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SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1907.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Fire in Centreville.—By the overturning of a small desk lamp in the rear of the large dry goods store of Joseph S. Morris, in Centreville, Saturday night, fire was communicated to the building and considearble damage was done the stock before the fire company could gain control of it. The loss by fire and water was considerable.

LITTLE LOCALS.

*†*Tuesday is Show Day.

*†*Had a new moon on Tuesday at 6.29 P. M. and believers say we may expect some good weather. Hope the believers are right.

*†*J. Waters Russell reports sale of "Bosee" farm in Morgnec to T. N. McGinnis, of Travilla farm. The Bosee farm has been in that family for about 100 years and is well improved by excellent buildings and contains 126 acres.

*†*Many of the farmers have whole fields in which not a grain of corn has been planted. It is getting so late that a poor yield of corn is likely. Wheat is looking fine, and if the weather is favorable the crop will be larger than usual.

*†*Little Grove, the handsome residence of Mr. R. G. Nicholson near town, has been painted and papered in lovely papers imported from Germany. Messrs. Needles Bros. are doing the work in their neat and up-to-date manner.

*†*Crows are said to be playing havoc among young chickens and turkeys. One prominent farmer's wife living near town put out 94 turkeys last week. She counted them on Monday morning and found that there were but 63. A loss of 33 turkeys in less than a week.

*†*The Westcott & Dodd store property and dwelling offered at public sale on Tuesday by Mr. Thomas Hill, owner, of Baltimore, and advertised in the TRANSCRIPT, was withdrawn on a bid of $3300. The residence on Queen street occupied by Mrs. Sarah Hodgkins was withdrawn on a bid of $1030.

*†*The Thomas A. Hudson farm was offered at public sale on Tuesday by Hope H. Barroll, attorney, and advertised in the TRANSCRIPT. It was purchased by Capt. Joseph C. Ashley, of the police schooner, Anna B. Smith, for $8300. The farm is beautifully located on the Chester River, and contains 175 acres.

OBITUARY.

FRANKLIN H. HARPER.

We are called upon this week to chronicle the death of another of Kent's most beloved and prominent citizens, Mr. Franklin H. Harper, of Still Pond. Mr. Harper had been in failing health for sometime, but only recently did the malady become so complicated as to be beyond the power of medical skill. He was taken to the Maryland General Hospital in Baltimore on Friday, where an operation was performed in the hope that he would find relief. But he succumbed on Monday and passed to his reward. Mr. Harper was one of the best known men in this county. For forty years he had conducted an extensive mercantile business in Still Pond, which brought him in contact with numerous people, who learned to respect him for his honest dealings and genial disposition. He was also actively engaged in church work, being one of the leaders in the M. E. congregation in Still Pond, where he impressed his strong christian character upon all with whom he came in contact, and made all men feel that he was a man whose influence for good was a power in the community in which he lived.

In politics, Mr. Harper was one of the straightest men in the county. He refrained from any unjust methods to accomplish the success of the republican party, of which he was a leader, and his honesty and uprightness in this sphere in life made him a potent factor in the counsels of his party and a man of great strength with the people. He was for some years one of the judges of the Orphans Court, and the county never had a more careful and conscientious officer than was Mr. Harper. A man of his character and worth will be a loss in any sphere of human activity, for he gave of his influence as well as his means, and all his acts were done for the purpose of doing good. He is therefore a great loss to his community and county, and there are many who will miss sadly the generosity of the deceased and his genial smile and pleasant word. Besides his large department store at Still Pond, the deceased conducted several canneries, and was one of our most extensive and experienced farmers. He was also a director in the Chestertown Bank of Maryland and also of the Kent Mutual Fire Insurance Company. He was born in Delaware Nov. 30, 1838, and was nearly 69 years of age. He was twice married, his first wife being Mrs. Martha A. E. Webb Merritt, a most estimable lady of this county. His second wife, by whom he is survived, was Miss Laura Webb, who has the sympathy of her many friends in her sad bereavement. He also leaves a brother, Mr. George W. Harper, of New York, a sister, Mrs. Harry Davis, wife of county Commissioner Harry Davis, and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Venie Harper. The funeral services were held from the late residence of Mrs. Venie Harper, in Still Pond, on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock conducted by Rev. E. H. Collins, pastor of the M. E. Church, interment in Still Pond Cemetery. Undertaker Wm. H. Krusen had charge of the funeral arrangements. The pall bearers were: Messrs. James S. Harris, C. B. Krusen, Edwin S. Valliant, Tilghman Shafer, George W. Covington and Eugene M. Bonwell.

DANIEL JEWELL.

Mr. Daniel Jewell, one of Kent's best known and most highly respected citizens died at his home in Betterton on Monday evening, of general debility, aged 82 years. For many years the deceased was engaged in farming near Worton, but recently removed to Betterton. He was a man highly esteemed for his many excellent qualities of mind and heart, and was beloved by every one. He is survived by a niece, two sons and several daughters, among whom is Mrs. George R. Rouse, of this town. Funeral services were held from his late residence in Betterton on Thursday morning at eleven o'clock, interment in Old Union cemetery. Undertaker Wm. H. Krusen had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MRS. GEORGIA A. COMEGYS.

Mrs. Georgia A. Comegys, widow of Edward W. Cemegys, died Monday night at the Church Home and Infirmary, Baltimore, after an illness of about six months of the infirmaties of old age. She was born near Chestertown, and was 78 years old. She is survived by one son, Mr. E. Granville Comegys, principal of the Catonsville High School. The funeral took place on Wednesday morning from the Church Home, with interment in Baltimore cemetery. The deceased was well-known here, and was related to the Comegys family in this county.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Charles Moore, of Philadelphia, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brice, on Washington avenue a part of last week.

Messrs. Charles J. Reiche, of the local order, and Wm. T. Hicks, of the Galena Conclave, have been attending the Independent Order Heptasophs Convention in Atlantic City during the week.

Mrs. Wm. R. Aldridge and daughter, Miss Gladys, have been visiting her brother, Rev. Jno. S. Bowers, in Baltimore during the week.

Mr. Thomas Hill, of Balltimore, was in Chestertown on business on Tuesday.

Lieut. Craven, U. S. N., wife and children, of Annapolis, have been guests of her mother, Mrs. Merritt, on Front street, during the week.

Miss Mary Gray, of Greenboro, Md., is the guest of friends in town.

Miss Dorothy Vickers, who has been quite ill for several weeks, we are glad to state is slightly improved.

Mrs. James Brice has been visiting her children in Baltimore during the week.

Mr. Joseph Archbell, of Boston, Mass., has just returned to Chestertown, where his wife and little daughter are guests of her sister, Mrs. A. H. Stam, from a tour of the south and Texas. Mr. Archbell says the wet weather has caused the ruin of nearly all crops in the south and the wheat and cotton crops will be a failure.

Capt. Joseph W. Thompson, of Philadelphia, was in town on Monday to see his aged and respected father, Capt. Jas. H. Thompson, who is our oldest resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Matthews spent Sunday with friends in Odessa, Del.

John D. Urie, Esq., and Mr. Charles S. Smith have been in Washington this week on business in connection with a company in which they are stockholders.

Miss Lizzie Ivens has been visiting friends in Baltimore this week.

Mr. Edward Cooper and Mr. H. C. Boyd, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Copper on High street.

Mr. Joel R. Clements is able to be at his post of duty at the Md., Del. & Va. wharf after several weeks' sickness.

Miss Mary Steele, of Galena, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earle A. Barnes.

Mr. James D. Lucas is able to be out after being confined to the house with a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Howard attended the funeral of Mrs. Howard's aunt in Baltimore last week.

Mrs. Bessie Duyer has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. A. Ivens, on High street.

Mr. E. W. Rice, who graduated from the Bliss Electrical School of Engineering on June 5th, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jere Miller, of Flatlands. Mr. Rice has accepted a position with the Westinghouse Engineering & Mnfg. Co., of Pittsburg, Pa.

The eighth and ninth grades of the Chestertown High School gave the graduates a splendid reception in Assembly Hall on Monday evening.

The sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth grades of the Rock Hall High School gave a banquet in K. of P. Hall, on Monday evening.

Mr. Nelson Stevens, of the well-known Commission firm of Stevens Bros., Baltimore, was in town on business on Monday.

Bowen, the 20 months old son of Rev. W. C. Moore, of Millington, fell from the porch of the parsonage Monday afternoon and cut his head severely. Dr. Wm. Jacobs rendered medical aid and the little fellow is getting along very well.

Miss Nannie Munnikuysen, of Belair, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. James Roy Micou at the college.

Miss Annie Bailey, of Millington, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey and Mr. Frank Barnhart, for several years past Dr. N. Comegy's assistant, were quietly married Thursday evening at the church of Holy Cross. Rev. Albert Ware officiating.

Mr. George Vickers, of Goldfield, Nev., has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison W. Vickers, at Lauretum Place this week.

Mr. Harry S. Bramble, of Baltimore, has been visiting his mother, this week.

Mrs. Lewin H. Wilson and little daughter, of Camden, N. J., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Bradley, on High street during the week.

Mr. Thomas Kibler, of Lehigh University, is visiting his father, Mr. Charles W. Kibler, on Queen street.

Rev. H. K. Miller is on a protracted visit to Cortland, New York.

Mr. Geo. W. Harper has been elected vice-president of the Mutual Reserve Fund, of New York, which was organized many years ago by his brother, Edward Harper, Esq.

Mr. James H. Baker has been visiting his son, J. Henry Baker, Esq., in Baltimore this week. The latter attended the Dickinson College Commencement last week, of which he is a graduate, and was toastmaster at the alumni banquet.

At the commencement exercises of Western Maryland College on Wednesday, the degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon Rev. J. S. Bowers, pastor of Clarke Memorial Church, Baltimore.

Rev. Dr. F. T. Little attended the commencement exercises at Western Maryland College this week. Dr. Little is one of the trustees of the college.

Mr. Henry Brown, of New York, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Brown, on Queen street.

Miss Marguerite Howard, of Baltimore, is the guest of her grandfather, Mr. Lewin S. Fowler.

Mrs. William R. Pippin has recovered from an illness of several weeks. A slight operation was performed by Dr. H. B. Simmons, and Mrs. Pippin is now almost entirely recovered.

Alonzo Miles, Esq., of Baltimore, was registered at Hotel Pippin several days this week.

Mrs. J. Frank Davis and little son, of Wilmington, Del., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Russell, on Spring avenue.

Miss Violet Evans, of Roland Park, is the guest of Miss Helen Jefferson, over the river, and friends in town.

Miss Lillian Young, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Miss Mary Ringgold, near Rock Hall.

Miss Neighbors is the guest of Miss Grace Walbert, near Lankford.

Miss Myrtle Mann, of Betterton, is visiting Miss Reba Strong, on High street.

Mrs. Amanda Cohee, of Fredericktown, Md., announces the marriage of her daughter, Anna Isabele, to Robert William Lusby, of Wilmington, Del., in St. Dennis's R. C. Church, Galena, Md., on Thursday, June the twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and seven, at 7.30 P. M. No cards.

Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Smith are guests of Mr. W. W. Hubbard, at the Hotel Imperial.

Mr. John Ellis and wife, of New Orleans, are visiting Mr. Thomas Gale in Worton. Mr. Ellis stopped on his way north at the Jamestown Exposition. He says it is beautifully situated, and is the best planned exposition he has visited, and he has seen them all.

Dr. and Mrs. Greenfield, Dr. Thos. H. Lewis and Prof. Roland Watts are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard, on Washington avenue, during the commencement exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses C. Stevens have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Martha Dicks, to Mr. John Bible Mills, son of Rev. Dr. J. L. Mills, a former beloved pastor of St. James and Lynch's churches. The ceremony will be performed on Thursday June twenty-seventh at half after six o'clock, in the Second Presbyterian Church, La Fayette, Indiana.

Mr. L. Wethered Barroll left yesterday by the North German Lloyd Steamer, "Koenigen Luise," from New York for Naples via Gibralter. From Naples he will proceed to Rome, and thence by way of Switzerland to Paris where he will spend his summer vacation. He will return the latter part of September by way of London and Liverpool on the Cunard Steamship, "Umbria."

Children's Day Services.

Children's Day services were held in St. James M. P. Church last Sunday morning and one of the largest crowds in the history of the church was present. The usual beautiful floral decoration added to the charm of the scenes, and a splendid programme of music and recitations was enjoyed. The collection amounted to $18. The following programme was rendered:

Organ Voluntary .....Mrs. John P. Nicholson
Singing .....'Marching Onward"
Response Reading .....Miss Julia Nicholson
Prayer .....Pastor
Address of Welcome .....Eva Kelley
Recitation, "Here Comes God" .....Beatrice Crew
Singing .....'Come With Your Praises"
Dialogue, "What a Penny Will Do" .....Ralph Usilton and Chaplain Willis
Recitation, "Just a Little Girl" .....Bertha Myers
Duet .....Misses Mary and Maggie French
Recitation, "Where I'm a Man" .....Thomas Davis
Recitation, "What We Can Do" ..Four Little Boys
Singing .....'Our Festal Day"
Recitation .....'Pleaders and Helpers"
Recitation, "Nature's Message" ..Lizzie Anderson
Duet, "Bright Summer Days" .....Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Davis
Address .....by the Pastor
Collection
Recitaton .....'Give as the Lord Hath Given
Flower Song .....Eight Girls
Recitation, "A Dream" .....Morgan Hessey
Recitation .....Laura Nicholson
Quartette .....Scattering Roses
Recitation .....'The Magnet"
Singing .....'Children of the King"
Recitation, "The Grandest Thing" ..Josephine Loud
Address .....Mr. Samuel Vannort
Singing .....'Sing and be Joyful
Bendiction

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Mrs. Daniel Passmore, Welland, Ontario, Can., writes: "For three years I was severely afflicted with ***stomach trouble,*** and for days at a time I could not eat anything. I grew thin in flesh, had headaches and was the picture of despair.

"I was attended by three doctors, but got no good results.

"Finally I began the use of Peruna. I soon noticed an improvement and after using three bottles, I was able to relish a meal, in fact, could eat anything.

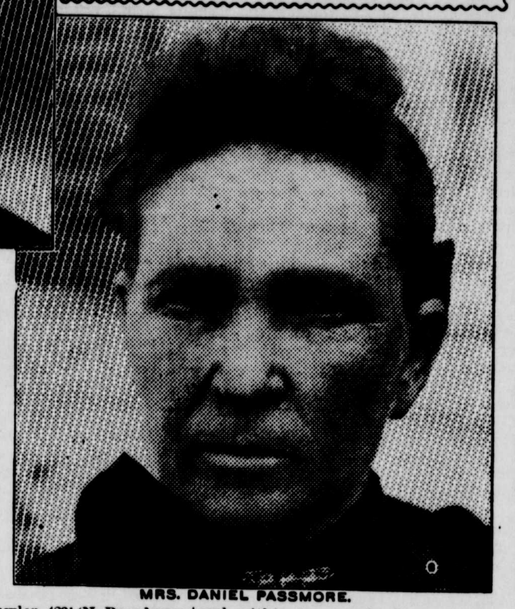
"To-day I feel ***well and strong.*** I consider that Peruna has saved my life and I shall always praise it."

Mrs. Alice Bradley, Thorold, Ont., Can., writes: "Two years ago I became ***weak and rundown*** and as time passed I gradually failed until a year ago, when I experienced a stroke of ***paralysis,*** which affected one side and I was helpless.

"I called in professional medical treatment, but steadily grew worse.

"I had decided I never would rise again from my bed, but, when Peruna was brought to me and after having taken four bottles of it, I was able to be out and a wonder to myself and friends.

"I consider Peruna a great blessing to the afflicted. I may add that my daughter has also used Peruna and has been blessed with ***renewed health.*** I believe Peruna saved our lives."



MRS. DANIEL PASSMORE.

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Mrs. N. P. Lawler, 423½N. Broadway, Pittsburg, Kas., writes:

"***Last spring*** I caught a severe cold which developed into a ***serious case of catarrh.*** I felt weak and sick and could neither eat nor sleep well.

"A member of our club, who had been cured of catarrh ***through the use of Peruna,*** advised me to try it and I did so at once.

"I expected help, but nothing like the ***wonderful change for the better*** I observed almost as soon as I started taking it.

"In three days I felt much better, and within a week I was well.

"I continued taking the entire bottle and within two weeks I was in fine health."

"Peruna is a wonderful medicine."

Mr. Lee King, R. F. D. No. 4, Farmersville, Tex., writes.

"My health has been better generally this spring and summer than it has been for four years and I have worked nearly every day.

"I suffered with dysentery and bowel trouble.

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Harry B. Parsons, et. al.,
vs.
John D. Urie. et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity

No. 1460.

ORDERED this 18th day of May, 1907, by the Circuit Court for Kent county, in equity, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, trustee, under a decree of this court to make sale of said property be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 27th day of July next:—provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of four successive weeks before the 27th day of June next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $7050.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
m25-4t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters of administration upon the personal estate of

VINCENT LEE,

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 10th day of November, 1907, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under our hands and seal the 30th day of April, 1907.

RACHEL E. LEE,
MAHLOE P. LEE,
Administrators

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