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## LOCAL MATTERS

**Rich Neck Farmers' Club.**—The Rich Neck Farmers' Club met at Mr. Chas. Baxter's, in Queen Annes, on Thursday, Dec. 15. There was a large attendance present, and an enjoyable and instructive afternoon spent. A number of questions were discussed and interesting and instructive papers were read on "Ventilation," by Mr. H. H. Klinefelter and Miss Martha Skipper.

**An Appreciated Remembrance.**—Messrs. Wm. Medders & Co., Still Pond, will please accept the thanks of the editors and the entire force of the TRANSCRIPT office for a box of Christmas goodies. No man in the county knows better the needs of a printing office than does Mr. Medders. After a year's substance on old cast-off type and ink, surely a box of goodies, such as Messrs. Medders & Co. sent will be a delightful surprise to the lead-burdened stomachs.

**Officers Elected.**—Rock Hall Council Jr. O. U. A. M. at their regular meeting on last Monday night elected the following officers: Council, Prof. Chas. Judefind; vice-council, James H. Kendall; recording secretary, Chas. S. Porter; assistant, W. W. Clayton; financial secretary, Prof. F. A. Greenhawk; treasurer, T. B. Durding; conductor, Frank Ford; warden, Pearl Wheat; inside sentinel, John E. Joiner; outside sentinel, Melvin Warner; chaplain, Frank Pippin; representative to the State Council for two years, Chas. S. Porter; alternate, Wallace B. Wheat; representative to State Council for one year, Harry C. Webb; alternate, Thomas E. Joiner; trustees, Chas. Judefind, W. W. Clayton, Walter H. Hadaway, Jos. Downey, John E. Jones, W. B. Wheat, Thos. E. Joiner.

### TOLD IN BRIEF.

—La Grippe is quite prevalent in the town and county now.

—Mr. Arthur Bacon is assisting in Rote's jewelery store during the big Christmas rush.

—Mr. Charles J. Reiche sold 16 turkeys last week which netted him $50 02. He received 24 cents a pound for them.

—Skating has been fine on Barroll's Hollow this week, and lovers of the sport have been enjoying it to the fullest extent.

—Mr. Benjamin Boston has accepted a position in the Sewing Machine and Musical Instrument business with Mr. William P. Newnam. Good man.

—The John Hopkins concert has been changed from Wednesday evening to Thursday evening, December 29th next, from 7.30 to 9 P. M.

—There are important changes of schedule in the Chester River and Tolchester Steamboat lines, which you will do well to read.

—One of our prominent farmers sold a number of turkeys this week to Rev. A. H. Covey, among which was a gobbler which sold for more than $5. That's some gobbler.

—Mr. William Knight, son of Mrs. Joanna Knight, has accepted a position with Mr. Arlington W. Carmine, and will remove with his family to Chestertown, January 1.

—Did it ever strike you that the TRANSCRIPT is the best farmer's paper in Kent county? It gives more news of interest to the farmers of the county about what is going on among them, than any paper published in the county.

—The citizens of Crumpton are negotiating with a Baltimore packing firm with a view to having the company build a plant at that place. The citizens of the town have banded together and agree to donate two acres of land free of all cost.

—Mr. M. A. Perkins, formerly with Mr. F. W. Stoops at Pomona store, will open the store at the Cliffs, now occupied by Mr. F. W. Stoops, on or about January 1 for Mrs. H. Robinson. There is a good opening for a first-class store in that section.

—We have received beautiful calendars from Graham & Clements, Hardware, The Kent County Savings Bank, Dobler & Mudge, wholesale paper dealers, Baltimore, and from the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, represented by William W. Beck, Esq., for which we extend our thanks.

—Mr. Walter Alcutt's house was slightly damaged by fire on Wednesday shortly before twelve o'clock. It is supposed that the fire originated from a spark from a passing traction engine. The fire department responded quickly and extinguished the blaze before much damage was done. The house was insured with Mr. Edgar P. Beck for $675. The damage was from $10 to $15.

—So far as we have heard Mr. Frank Leaverton on Mr. Thos. G. Wroth's Jump farm, near Fairlee, holds the record in this section for the largest yield of corn. Mr. Leaverton grew 3382½ bushels on 65 acres, an average of about 52 bushels per acre. This is a most excellent yield for this season, and both Mr. Leaverton and Mr. Wroth are pround of the farm.

—It has been reported to us that gunners have been killing rabbits and partridges in some sections of the county during the snow period. It is a violation of the game law to kill rabbits or partridges while snow is on the ground. It would be wise for those who have the opportunity, to feed the game when the ground is covered with snow.

—We learn, with deep regret, at the hour of going to press, that Mr. J. B. McIntire is critically ill at his home on Mill street.

—Mr. Kent Lambert has purchasep the Charles H. Davis residence up town. Mr. and Mrs. Lambert will return to Panama after Christmas.

—Prof. Milton Melvin, superintendent of public schools, was surprised one day the past week to find on his desk, a splendidly made husk door mat, a gift from the colored school at Still Pond, and made by the pupils of that school. Prof. Melvin has been encouraging manual training in the colored schools of the county, and is much gratified at the results of his efforts as evidenced by the product of the Still Pond school.

—Since writing about Mr. Frank Leaverton's big corn crop, we have learned that Mr. Wm. T. Smith, one of the county's most progressive farmers, living near Smithville, got from 10 acres a yield of 900 bushels of corn. This is 90 bushels per acre, and stamps Mr. Smith as the champion corn raiser of the county, so far as we have learned. Mr. Smith also got a fine yield from his Delaware farm.

—Mr. J. H Sides will remove to his new store on Cross street next week. The interior of Mr. Sides new store will be handsomely fitted up, one of the most attractive features of which will be the electrical fixtures. Mr. A. W. Carmine, will go where Mr. Sides is, and he will lay in a new and fresh stock of groceries, provisions and merchandise, and he expects to have one of the most complete grocery stores on the Peninsula.

—Herman R. Tyson, the well-known horseman, is wintering 14 head of campaigners at his farm at Newark. Among the additions to his string the past week were Bertha Fogg (2), 2.25¼, by Baron Dean; Singerley Wilkes, 2.23¼, by Governor Patison; Hal Chimes, 2.24¼, by Canby Chimes; Caffeno, 2.07¼, by Col. Kuser; Good Friday, a full brother to Passenger Charm, 2.13¼, by Passenger.

—The Maryland State Dairyman's Association is offering prizes of $25 each for the cow making the best milk record during the twelve months ending January 1, 1912, and for the cow making the best butter fat record for the 12 months ending January 1, 1912. In addition to this a magnificently bred Guernsey bull calf will be given to the owner of the cow making the best butter fat record as stated above. These prizes are offered to encourage the testing of dairy cows in Maryland. Applications for entries of these contests must be made to the director of the Maryland Experiment Stations, College Park, Md.

### SOCIETY REALMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Downey, of Rock Hall, announce the engagement of their daughter, Edna Ruth, to Mr. Pennington S. Bennett, of Sykesville, Baltimore county.

Little Miss Helen Skirven, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Skirven, of Quaker Neck, who was taken to Hohnemann Hospital by her physician, Dr. H. L. Dodd for special treatment to her eyes, has returned home very much improved and will be able to enjoy a merry Christmas. We hope our little friend will soon be fully restored to health.

Master William Bennett, of Still Pond, spent Saturday and Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. L J. Smith, on High street.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Downer, of San Francisco, Cal., were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Hughes last week.

The College students left for their homes on Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning to spend the holidays. The TRANSCRIPT wishes all a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Mr. Lewin Howard, of Charlotte Hall School, and Miss Marghuerete Howard, of Summerville, S.C., are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Howard.

Miss Geraldine Wilmer, of Baltimore, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Philip G. Wilmer, on Washington avenue.

Miss Rosa Jackle, of Brooklyn, N. Y., a student at Washington College, was called home last week on account of the death of her father.

Miss Avis Dodd, of the Harford county teaching force, is at home for Christmas.

Mr. Kennard Aldridge has been housed with the grippe during the past week.

The operators at the Telephone Exchange, Misses Laura and Isabelle Lambert, and Ollie Reed, were remembered with substantial Christmas presents by a large number of patrons in the town and county.

Miss Agnes Estes returned from Mercy hospital, Baltimore, on Saturday. We are glad to state that Miss Estes is very much improved. Miss Emma France is also at home, and we are glad to report that she is much improved in health.

Mrs. William E. Perkins, of Philadelphia, is spending the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. J. Frank Connelly.

Mrs. Wm. R. Pippin visited relatives and friends in Baltimore last week.

Mr. James Bacchus entertained a number of friends very pleasantly at his home on Front street on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Charles J. Reiche and wife were taken completely by surprise on Wednesday evening of last week, when about bedtime forty sleighs drove up to their home near Pomona and gave them a genuine old-time surprise. Mr Reiche says they were preparing to retire, but it did not take long to dress, and such a fine time as they all had! The whole home was turned over to the guests by the popular couple, and everybody had a great time.

Mr. Thomas Kibler, Professor of athletics in the University of Ohio, is spending the Christmas holidays with his father, Mr. C. W. Kibler, on east Queen street.

Mr. Elliott, of the Peerless Ferlilizer Co., is spending the Christmas holidays with his family in Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Moore and family, of New York, are spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brice, on the avenue.

Mrs. W. Frank Hines, of Baltimore, is spending Christmas with her son, Dr. Frank B. Hines, on Queen street.

Mrs. M. C. Ringgold, of Salisbury, has been visiting relatives and friends here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Vannort are spending Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. James W. Chapman, Jr., in Baltimore. Mrs. Chapman has been quite sick recently but we are glad to state that she is very much improved.

We regret to state that Mrs. S. A. Dodd is quite sick at her home on High Srteet.

Mr. Hope Hudson, who is attending a prominent school in Pittsburg is at home for the Christmas Holidays.

Mr. Kent Lambert and family, of Panama, are at home for Christmas. Mr. Lambert and his family are enjoying excellent health, but they are always glad to get back home.

In our issue of last week in publishing the marriage of Mr. Kent Vickers and Miss Ethel Soloway, the wrongly corrected proof made us say that Mr. Vickers is from Cecil and Miss Soloway from Kent. It should have stated that Mr. Vickers is from Kent and Miss Soloway from Cecil County.

Mr. Medford Brooks, of Indiana, is spending Christmas and New Year with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks, on Washington avenue. Mr. Brooks had not been home for more than a year and his many friends were delighted to see him.

Mr. Reese Little, of Baltimore, is at home for Christmas.

Prof. T. Howard Fowler, of Wells College, New York, is spending the Christmas holidays at home with his father.

Messrs. W. Raymond Moody and L. Wethered Barroll, of Johns Hopkins University, are at home for Christmas.

Miss Helen Hynson and Miss Louise Crane, of Hannah Moore, are spending the Christmas holidays at home.

Mr. W. Henry Brown, of Philadelphia, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Brown.

Mrs. Jones, of Somerset county, is the guest of her son, Poof. J. S. W. Jones, on College hill.

Mr. Charlie Drinkwater, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ringgold on High street.

Prof. Owen C. Blades, will spend the holidays at his home in St. Michael's.

Miss Grace Silvester has been appointed teacher of Flatland School to succeed Miss Cora Moffett, who goes to Rock Hall.

Mrs. Mary Morris left town yesterday for Baltimore, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Elmore Skirven.

### IN CHURCH CIRCLES.

The annual Christmas treat for Christ M. P. Sunday School will be held in Stam's Hall on Friday evening next, December 30th. Mr. Russell, the proprietor, has kindly consented to dispense with the moving pictures this night in order to accommodate the Sunday School, and not interfere with the fine concert to be given by the Johns Hopkins musical club on Thursday evening, the date originally selected by the school for celebration.

Miss Hope Sappington led the Christian Workers service in Christ M. P. Church last Sunday evening. Miss Hope always has a profitable service and Sunday night was no exception. Misses Anna Smith and Josephine Wheatley gave appropriate readings and a number of children sang appropriate selections.

Chestertown M. E. Church—Rev. Louis E. Barrett, D. D., pastor. Services next Sunday, December 25th, as follows: 10.30 A. M, Christmas sermon by the pastor. Subject—"The Hidden Child." Special Christmas music by the choir; 2.15 P. M., Sabbath School and pastor's Bible class. 7.00, P. M., Christmas exercises by the Sunday School. All are invited to any or all these services.

The M. E. Sunday School will receive boxes of candy, etc., after the Sunday evening services.

Christ M. P. Church—Rev. F. T. Little, pastor. Testimony meeting at 9.30 A. M. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Special Christmas theme. Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. Christmas carols and special entertainment in the church auditorium at 7.30 P M. To all these services you are cordially invited.

Rev. S. S. Hepburn will hold services at I. U. Church Sunday morning, (Christmas Day) at 10.30 A. M.

Kennedyville Sunday Services, Christmas.—Sunday School at 9.30 A. M. Preaching by the pastor, F. H. Mullineaux at 10.30, topic, "The Angelic Song of the Advent. 7 P. M., Christmas Service—"The Wonderful Name." A substantial Christmas treat is on hand for the Sunday School Superintendent, John Medders. Everybody cordially invited.

### OBITUARY.

CAPT. GEORGE TARBUTTON.

Capt. George Tarbutton, 50 years old, died on Monday afternoon at his home, 1612 North Fulton avenue, Baltimore, after a long illness of heart failure. The deceased was very well and favorably known in this county, having lived for some time at Galena. For 15 years he was captain of the steamer Annapolis, of the Tolchester Line, retiring two years ago on account of ill health. He was a native of Church Hill, Queen Annes county. He leaves besides a widow a son, William B., and two daughters, Miss Daisy Tarbutton and Mrs. Catherine Fink. The funeral took place on Wednesday in the Church Hill M. E. Church, with interment in the churchyard.

Mrs. Chas. T. Chester, sister of the late Rev. Dr. S. C. Roberts, died at her home in North Carolina December 15th. Mrs. Chester was a Deaconess in the P. E. Church for many years. The deceased was well-known in Chestertown, having frequently been a visitor here.

### Good News From The Youth's Companion.

We have had to make The Youth's Companion larger to get in all the good things that Companion readers ought to have. The added amount would make four hundred pages of standard magazine size and print; but we have kept the price just the same—$1.75 for the fifty-two weeks of 1911, and all the issues for the rest of this year free from the time you send in your subscription.

We would like to tell you what is in store for Companion readers next year. We cannot do it here, though; there is not room. But send us your address on postal card, and we will send you the beautiful Prospectus of The Companion for 1911, announcing many new features, together with sample copies of the paper.

We think you will agree, when you have read them, that there is no other paper that gives quite so much of such a high quality as The Companion.

The new subscriber receives a gift of The Companion's Art Calendar for 1911, reproducing in twelve colors and gold a beautiful water-color garden scene.

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### Grange Notes.

At the regular meeting of Fairlee Grange last Wednesday evening, after the regular order of business, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Worthy Master, Mr. J. P. Nicholson.
" Overseer, Mr. E. A. Corey.
" Lecturer, Mrs. E. A. Corey.
" Steward, Mr. M. P. Lee.
" Ast. " Mr. H. T. Rash.
" Chaplain, Mr. W. G. Skirven.
" Treasuer, Mr. W. T. Nicholson
" Secretary, Mr. Wm. G. Smyth.
" Gatekeeper, Mr. Raymond Jones
Ceres, Worthy Mrs. Grace Flether.
Flora, Miss Linda Morris.
Pomona, Miss Daisy Nicholson.
Lady Assistant Steward, Mrs. Addie Long Kernan.

APPOINTMENTS.

Organist, Mrs. Lewin Skirven.
Chairman Music Committee, Mrs. Walter Sparks.
Asst. Secretary, Mrs. W. G. Smyth.
Press Correspondent, Miss Ida C. Crew.

A special New Year programme will be rendered next Wednesday evening.

Fairlee Grange, No. 249, held a special meeting December 14, commencing at 2.30 P. M. A very profitable as wel as pleasing programme was rendered. Opening song by Grange No 95 Grange melodies. The lecturer started the literary part of the programme by asking the following questions:

1. Why should every farmer belong to the grange? Ans. by Bro. W. G. Smyth.
2. Is the model husband the same at home, or is he different when away? Ans. by L. M. C. Smyth.
3. Which is the better judge of feed, the cow or the chemist? Ans. by E. A. Corey.
4. How much weariness constitutes a valid excuse for staying away from church? Ans. by J. P. Nicholson.
5. What good has the grange done in our community? Mrs. Acca Crew answered this question, and all felt that it had been a help to all members.

Why do we attend church? Ans. by Mrs. H. C. Willis and Miss Ida Crew.

Bro. H. T. Rash, the weather prophet of our grange, was then asked to forecast the weather by the goose bone, which was presented to him by the lecturer. This was very amusing to all. The grange choir then sang. Seasons then followed by Mrs T. B. Kilbourn, who edited the Grange Garner. Reading part 1st of Garner, followed by a reading by Mrs. Fletcher. Choir then sang Under the Snow. Mr. J. T. Anthony then gave a very pleasing and instructive talk on dairying, for which the grange gave him a rising vote of thanks, followed by Mrs. Kilbourn reading part 2nd of Garner. Miss Pauline Willis gave a spicy recitation. Chorus by choir, the Plow, Spade and Hoe Mrs. Kilbourn then read part 3rd of Garner. Mrs. Kilbourn is to be congratulated The Garner was bright and witty and was well read. Miss Frances Corey gave a good recitation, the French mocking birds. As our editress called then, gave a duet, Childhood's Home, and as they received such an encore they sang again. The song by the grange, Father, we rest in thy love, was very much appreciated. A recess was declared and all repaired to the supper room. About 6 30 the meeting was called to order and J. T. Anthony, W. G. Smyth and Mrs. Acca Crew gave a milk tesk with the Babcock milk tester. The milk was furnished by the Crew dairy, some testing as high as 7 per cent. The lowest test was 4½ which is a good test. A social time was then enjoyed, with giving incidents of childhood days, and then all left for home at 10 P. M., saying what a grand time we have had.

### A Greater Sunday Sun

The Baltimore SUN has determined to publish a Sunday newspaper divided up into many classified sections, with color comics, stories, sports, social happenings and, in fact, the whole thing that goes with the Sunday entertainer of today. The first issue with the new features will appear January 1.

The SUN will doubtless do the thing thoroughly, as is its habit. The comics will include Happy Hooligan, Buster Brown, the Katzenjammers and other well-known laugh-making characters. Some papers rely upon the colored funny sheet and some upon the finely printed and illustrated magazine supplement. The SUN is going to have both.

### IN MEMORIAM.

In loving memory of Sallie Everett Lamply, who died September 26, 1910.

Dearest wife how I miss you,
Since from earth you passed away,
And my heart is aching sorely,
As I think of you to-day.
Loving Husband.

A beautiful life is ended,
A dear one laid to rest,
The flower I lovingly tended,
But God he knoweth best.
Mother.

Into sweet rest she has entered,
No more to wake or to weep,
She is smiling upon us from Heaven,
Our loved one has fallen asleep.
Father.

Though suffering, she breathed not a murmur,
For the comforter stood by her side,
And whispered, "Fear not, I am with thee,"
And with me thou shalt ever abide."
Sister Belle.

You are not dead to us, dear sister,
But as a star unseen,
We hold that you are ever near,
Though death intrudes between.
Sister Essie.

When they ask us do we miss her,
How it fills our heart with pain,
But her voice seems sweetly calling,
"Courage—we shall meet again."
Sister Maggie.

To live for Christ it was her pleasure,
To die for Him it was her gain,
For on the cross our Saviour suffered,
That she and all might live again,
Sister Mable.

Sleep on dear sister,
Take thy rest,
God called you home,
He thought it best.
Brother.

There is grief that cannot find comfort,
And wounds that cannot be healed,
And sorrow too deep to the human heart,
That cannot be revealed.
Aunt Maggie.


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