho M. Fogwell, Jr.,
Thomas A. Wilmer	Otho F. Fogwell,
Clarence Crew,	John W. Fogwell,
Walter Crew,	Otho M. Fogwell, Sr.
G. W. Owens,	

FOURTH DISTRICT.

Edward Robinson,	H. W. Fallowfield,
Wilbur W. Hubbard,	S. J Coleman,
G. L. Quelet,	John Gale Usilton,
Jesse Medders,	James A. Greenwood,
John S. Vandergrift,	Geo. B. Westcott,
W. B. Coleman,	Benj. W. Greenwood,
J. B. McIntyre,	Frank A. Greenwood,
Geo. G. Hall,	William C. Benjamin.

SIXTH DISTRICT.

Thomas W. Skirven,	Harry C. Willis,
W. T. Nicholson,	A. Earle Nicholson,
E. J. Watson,	W. E. Loud,
John W. Fowler,	Charles H. Crew,
Walter Fowler,	Vincent Lee,
Thomas Fowler,	M. P. Lee,
Elwood Fowler,	R. C. Morgan,
Geo. T. Hudson,	H. T. Rash,
I. E. Fowler,	John L. Deputy,
Thos. J. Davis,	Harry Stavely,
Purnell Jefferson,	William B. Plummer,
Samuel Jefferson,	Leonard E. Plummer,
Alexander S. Bacon,	Carroll Loller,
James W. Middleton,	Robert Joiner,
James P. Price,	N. Lieberman,
John T. Newsome,	J. A. French,
George Faulkner,	Harry Fowler.

FOOT-BALL.

St. John's 41, Washington College 0.

Washington College foot-ball team went to Annapolis on Saturday last to contest with the strong St. John's eleven and were defeated by the score of 41 to 0. The W. C. boys did not expect to be able to win from a team that only the week before had given the crack University of Virginia team a hard fight for victory and none of the many rooters who accompanied the team on the special excursion on the Steamer B. S Ford were disappointed at the showing W. C. made. The college boys put up a fine game against the insuperable odds in weight, and the individual work of the W C. players was all that could be expected. At 11.30 St. John's appeared on the field ready for play followed shortly afterward by Washington. Captain Stevens won the toss for Washington and defended the South goal. Garey who proved to be Washington's star, kicked off to St. John's 15 yard line. Cooper received the ball and then the play was on in earnest. He returned the ball 10 yards before being downed. After eight minutes of play Smith scored the first touchdown and Grear kicked goal. The gains for the first touchdown were made principally by Cooper and Marye. Score St. John's 6—W. C. 0.

Green kicked off for St. John's to Schutz on Washington's 10 yard line Cooper downed him on the 15 yard line. The visitors now made some gains, principally by Garey going through tackle. After two minutes St. John's got the ball on a fumble. After a series of gains, Cooper made a run of 15 yards, and scored the second touchdown. Green again kicked goal.

Green kicked off for St. John's to opponents 20 yard line. Washington held the ball for five downs when it was lost on a fumble. Duvall now made two long end runs and Mudd carried the ball over for a touchdown. Green kicked goal. Score St. John 18—W. C. 0.

Washington now secured the ball on a fumble, after Hopkins had carried the ball over. Hence Washington kicked from the twenty-five yard line. Rouse, the substitute end, secured the ball and made a very pretty run of 30 yards. Marye then made a long end run and Smith carried the ball over for a touchdown. Green here missed the only goal of the game. Score St. John 23—Washington 0.

Green kicked off to Washington's 15 yard line. Washington held the ball for three downs, but then lost it not being able to make first down. After another end run by Duvall, Marye carried the ball over for the fifth and last down of the half. Green kicked goal. The half ended with the ball in Washington's possesion in middle field. Score St. John 29—Washington 0.

St. John opened the second half by kicking off. Washington held the ball for three minutes when it was lost on a fumble. Duvall here made another 30 yard run and Mudd carried the ball fifteen yards for a touchdown. Green again kicked goal. St. John 35—W. C. 0.

Green again kicked off for St. John. Washington did not hold the ball long, losing it, not being able to make the required first down. St. John here was fined twenty yards for off-side play. Captain Halbert now made a twenty-five yard run to Washington's two yard line Captain Halbert then carried the ball over for a toushdown, the last of the game. Green kicked goal. Score St. John 41—Washington 0.

Green kicked off again for St. John. Time was called with the ball in Washington's possession. The line-up was as follows:

St. John's.	Position.	Washington
Rouse	Left end	Long
Cooper, Parsons,	L. T.	Brice
Mudd	L. G.	Porter
Green	Center	Hughes
Clark, McCardell	R. G.	Tyler
Halbert (Captain)	R. T.	Garey
Hopkins	R. E.	Newton
Duvall	Q. B	Schultz
Smith	L. H. B.	(Captain) Stevens
Ruhl, Jackson	F. B	Moore
Marye, Wilson, Moore	R. H. B.	Hitch

Umpire—Mr. Chamberlain, of Yale. Referee—Mr. Melvin, of St. John. Time keepers—Padgett, of St. John, Beck, of Washington. Time of halves—30 and 25 minutes.

Quite a crowd accompanied the Washington College team to Annapolis and witnessed the game between the Naval Academy and Bucknell.

Yale and Harford play at Cambridge today. On November 26, Pennsylvania meets Cornell, and on November 18 the United States Naval Academy team will do battle with the United States Military Academy eleven, on Franklin Field, Philadelphia. This game will attract a great crowd of prominent people.

WORTH A KING'S RANSOM.

MRS. COL. E. J. GRESHAM, Treasurer Daughters of the Confederacy, and President Herndon Village Improvement Society, writes the following letter from Herndon, Fairfax county, Va.:

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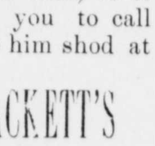

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