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I desire to sell my residence on the east side of Main or High street in Chestertown, Maryland, which is now occupied by me. It lies between the store of William C. A. Thompson and the house occupied by Mr. G. Harry Cannan. It consists of a Frame Dwelling with three rooms and a good hall on the lower floor. It is improved with comfortable porches, front, side and back. It has a good pump of water in the yard. It fronts about 28 feet on High street and has a depth of about 171 feet, with a bath room and all modern conveniences. I will take $1500 for the property. Apply to

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On and after Monday, July 15, I shall be located in my new office, corner of High and Front streets, just four doors below old stand. Entrance on Front street.

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A 22 foot long bateau with 6 foot beam, sides 22 inches deep; log boared for a one inch shaft. Built one year ago for a power boat. Built of clear Gulf Cypress.

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NOTICE.

By order of the Board of Commissioners for Kent county, the supervisors of the roads, namely 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th districts, are hereby notified not to do any further work upon the roads except through and by the direct order of the Commissioner in charge of said districts excepting damage to bridge or culvert. This order to take effect at once.

A. C. LOUD, PRES'T; C. B. DUDLEY, JOHN E. MORRIS, HARRY DAVIS, WILLIAM WAGNER.

C. L. DODD Clerk. j29-3t.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

Bids will be received at the office of the County Commissioners of Kent county until 11 o'clock A. M., July 9, 1907, to furnish coal as follows, for use of court house and jail:

35 tons egg coal
13 " nut "

with the privilege of more of either upon order of the commissioners, same to be delivered in house at the commissioners order. The commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of Board,

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For catalogue and other information, Address

y13-2m. JAS. W. CAIN, LL. D., PRESIDENT.

OBITUARY.

DOROTHY BARBER VICKERS.

Dorothy Barber, aged 14 years, the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison W. Vickers, died at Atlantic City on Wednesday after an illness of several months duration. The little girl had been a patient sufferer for sometime, and about a month ago she was taken to the seashore in the hope that she would improve. Everything was done for the little sufferer that the love of a devoted family and medical attention could administer, but to no avoil. The deceased was a most interesting and lovable child. Her cheery disposition and sweet manner made her very popular among her many little friends, and her presence in the home was like a ray of sunshine, which brought joy and gladness to the hearts of those who loved her and whom she loved so well.

Her death is a severe blow to her family, who cherished her as a sweet flower born to add the fragrance of a pure life in the home, and to bless the pathway of age with the influences of piety and filial love. The remains were brought to the home of her parents from Atlantic City by train on Thursday at noon, accompanied by her mother, sisters and brother, Harrison W. Vickers, Jr. Esq., who had been with her during her illness. Funeral services were held from the residence at six o'clock yesterday evening conducted by Rev. W. L. White, pastor of the M. E. Church. Interment was private in the family lot in Chester cemetery. The pall-bearers were Wm. P. Constable, Ogle Marbury, Frank B. Hines, Herbert E. Perkins, Thomas W. Eliason, Jr., and Thomas Massey. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MR. T. J. H. SAUNDERS.

Mr. T. J. H. Saunders, a wellknown and highly respected citizen of the county, died at his home near Rock Hall yesterday morning at seven o'clock, of cancer of the face and throat, aged 66 years. The deceased was well-known as an agriculturalist, and enjoyed the confidence and esteem of a wide circle of friends. He is survived by a widow, who was before marriage a Mrs. Templeman, her maiden name being Hurtt, of Galena, and two children, Prof. Oswald Hurtt Saunders, of the manual training department of the Rock Hall High School, and Miss Elizabeth S. Saunders. Funeral services will be held on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock in Wesley Chapel Church conducted by Rev. C. M. Compher, interment in the cemetery adjoining. Undertaker Casey Bros. will have charge of the funeral arrangements.

MRS. SARAH ANNE NOWLAND.

Mrs. Sarah Anne Nowland, widow of the late John Nowland, died at her home near Crumpton, on Tuesday, of general debility, in the 79th year of her age. The deceased had been confined to her bed with rheumatism for eighteen months, during which time she received the loving and faithful attention of her only daughter, Miss Mary E. Nowland, a former beloved teacher in the Kent schools. Funeral services were held on Wednesday morning at 10.30 o'clock from the residence, conducted by the Crumpton minister, in charge of Undertaker J. E. Ferguson. Interment was made in Chester Cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs. H. C. Stevens, J. W. Boggs, Wm. Faulkner, G. W. Woodall, Peter Brinsfield, Emory Smith.

MRS. ELLEN H. FORMAN.

Mrs. Ellen H. Forman died at the home of her niece, Mrs. James McAllister, 734 Light street, Baltimore, on Thursday last of tuberculosis, aged 62 years. Remains were brought to Kent on Friday by steamer Susquehanna and taken to the home of her niece, Mrs. W. A. Crew, at Betterton. Funeral services were held in the M. E. Church at Betterton on Saturday afternoon at four o'clock, Rev. Edward H. Collins, of Still Pond, officiating; interment was in Still Pond cemetery, undertaker Wm. H. Krusen in charge.

WILFRED BATEMAN.

Wilfred Bateman, ex-Secretary of State, and one of the most prominent politicians on the Eastern Shore, died at his home in Easton on Wednesday, aged 48 years. The deceased was well-known throughout the Eastern Shore and the state, and was secretary of state during the administration of ex-Gov. John Walter Smith. He is survived by two brothers.

JAMES C. NORRIS.

Mr. James C. Norris, proprietor of Hotel Norris, formerly Hotel Avon, in Easton, died on Saturday, aged 62 years. Mr. Norris was an ideal hotel proprietor, and was known not only to the traveling public but to a host of friends throughout the State. Chief Judge James Alfred Pearce was one of the honorary pall-bearers at the funeral which was held on Monday.

MRS. ALFREDA JESTER.

Mrs. Alfreda Jester, wife of John Jester, died at her late home near Still Pond Creek on Wednesday morning at ten o'clock of convulsions aged 22 years. Funeral services were held in Double Creek, M. E. Church, Queen Anne Co., yesterday morning at eleven o'clock. Interment was in the burial ground adjoining. Undertaker, W. H. Krusen in charge.

JOSEPH B. SHAWN.

Joseph B. Shawn, a farmer of near Burrisville, Queen Annes county, and a brother of Wm. T. Shawn, formerly a resident of this county, died on Sunday night, of tuberculosis. He was 65 years old, and is survived by two sons and one daughter: Wm. A. Shawn, of Wilmington, Del.; Ellworth Shawn, of Hoboken, Del.; and Mrs. John Davis, of Wye Island.

SARAH STOOPS.

Sarah Stoops, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stoops died Monday at the home of her parents at the Cliffs. Funeral services were held from the residence on Tuesday, conducted by Rev. J. C. McCoy, pastor of Bond Chapel. Interment in Chester cemetery. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson had charge of funeral arrangements.

A Severe Storm.

The serverest storn of the season passed over the town and county on Monday afternoon. The flashes of lightning were blinding and the peals of thunder terrific, and to add to the danger very little rain fell during the storm. No serious damage has been reported aside from the striking of several shocks of wheat, a straw stack on the Swan Point farm and the uprooting of several trees in the vicinity of Kennedyville, where the wind seemed to be heaviest. Capt. Fowler, of one of Mr. Curtis E. Crane's boats, was at the topmast of his vessel furling the topsail. A sudden flash of lightning shocked the captain, but he did not lose his balance. He received medical attention, and is recovering. Shocks of wheat were struck and burned in Capt. Weller's field over the river, one in County Commissioner John E. Morris' field and several in fields near Kennedyville. A heavy rain fell in the upper section of the county and in Queen Annes. Several launch parties were caught in the squall, but there were no mishaps on the river. Quite a number of phones of the Diamond State Company were burned out. Hail fell in some parts of the county, but not enough to do any damage to crops. The storm around Betterton was said to have been the severest in many years, according to Capts. John Henry Crew, Harvey Brice, and many other prominent watermen. The lightning struck at two places at the pretty home of Mr. Robt. G. Nicholson, near town, once on the pavement in front of the house and again in the ground in the rear.

VISITED THE EASTERN SHORE.

Mr. Boggs Urged Farmers to Deal With Baltimore.

Secretary Thomas G. Boogs, of the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association, spent four days last week calling on farmers in Kent and Queen Annes counties and interesting them in Baltimore as a market for their produce. He was the guest of Mr. C. W. Clements, of Crumpton. They drove about 60 miles, visiting farms. One evening 40 farmers called on Mr. Boggs in Crumpton. Mr. Boggs found many farmers raising wheat because they could not get adequate shipping outlet for trucking produce.

He had a talk with the county commissioners of the two counties, and steps are being taken to widen the draw in the bridge between Chestertown and Crumpton, and to start a daily boat up the Chester river. One farmer, who had to drive 15 miles to a station and send his crop to Philadelphia, cleared more than $100 an acre on asparagus last year, said Mr. Boggs.

He Stopped Her Horse.

One morning recently two colored women drove rapidly up one of the prominent streets of the town on which the shop of one of our best and most obliging horseshoers is located. The Horse seemed to be excited and gave evidence of wanting to run away. The genial horseshoer walked out of his shop, stopped the horse and said, "Aunty, she wants to run, don't she?" "Yes, sar," said the old woman, nearly out of breath, "she begun to run at the paper mill, and fo' de Lord, I thought she would done git away from us befo' we got to town." One of the women got out of the carriage and walked back up the street for something. She had not gone far when the old woman looked at the horseshoer and said, "*Uncle*, wan't you turn her around now?" We simply would have collapsed had she said "Judge."

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Little Girl Loses a Part of Her Hand by the Explosion of a Huge Fire Cracker.

Little Miss Anna Berry, of Odessa, Del., the 10 year old sister of Mrs. Julian Jones, of near Kennedyville, met with a painful and serious accident last Friday while endeavoring to explode a huge fire cracker at the home of Mrs. Jones, near Kennedyville, whom she was visiting. Mr. and Mrs. Jones had taken their little girl and the little visitor to Betterton to spend the Fourth. Mr. Jones had forbidden his child to get fire crackers and she obeyed, but little Anna in some manner secured the crackers and took them home with her.

The next morning, while the family were busy in the house, the little girl went out into the yard, and lit one of the crackers, and held it in her left hand, just as she had seen the other children do, to see it explode. It exploded in her hand, tearing off the thumb and the ends of the first and second fingers. Drs. Barwick and Maxwell were quickly summoned, and they advised hurrying the little girl to a Philadelphia hospital, which was done. A letter from the hospital states that the little patient is in a critical condition, though resting comfortably. The accident is a very sad one, as the little girl was quite an accomplished musician, and it was the pride of her mother to make her a skillful performer on the piano.

PEACH CROP WRECKED.

The Young Fruit is Dropping and The Yield Will be Limited.

Advices from Kent and Sussex counties, Del., and also from the lower part of New Castle county, are to the effect that there will not be a third of a crop of peaches this year. A grower from the central part of Kent county said on Monday that the young fruit is dropping from the trees extensively and when the drop is over there will be very little left. In fact it is difficult to make any prediction at this time as to what the result would be, but he said it would not be well to count on even a third of a crop.

Similar reports come from other sections of the State. The drop is said to be what is known as the "June drop," but it is late this year, because of the latness of the season.

The same condition is true of the crop in this county. As one farmer put it, he only has two peaches left on one of his trees, "one for his mother and the other for his ——," and they may fall off before they are ripe.

With Hook and Line.

Rock fishing with hook and line is said to be unusually fine at Betterton these days and quite a number of large catches have been made on the fishing grounds near that charming resort. Capt. Clarence Crew went out one day last week and caught 18 rock several of which weighed 7¾ lbs. besides a number of fine cull perch. More such catches have been reported, and more rock are being caught than were ever known before.

Messrs. Edward Wilkins, T. Blackiston Perkins and Capt. Harmon Taylor had fine sport last week in Lankford's Bay catching 18 inch rock and cull perch.

Messrs. Harry Brice, T. D. Bowers, and Capt. Taylor on Monday caught 55 fine rock, cull perch and yellow neds.

Mr. Thomas Haddaway had fine luck off Vickers' wharf in Lankford's bay one day last week.

Palm For Beauty to Miss Warfield.

Miss Louise Warfield, daughter, of the Governor of Maryland, carried off the palm for beauty at a ball given recently in Paris. She is still very young, but she attracts universal attention wherever she goes because of her brilliant brunette type. Miss Warfield is chaperoned in Paris, by Mrs. Payne, of Baltimore.

Miss Warfield left for Paris last October, accompained by Mrs. Payne, whose residence in Baltimore is at 1115 St. Paul street, and the latter's two daughters, the Misses Mabel R. and Dorothy Payne. During the winter and spring Misses Warfield and Dorothy Payne have been studying at the Die Donne Academy, near Paris. This summer, together with Mrs. Payne ane Miss Mabel R. Payne, they will spend in travel about the continent. The party expects to return to Baltimore next October, when Miss Dorothy Payne will go to Annapolis with Miss Warfield, to be the latter's guest for several weeks at the executive mansion

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