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LOCAL MATTERS.

Attention, Patrons.—Owing to the fact that many of our town subscribers fail to get their papers on Saturday morning, due we are sure, to their being taken from the doorsteps or blown away by the wind, the newspapers of the town have agreed that on and after October 1, all papers will be delivered through the post office. This will insure the prompt and certain delivery of the papers without any complaint to the office that papers did not reach our subscribers. This will enable our subscribers to get their papers oftentimes on Friday evenings and will thus benefit the merchants for the Saturday trade.

Perryville Record Sold.—The Perryville Record has been sold by its founder, Wilson L. Cousden, to Messrs. Clarence L. Cole, of Perryville, and Harry R. Wilson, of North East. The new proprietors assumed charge of last week's issue of the paper, which, as heretofore, is printed on the press of the "Appeal" in Elkton.

The New 1000-Mile Ticket.—The Pennsylvania Railroad has supplied the ticket offices of the system with full stocks of the mileage books, recently adopted, to be sold to travelers on and after September 1. They are sold at the flat rate of $20 and are transferable. They are also dated for use for one year from date of purchase as stamped on the cover.

Station Agents Demand More Pay.—Pennsylvania Railroad station agents met in Dover, Del., last week and decided that they ought to have more pay, and appointed a committee to wait upon the operating department of the Pennsylvania system and request an increase in the scale. The agents argue that the responsibilities of their positions and the profits of their company are the justification for their demand.

Change of Schedule.—Beginning tomorrow (Sunday), Sept. 9th, the steamer Corsica will leave Baltimore Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday at 7 P. M., stopping at Quaker Neck, Booker's, Rolph's, Chestertown, Buckingham, Spry's, Deep Landing and Crumpton. Returning, steamer will leave Crumpton for Baltimore Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12 o'clock noon, stopping at above landings. This schedule will remain in effect as long as the weather will permit. It is a very convenient schedule.

Commissioner Wagner Buys Trotter.—County Commissioner William Wagner, while at the Tolchester fair last week, purchased the trotter, Half Gallon, which was entered in the cart race by his owner, Mr. Haxter, of Stevensville, Queen Anne county. Half Gallon showed considerable speed in his race, taking third place in two heats which were trotted in 2.30½ and 2.33. The price paid for the horse was reported to be $250, and those in a position to know say Mr. Wagner has secured a great bargain. Look out, Judge Hicks, you may get "done up" when the commissioner comes to town.

Visited Tomb of Herman.—On the occasion of the annual visit to the tomb of Herman, the first settler of Bohemia Manor, in Cecil county last week, Mrs. M. A. O. Massey, of Chestertown, who is a descendant of the great Herman, showed oil paintings of Herman and his wife. They are about 18x24 inches and were painted by W. Clark in 1788. The date would indicate that they are copies of larger portraits. Mrs. Massey possesses a number of legal and other documents written by Herman, which she said were falling to pieces. Mrs. Massey was advised to send the papers to the Maryland Historical Society, which she said she would do.

Oyster Lot-Holders, Attention.—A few weeks ago the TRANSCRIPT published, by order of the Shell Fish Commission of Maryland, a notice to the end that oyster lot holders in Kent county must severally file applications to retain their respective lots under the new law at the office of the Shell Fish Commission, Annapolis, Md., on or before October 2d, 1906. There has been some response on the part of the lot owners, but those who have not yet made application are warned to file their applications before the expiration of the time allowed them to do so, otherwise their priorities will be forfeited. Blank forms with full instructions will be furnished free of cost upon application to the Shell Fish Commission, Annapolis.

Inspecting Oyster Bars.—Commander Howard, of the state Fishery Force, after a cruise of inspection of the oyster grounds of the State last week, said that he found the young growth of oysters abundant, and the prospects for a successful season are excellent. He said, however, that this depended in a large measure upon the care exercised in carrying out the cull law, as there was a large quantity of oysters just below marketable size, but which would reach the legal size before the end of the season. He also said that the oysters were somewhat more plentiful and in a decidedly better condition than at the opening of last season. For the first time in years he had seen absolutely no indications of the taking of oysters before the opening of the season or other violations of the law.

Captains Want More Pay.—A meeting has been arranged by officials of the American Association of Masters and Pilots of Steam Vessels with Capt. Willard Thomson, of the B. C. & A. Railway Company, at which there will take place a discussion on the proposition brought up by the Masters Association to increase the salaries of the steamboat officers of the B. C. A. Company. The men claim that the compensation which they receive is inadequate, as their duties have increased and living now casts much more than heretofore, without a corresponding increase in wages. The rate of pay for captains of steamers is $75 for points above Cove Point and $100 below. They are asking for $100 above and $125 below Cove Point. We have not been informed whether or not the increase will effect the captains of Chester River boats.

Appointed Baker.—Through the influence of R. D. Hynson, Esq., a member of the Board of Directors of the House of Correction, Mr. William B. Wilmer, of Chestertown, has been appointed baker of the institution to succeed Mr. Louis Koester, of Frederick, who has resigned after a service of 12 years.

The Child Labor Law.—The new Child Labor Law took effect last Saturday. It provides that all children between 12 and 16 years of age, employed in any factory, store or at any gainful occupation, must obtain a certificate that they can read and write and are physically fitted for work. Children under 12 years, and all under 16 years who cannot read and write, are forbidden such employment. These certificates are issued by the County Health Officer, Dr. H. G. Simpers, and there is a severe penalty for violation of this act by employers or parents.

LITTLE LOCALS.

*†*Soft crabs are reported plentiful at Rock Hall. They have been selling for 20 cents per dozen.

*†*Chas. Sylvester, of Denton, has been appointed inspector of canneries for the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

*†*Mr. Thomas V. Simpson, through J. Water Russell, real estate broker, has sold to Mrs. Sarah M. Usilton his dwelling on Kent street for $925.

*†*Labor Day was quietly observed in Chestertown by the closing of the postoffice, public offices and banks and by the "Ancient Order Sons of Rest."

*†*Messrs. Needles Bros., painters and paper hangers, are painting the residence on Queen street occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Usilton, Jr. It is a great improvement.

*†*Mr. Charles S. Smith has bought for New York parties, through J. Waters Russell, real estate, the Copper property, containing five acres, near Fancy school house. Price private.

*†*Notwithstanding the almost incessant rains, some of our farmers who have orchards have made good profits out of their peach crops. One young farmer near town has netted about $700.

*†*Elsie G., owned by Dr. Sudler, of Queen Annes, lowered her record to 2.16¼ at Timonium on Wednesday, winning her race handily in straight heats. She is driven by E. H. Johnson.

*†*The captain of a schooner lying at the county wharf loaded with lumber was unable to secure hands to unload his vessel yesterday morning. He discharged his crew upon landing here, but could get no labor to take their places.

*†*Mr. Ralph Barnett has sold his dwelling on High street to J. Waters Russell, real estate broker. Mr. Barnett has purchased a building lot on Queen street from Mr. Charles Hodgkin and will erect a modern home next year.

*†*Mr. George French has purchased of Mr. J. Waters Russell, real estate broker, a desirable building lot on Kent street extended. The lot has a frontage of 52 feet, and Mr. French will erect a comfortable home in the near future.

*†*The steamer Bertie E. Tull carried to Baltimore on Monday and Tuesday 12,000 baskets of tomatoes. She has had a very successful freighting season thus far, and the end season freighting business promises to be heavy.

*†*Mr. John C. Davis has purchased of Mr. James T. Ireland, his fine property on High street now occupied by Mr. Ireland. The price paid is reported to be $5,000. Mr. Davis will occupy his new home Jan. 1. Mr. Ireland will move to his Churn Creek farm.

*†*It would be a great improvement to Chestertown if the Pennsylvania R. R. Co. would beautify the grounds around their station, such as has been done at many of their stations along their lines. A suggestion for the Ladies Town Improvement Association.

*†*Scarcely during winter months have the county roads been worse than they were during Tolchester Fair week. The rains made them almost impassable and quite a number of teams got stuck going and coming from Tolchester last week.

*†*National Bank Examiner, Samuel C. Hann, examined the affairs of the Second National Bank of Chestertown, Md., this week, and found all phases of the work to be in excellent condition. Mr. Hann says the Second National is one of the best and cleanest banks in the State.

*†*Several of our farmers began cutting off corn this week. Some of them are experiencing difficulty in getting labor. They refuse to pay the price demanded by the colored laborers, which is the outrageous sum of $1.50 per day. Better go to Smith & Graham's and buy a first-class corn harvester.

*†*Mr. Robert G. Nicholson, proprietor of the Chestertown Ice Plant, has been shipping large quantities of ice to Delaware and points in Maryland, beside supplying the town and county with an excellent quality of ice. His cold storage room enables him to keep a large supply always on hand.

*†*Aaron Atkinson and Mark Bell, Capt. Cecil Atkinson's fine thoroughbred colts, are now at Mr. D. B. McMenamin's stables on Calvert street for the winter. Capt. Atkinson has recently sold at a good profit his thoroughbred runners, Dairy Maid and Officer, both of which were entered in the running races at Tolchester last week.

*†*The body of the late Boone Vickers was exhumed and reinterred by the side of his lamented mother in Chester cemetery on Tuesday. Mr. Percy Vickers, of Chicago, who has been visiting his uncle, Harrison W. Vickers, Esq., will erect handsome tombstones to the memory of his mother and brother next week.

*†*The Chestertown Creamery, Mr. Rust, proprietor, is doing a successful business and the quantity of milk is being increased. Mr. Rust informs us, however, that he is prepared to handle all the milk the farmers can bring him. This is a most excellent thing for our farmers and they should patronize it liberally. The butter made by Mr. Rust is first-class.

*†*The public sales of Mrs. Annie Massey and Mr. Paul Massey, R. D. Hynson, Esq., attorney, Messrs. Frank P. Cochran and John B. Purrott, Hope H. Barroll, Esq., attorney, all of which were advertised in the TRANSCRIPT, were largely attended and excellent prices were obtained. Some of the finest stock in the county exchanged hands at these sales this week.

*†*A gentleman was in Chestertown yesterday looking for his runaway wife. He stated that a detective had learned that her trunk had been checked to Chestertown, but it has never reached here. The gentleman said that his wife got $2000 by an uncle recently, and she preferred some one else to him and left as soon as she got the money.

*†*We would kindly suggest that it would be a most beneficial thing, so far as health and cleanliness are concerned to run the street sprinkler during the month of September. There was so much rain during July and August, that the sprinkler has been comparatively an inexpensive luxury, and with the co-operation of the tax-payers we kindly ask the town commissioners to grant this request. There will be no criticism of their action from the taxpayers, we can assure them.

*†*The summer excursion season at Tolchester, which closed on Wednesday, is declared to have been the most profitable in the history of the popular resort. There was scarcely a day that big crowds failed to patronize the reresort, and notwithstanding the rainy weather, the fair was also a success. Supt. Noland is surely a man worthy of his hire, and his ability as an executive is unsurpassed. The season at Betterton and Rock Hall has also been a record breaking one, and the hotel men and cottages are on the "happy" list.

THE TWO CANDIDATES.

Again has the Republican nomination for Congress been thrust upon Hon. William H. Jackson, of Salisbury, and the political "hymn," with which he is exceedingly familiar, has been given out with great gusto and feeling by patriotic followers, who now expect him to "sing."

One or the other of the two candidates now before the people of the First Maryland District will represent them in the Sixtieth Congress, and the people have some eight weeks in which to weigh the qualifications of the candidates and decide which of the two shall receive their suffrages for the important post of Representative in the Congress of the United States. This decision is not to be approached in a spirit of recklessness. A Congressman is a public servant, and it behooves the public to see that it chooses him with care and discrimination. By the character of its Congressman and his aptitude for public duty is a district judged by the country. The Eastern Shore of Maryland is entitled to have as its Representative a man who can give it influence and individuality in the House.

It cannot be said that the people of this District have not had full and abundant opportunity for judging between the candidates whom the Democratic party and the Republican party have chosen. The biennial aspirant for the place has been twice elected, and has three times heretofore asked the people for support—the customary limit of Congressional candidacies in this District within the memory of man. The sitting member has served through one session. It is a very easy matter for any inquiring voter to ascertain which of the two has given his time and effective and intelligent labor to the duties devolving upon him as the Representative in the national legislature of 200,000 people, and of 50,000 voters.

It is with no intention of making an odious comparison that it is recalled that a former Congressman declared to a constituent of his own party faith—whose business, unfortunately for him, was not the seeking of an office with the "recommendation" of his State Central Committee—"I want to be in Congress for the glory, and also because I have the money to afford it." The place of Congressman was surely not created by the founders of the nation for the gratification of an ambition which is purely selfish, but rather for the purpose of giving to the people of the States one federal body in which they should be proportionately represented; and to be represented, it is necessary that the occupant of that place should be one whose strength and activities are devoted solely to the onerous task of serving his constituents and his State and his country.

He does this who is to be found in Washington on every legislative day; who is accessible to his constituents; who not only attends two committee meetings in two whole Congresses but who is not conspicuous by his absence from any committee meeting in one session; who does not content himself with an occasional visit to the House and an infrequent and unconsidered vote on public measures, but who faithfully follows the debates and course of legislation and is ready, when the occasion demands, to present the interests and sentiment of his own people.

No district whose Representative is year after year mute and ingloriously silent in such an active body as the House of Representatives, and uniformly absent from committee work can command respect. It must play its part firmly and intelligently, albeit modestly, in the arena of national legislation, or suffer the contumely and neglect it otherwise deserves.

With Our Advertisers.

Now is the time to buy a corn harvester. Read what one prominent farmer has to say in this paper about the harvester Smith & Graham are selling. It is first-class in every respect.

One more week left of W. Ambrose Carroll's closing out shoe sale. Mr. Carroll advises us to say that all bills remaining uncollected by Sept. 15 will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.

Do not forget the auction sale of Hague, Hackett & Turner, of buggies, runabouts and surries, at Still Pond today. See advertisement in this issue.

Vansant & Newsome the gents furnishing clothiers, have a change in this issue that is well worth reading. This is one of the best furnishing stores in the county and their goods are always stylish and of the latest fabrics and makes. See advertisement on editorial page.

The tournament and dance at Dewey Park on Monday promises to be a great success socially and financially. There will be fine tilting and fine speaking. Everybody go.

Medders & Co., Still Pond, have a big CARRIAGE SALE Saturday, Sept. 15th. This is a "Great Swap-Dollar Sale," and there are bargains to any purchaser. Next Wednesday, Sept. 12, each customer gets an agate cook pot for only 9 cents. One to a customer, same as heretofore.

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Mrs. Mable Bradford, 18 Church street, Burlington, Vt., Secretary Whittier Oratorio Society, writes:

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"I began to have severe pains across my back about a year ago, brought on by a cold, and each subsequent month brought me pain and distress.

"Your remedy was prescribed, and the way it acted upon my system was almost too good to be true. I certainly have regained my health and strength, and I no longer suffer periodical pains and extreme lassitude."---Mable Bradford.

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Women who suffer should read the evidences presented here. We have thousands of letters from grateful friends who tell the same story.

Half the ills that are peculiarly woman's own are of a catarrhal character. Female weakness was not understood for many years.

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Peruna produces clean, mucous membranes, the basis of facial symmetry and a perfect complexion.

The women have not been slow to discover that a course of Peruna will do more toward restoring youthful beauty than all the devices known to science.

Many a girl has regained her faded beauty, many a matron has lengthened the days of her comely appearance by using Peruna.

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Thousands of testimonials to this effect are received by Dr. Hartman every year. The good that Peruna has accomplished in this class of cases can scarcely be over-estimated.

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Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio. All correspondence held strictly confidential.

A MID-SUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM.

When the song birds are asleep in their nest
And the bee seeks her home to rest,
When the pretty leaved clover has drooped each head
Never dreams of the sweetness it sheds.

The moon comes sailing on silvery seas
And peeps at the flowers through leafy trees;
And the sky looks like it will never rain,
Then the Mid-summer Night is upon us again.

The honeysuckle sends forth its perfume,
As if it would never cease to bloom,
And under the trees the soft breezes pass
As the moon light shines like gold on the grass.

The night is quiet with scarcely a break
Except when a little birdling awakes,
Then the summer breezes coo it asleep
Like a boat that is rocked on the ocean's deep.

O Midsummer Night, tell us if you can
As you come like a fairy with a silvery wand,
"Is the day time with its noise and sin
With your quietness and beauty akin?"

O Midsummer Night, you carry us back with the tide
To the time our childhood died,
To dream of those happy days
That have long ago passed away.

With your beauty and fragrance you scent the air
As if this sinful world had never a care,
To remind those where trouble has trod
It is like a page taken from the book of God.

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Letter to C. L. Jarrell,

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Dear Sir: Now, may be, you can't get the goods; if you can, your fortune is made.

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You could sell that cloth for hundreds of miles; there'd be no limit.

A yard goes further; one buys less yards. Wears longer, one buys less often. It always looks right till well worn out. No one customer buys so much of it, but think of the number of customers!

May be you can't get it in cloth: but you can in paint: Devoe. Devoe is as if it were wider: a gallon goes further; you buy less gallons; you pay for less gallons; you pay for painting less gallons—as if one paid less for making a garment of that wide cloth—and it keeps its fresh look and sheds water till you have forgotten how old it is.

It isn't true in cloth, but it is in paint: the less you pay, the better it is; for the goodness of paint is reckoned by gallons; less gallons, more goodness. Goodness in paint is strength. The stronger a paint, the less gallons it takes for a job and the longer it wears.

Yours truly
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For Wearers of Good Shoes.

Having signed a contract with the well-known firm of N. Hess & Sons to take charge of their Baltimore city store from September 15th, it compels me to close out my entire stock of Shoes in Chestertown.

My stock here is nearly Five Thousand Dollars in Ladies', Men's, Boys' and Misses' Shoes and Rubbers.

Now listen, good people, you know that for the past four years I have sold you all Shoes that were stylish, good looking and kept their shape; and best of all wore you as well and were better than Shoes you bought elsewhere. I have always tried to give the best leather Shoes that money and twelve years experience could buy. You can get cheap, trashy Shoes with what is commonly known as "paper soles," both outter and inner soles.

I have not any such Shoes in my store, nor have I ever handled such. You need not think that you will come to me expecting to get a $5.00 Shoe for $1.50. We are going to SELL OUT, no fake sale. We will sell Shoes at cost price, even less than you can buy them to-day at factory prices.

When you can save a dollar or so on a pair of Shoes, this opportunity seldom comes to you. All we ask of you is to come to see us and we will prove to you what we say we will do. If not convenient for you to come at once, write us a card and we promise you the same treatment as if you came yourself. But don't put it off, for this sale will only last about two weeks, as my contract compels me to report for work at the well-known firm of N. Hess & Sons, Baltimore, by September 15th.

We will sell you Shoes less than you ever had or will be able to buy them for some time to come, and it will pay you to buy for the future.

Very respectfully yours.

W. Ambrose Carroll.

P. S.—Come at once, time is short.

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On all our vehicles, consisting of over two car-loads span new work.

You can't afford to miss the Still Pond sales on next Saturday

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A note will be accepted when cash is not convenient.

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1000 yds. Light Outing Cloth just the thing for fall, worth 10c and 12½c yd., all on table only	8c
Fruit of Loom Muslin 500 yds. in this sale	8¼c
Androscoggin Muslin 500 yds. in this sale	7¾c
Best Table Oil Cloth all fancy new patterns	10c
Sheeting, ¼ Bleached worth 29c yd., now	24½c
Sheeting, ¼ unbleached worth 29c yd., now	23½c
Apron Gingham, blue, brown and green checks, all	3¾c
Shirting Prints, all pretty and neat patterns	3¾c
Dress Calico, dark blue and wrapper prints	3¾c
Pillow Cases ready made worth 15c each, now	10c

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

5c Best School Ink	3c
5c Companion Boxes	3c
10c Good Pen Tablets	5c
10c Double Thick Pencil Tables	5c
Large Composition Books	5c
Pencils, Sponges, Balls, Bags, etc.	
School Shoes, worth $1.25 and $1.50 on sale only	98c

Boys School Suits, extra values and with each suit costing $2.50 and over, we present free a good dollar watch guaranteed to keep time. Every boy needs a new school suit and especially when a good watch is thrown in.

Pure Spices!

¼ lb. Best Mustard Seed	3c
¼ lb. Best Celery Seed	3c
¼ lb. Best Allspice	3c
¼ lb. Green Ginger Root	3c
Large Bull Nose Green Peppers	10c dozen
Cucumber Pickles	5c and 10c doz.

NEXT WEDNESDAY'S SALE

AGATE COOK POTS.

ONLY 9 CENTS.

On next Wednesday we will sell these large 6 Quart Agate Cooking pots worth 50c each for only 9c.

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