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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1907.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Fire at Clayton.—Fire on Saturday destroyed the cannery and lumber yard of Warner & Blair in Clayton. The blaze originated in the cannery, resulting in a loss of about $3,000, which is partly covered by insurance. The cannery was owned by Victor Atwell, of Block Island.

Large Catch of Fish.—Mr. D. M. McNatt, of Love Point, reports one of the largest deep-water seine hauls ever made at the Point on Monday afternoon. The fish were large rock and enough were caught to fill 135 boxes, with 225 pounds to the box. The entire catch was shipped to Baltimore. Many of the Rock Hall fishermen are at Love Point making good money at fishing.

Tolchester Company Loses.—The Court of Appeals has sustained the decision of the lower court in the case of Joseph Scharnagi against the Tolchester Company. Scharnagi sued the Tolchester Company for false arrest and imprisonment while a passenger on the steamer Louise during the season of 1905. The case was appealed from the Superior Court of Baltimore.

Purchased Cannery.—Mr. Howard Baldwin, of Kennedyville, has purchased of the American Strawboard Company the cannery at the old depot heretofore operated by the Canning & Mercantile Company. The price paid was $2850, and Mr. Baldwin gets possession March 1. Mr. Baldwin operates a large cannery at Kennedyville, and is an experienced man at the business. He will no boubt make a success of the work here as he has in Kennedyville.

Quick Work.—It is astonishing how quickly advertisements inserted in the TRANSCRIPT bring the desired results. Last Saturday morning a lost breastpin was advertised. At two o'clock Miss Louise Crane came into this office with the lost article and it was returned to its owner immediately. This old, old story is ever true. The TRANSCRIPT is read by more people than any other paper in this county. Don't deny it, it's true.

Shallcross Farm Brings Good Price.—The Jacob T. Shallcross farm, situated in the first district, was offered at public sale on Monday. The farm contains 147 acres, and is one of the finest tracts in that section of the county. Spirited bidding was spirited. The farm was finally sold to Mr. John Ernest for $14,153. The half interest in the White House Farm, heretofore owned by Mr. Ernest, was sold to Mr. Isaac Gibbs at the rate of $50 per acre.

Mr. Cleaver Injured.—Mr. Isaac Cleaver, one of the oldest and most prominent residents of the Second District met with a painful accident on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Cleaver drove to the home of his son, Mr. Wm. Cleaver, for feed. He backed his dearborn, in which he was standing, up to the barn door. A hen flew upon the back of his horse, which caused it to jump suddenly. Mr. Cleaver fell out of the dearborn, sustaining a severe injury to his shoulder. Dr. G. Irvin Barwick was summoned, and rendered medical aid. Mr. Cleaver is 65 years of age, and it is hoped that his injury is not serious.

W. C. Glee and Mandolin Club.—The Washington College Glee and Mandolin Club has been reorganized during the week. There are bright prospects for a fine array of talent for the club, as quite a number of the new students have good voices and all the parts will be well sustained. The club is under the direction of Mrs. Dr. James W. Cain, who is developing the voices of the members of the club in her excellent and skilled manner. The club proposes to give a fine concert in June, which it will endeavor to make the best in its history. Mr. Walter H. Davis is leader.

Mayor Timanus in Town.

Chestertown was honored on Saturday evening with a visit from Baltimore City's Chief Executive, Hon. E. Clay Timanus, and a party of friends, who came over on the ice boat Annapolis to see the ice boat break tracks for the Md., Del. & Va. Company's steamers. Shortly after the steamer reached the wharf here it was noised abroad that the mayor was on board, and every one was interested in seeing the big mayor and the man who is giving Wachter a big tussle for renomination for the City's Chief Executive. Mayor Timanus did not seem at all worried over his prospects for the future, if his pleasant smile and genial air are any indications of contentment. He and his party made a tour of the town, and met quite a number of people whom the mayor knows. When he reached the city on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, he expressed himself as having had an interesting and pleasant trip. Said he, "It was for recreation, and I reaped the benefit of the trip." The mayor was acccompanied by his son, Mr. Eugene Timanus, Mr. H. L. Lacke, first assistant to Mayor Hutton, of the Harbor Board, Mr. James H. Irwin, secretary of the board. Capt. Alexander Wilkinson was in command of the Annapois. He was accompanied by Capt. William Taylor. The Annapolis stopped at Rock Hall before returning to Baltimore.

Fatally Shoots Himself.—Word was received yesterday morning from Cecilton, Md., that Crawford Smith, the twenty-two year old son of James Smith, a prominent merchant of that town had shot himself twice, inflicting two wounds in his chest, and was in a critical condition. He had opend the store as usual and then retired to his room where he committed the rash act. We learn this morning that there is very little hope of his recovery. No cause can be assigned for the act by his relatives. Mr. Smith has an uncle living near Still Pond, who tenants one of Judge F. H. Harper's farms.

LITTLE LOCALS.

*†*The blue birds are coming.

*†*The new Steam Laundry will begin operations on Monday.

*†*Bogle's wharf was damaged by the ice last Thursday.

*†*Soft crabs are being caught, and fishermen are making big hauls of perch and rock.

*†*Fishermen around Quaker Neck and Cliffs are making big hauls of perch and rock.

*†*Yesterday was Washington's birthday. The father of our country was fittingly remembered by the public schools, Washington College and by the closing of the banks and public offices.

*†*Baseball, horse racing, fishing are beginning to occupy the attention of our sporting fraternity. There are prospects that Tolchester race entries will be well filled, and there will be some interesting speed contests.

*†*Quite a number of the up-the-county farmers are contracting for tomatoes at $9 per ton. Farmers in this neighborhood have not considered any propositions yet. Mr. Howard Baldwin, who purchased the cannery at the old depot this week will contract, so it is reported

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Hynson Rogers, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. Marian Rogers, on Front street.

Miss Mary Rogers has been the guest of friends in Baltimore for some weeks. She will visit New York and Philadelphia friends before returning.

Mr. Bordley Sappington, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sappington, on Mill street. Mr. Sappington celebrated his 21st. birthday yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Jefferson returned from their wedding tour on Monday evening. They will be at home to their friends at Hotel Vosheil after March 1.

Mrs. John Masten, of Harrington, Del., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jonathon Anthony on High street.

Mrs. C. Norman Jefferson, of Delmar, Del., is the guest of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Jefferson, over the river.

Mr. Warwick, son of ex-Mayor Warwick, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of his cousin, Mr. Thomas W. Perkins, on Front street, during the week.

Mrs. Dr. A. S. Hall was called to Washington last week by the death of a relative.

Mrs. Griffith, of Middletown, Del., is the guest of Miss Helen Welch, on Maple avenue.

Mrs. Warren, of Still Pond, is visiting Mrs. Harry B. Rote, of Mill street.

Mr. Jarrett Sheridan, son of Rev. J. M. Sheridan, has accepted a business position in Baltimore.

Mrs. Reulah Newsome and little daughter, Emily, are spending sometime with Mrs. Lewis F. Newsome, of Worton.

Mr. Cooper Elliott, Jr., of Baltimore, and Miss Marie F. Benny, formerly of Chestertown, were quietly married in Ellicott city on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. C. A. Harkins, of Wilmington, Del., was the guest last week of her sister, Mr. J. B. McIntyre, on Kent street.

Mr. W. Frank Jarrell received the first degree in Masonry last week in Chester Lodge.

Mr. William Patrick is ill at his home near the mill, with pneumonia.

J. Henry Baker, Esq., son of ex-Senator Baker, of Kent, has been made President of the Baltimore branch of Dickinson College Alumni Association.

Miss Lillian Gale left town for Baltimore, where she will again resume her position as milliner for Armstrong, Cator & Co.

Misses Clara Usilton and Fannie Baker are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Percy T. McFeely, in Mt. Vernon, New York.

Mr. Robert G. Nicholson has been confined to the house during the week with a severe cold. We are glad to report him better.

The town seems to be in the grasp of the grip. Among those who have been effected recently are: Mrs. Alice McFeely, Miss Hattie Bacchus, Mr. D. A. Bacchus, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Wroth, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Howard, Mrs. W. L. White, Mrs. John W. Barnes, Mrs. M. E. Stuart, Miss Bessie Stuart, Miss Hallie Toulson, Mr. John C. Davis and John D. Urie, Esq.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard accompanied by Mrs. Ross and daughter, Miss Julia, returned from a very pleasant trip to Washington on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Willis, of near town, entertained a number of friends at a sumptuous dinner on Thursday in honor of three of this winter's brides—Mrs. Frank Skirven, Mrs. Charles L. Dodd and Mrs. Thos. D. Bowers.

Miss Jeanette Gooding, the efficient and popular vice-principal of the Chestertown High School, is quite ill with pneumonia. A trained nurse is in attendance.

Mrs. Wm. J. Vannort, who has been quite sick with the grip for a week, is able to be up, we are glad to state.

Mr. James W. Lambert has been visiting relatives and friends in Baltimore during the week.

The editors of the TRANSCRIPT beg to acknowledge the receipt of invitations to attend the reception given by the Mt. Vernon Literary Society of Washington College, in Normal Hall, yesterday evening.

Mrs. Henry J. Gray, of near Galena, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Jarrell, on Washington avenue.

Mr. David Perkins, of Philadelphia, is the guest of relatives and friends in and near town.

Senator and Mrs. Clarence W. Perkins are visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Perkins, on Front street.

Mr. R. G. Nicholson is visiting his sons, Messrs. Robert J. and Dr. Horace W. Nicholson, in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Vannort are guests of their daughter, Mrs. James W. Chapman, Jr., in Baltimore.

Mrs. Anderson, wife of Mr. Thomas Anderson, and daughter of the late John Primrose, of Queen Anne county, died at her home in Church Hill last Friday afternoon, of consumption.

Mrs. Mary A. Rees has been quite ill with pneumonia at the home of her son Mr. Howard D. Rees, on Eastern Neck Island. While sick she had the watchful care and attention of her daughters, Mrs. Raymond Jones, of Chestertown, and Miss May Rees, of Elwyn, Pa.; both were with her during her illness. We are glad to state she is much better at this writing.

Little Mary Rees Jones, daughter of Mrs. Raymond Jones, has been quite sick with grip at the home of her uncle, Mr. Howard Rees.

Mrs. Raymond Jones returned to Chestertown on Tuesday after having been gone over five weeks nursing her sick mother, and little daughter.

Mill Dam Breaks.

Owing to the pressure of ice and water the gates at Urieville mill dam broke loose on Thursday afternoon letting the water out of the dam and causing considerable damage to the embankment and public road. Mr. George D. Lofland made a narrow escape from being caught with his team in the flood of waters. Mr. Lofland was on his way to Kennedyville to purchase straw for the American Strawboad Mill, and just as his team reached the bottom of the hill this side the dam, Mr. Lofland heard a great cracking and roaring and looking around saw the gates give way just in time to pull his horse to a standstill. Had Mr. Lofland been ten yards farther up the road, he would have been caught in the rushing water, and may have met with a serious accident. This is the second time recently that the dam has given way, and the second occasion on which a traveler narrowly escaped being crught. Dr. J. W. Urie, of Still Pond, had the same experience as Mr. Lofland several years ago.

Mt. Vernon Day.

Yesterday was not only Washington's birthday, at Washington College, but was Mt. Vernon day as well, for as is customary the society entertained during the evening, and a special exercise was held under its auspices in the college chapel at 10.30 in the morning. The feature of the occasion was an address very appropriate to the occasion by State Senator Clarence W. Perkins, of Baltimore, an alumnus of the college, and president of the Baltimore branch of the college alumni association. Senator Perkins' address was patriotic in charcater and forceful in thought and was well received by the large audience present to hear him. Other addresses appropriate to the occasion were made by President Cain, members of the faculty, and Mr. Wethered Barroll, one of the students. The day closed with a brilliant reception given by the society in Normal Hall in the evening at which about two hundred students and guests were delightfully entertained.

State Teacher's Meeting

The Maryland State Teacher's Association will hold its annual convention at the Jamestown Exposition. The session will begin on Tuesday, June 25th, and will close on the following Friday. At this convention Governor Warfield, of Maryland, will deliver the address, and it is the purpose of the association to have many other notable speakers at the session. Among those named are Governor Swanson, of Virginia; President Alderman, of the University of Virginia; Superintendent of Education Egleston and Superintendent J. H. Van Sickle, of Baltimoe. Arrangements have been set on foot by the Jamestown Exposition management for caring for the members of the Maryland Teacher's Association. The auditorium of the Exposition was set apart for the use of the teachers during their stay.

With Our Advertisers.

Shafer, Redmile & Co., the well-known farm and implement dealers of Kennedyville, offer for sale the celebrated J. I. Case H. Drop and the Deere Corn Planters. There are none better on the market. See advertisement in another column.

Charles W. Copper, the uptown meat market proprietor, always sells the choicest cuts of steak, pork, veal and lamb. He has lard, sausage and scrapple in season. Give him a call.

Read Harry F. Jefferson's big white goods sale advertisement this morning. Bargains without number. Sale begins on Monday morning. Read the dates and hours carefully, and get in on some of the bargains.

The Epworth League of Still Pond, Md., will hold an entertainment in the hotel building opposite the church, Tuesday evening, Feb. 26th. Oysters and chicken salad will be served. Admission 25 cents.

Letter to F. D. Leary,
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But in spite of all these considerations, thousands of people without any solicitation whatever do write testimonials for Peruna.

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We have never put into print but a small per cent. of those actually received.

Sincere Testimony.

In presenting the testimonial of Admiral Hichborn we appreciate the high rank of our testifier.

We feel sure that his testimonial will appeal to others as it does to us, that nothing but a genuine wish to do others good would have impelled a man in such honorable rank to give public testimony to any remedy, however valuable.

The Admiral is altogether too busy a man to answer letters of inquiry, but the reader can rest assured that his testimony is given in his exact words, over his signature.

Genuine Endorsements.

Our testimonials are and always have been given in the exact language of the testifier, with which we take no liberties whatever in adding to or changing them.

In the use of testimonials we have always received them properly signed, in good faith, have published them in good faith, and if there has arisen a slight misunderstanding concerning them, it has been some unavoidable complication occurring after the testimonial has been furnished us.

A Captain's Letter.

Rudolph B. Schwickardi, Capt. 39th N. Y. Vol. Inf., writes from Washington, D. C.:

"Having the fullest confidence in the efficacy of Peruna, both as a tonic and as a remedy for catarrhal trouble, I commend its use in the strongest possible terms. It should be in every household."

Pastor Uses Pe-ru-na.

Rev. P. E. Swanstrom, box 228, Grantsburg, Wis., writes:

"I feel that it is my duty as well as a pleasure to let you know that I am entirely cured. I have used Peruna according to your personal directions and I am very glad that I found a medicine which would cure me after three years of suffering."

Editor's Recommendation.

Fred M. Armstrong, city editor, Daily Gazette, Delaware, Ohio, writes:

"It gives me great pleasure to be able to recommend Peruna to everybody who is looking for a first-class tonic. Two bottles completely cured me and now I am enjoying the best of health."

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Hon. W. E. Andrews, Hastings, Neb., formerly vice-president of Hastings College and ex-member of the Fifty-fourth Congress, writes:

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Mr. Robert E. Hanvey, well-known author and lecturer, writes from 11 S. Lincoln street, Chicago, Ill.:

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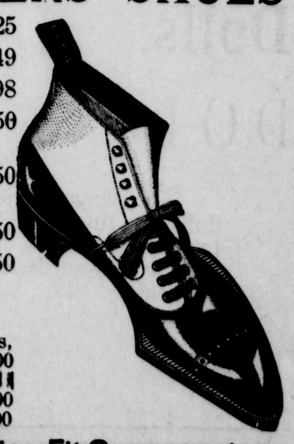
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