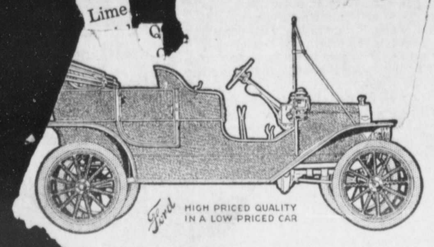
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PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Mrs. Wm. J. Vannort has been a great sufferer during the week.

Miss Clara Usilton, organist in Christ M. P. Church, was absent from her post last Sunday on account of an attack of grippe. Miss Usilton is one of the best organists in the State, and her fidelity to her duties both as organist and Sunday school teacher are such as that she never misses a Sunday from Church except on account of illness or absence from town, and then she always provides a substitute. Mr. James Bacchus substituted very acceptably last Sunday.

Dr. W. Irvin Barwick and wife, of Bloomingdale Road, Baltimore, were first of the week guests of his sister, Mrs. Harry F. Jefferson. Dr. Barwick has been resting up for several days on account of impaired condition of his health.

Dr. B. B. Browne, of Baltimore, and well-known in Chestertown, has been confined to his home in Baltimore suffering with blood poisioning caused by a slight abrasion of the skin when performing an operation.

We are glad to state that Mr. John F. Howard and Mr. Wm. H. Blakeney, two of our aged and highly esteemed citizens who are quite sick, have been resting comfortably during the week.

Judge Thomas D. France has been slightly indisposed during the week.

Miss Jessie Anthony, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Anthony, is taking a course as trained nurse in a Baltimore hospital.

Mrs. James T. Dixon has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Nesbitt Trenchard in Baltimore.

Cards announcing the marriage of Mr. Frederick Strattner and Miss Iva Mae Rea have been received by friends of the groom in this town. The ceremony took place in New York Feb. 26. Mr. Strattner is well and favorably known here his father having been for many years chief engineer to the Kent railroad.

Rev. F. H. Mullineaux and wife, of Kennedyville, visited friends in town on Wednesday.

A marriage license was issued in Baltimore on Monday to Mr. Raymond Etheridge and Miss Meta Gibson, both of that city. Mr. Etheridge is very well-known in Chestertown where he has frequently visited in the summer.

Mrs. Mae Stradley and little son, Allen, of Galena, have removed to Chestertown where they will make their home with her sister, Mrs. L. H. P. Vansant.

Mrs. E. S. Hammel and neice, Miss Stewart, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with the former's husband at the Hotel Imperial.

Mr. Wilmer B. Coleman, of Philadelphia, spent several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Coleman.

Mr. Medford Brooks, of Boston, is spending the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks, on Washington avenue.

Mr. J. Frank Davis and wife and Mr. James H. Shuster, of Wilmington, and Mrs. J. W. Flesh, of Piqua, Ohio, were first of the week guests of relatives and friends here during the week.

Mrs. Dr. Mansfield, of Baltimore, has been the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. J. T. Twilley, during the week.

Senator and Mrs. Garrett Foxwell are visiting relatives and friends in Wilmington, Del.

Mr. J. Polk DeCourse and family, all of whom were quite sick at the same time, have sufficiently recovered to be able to be out.

Mrs. George W. Harper arrived home this week from Florida, where she has spent the winter.

Mrs. Marion Twilley, of Dover, has been the guest of her mother-in-law, Mrs. J. T. Twilley, during the week.

Mrs. Marion deK. Smith and daughter, Miss Anna, are visiting Mrs. Smith's son, Mr. Marion deK. Smith in Bedford, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brice and Col. and Mrs. John H. Evans will reach home from Florida to-day.

Mr. Rudolph Stam and wife have been visiting his mother, Mrs. Annie H. Stam, during the past week.

Miss Louise Stam is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hooker, in Philadelphia.

Mr. E. J. Porter, uncle of Mrs. J. H. Nichols, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Mattie P. Swift, over Sunday.

Kennedyville Items.

Everybody busy these bright sunny days; some cutting wood, some hauling wood, some killing ducks and geese, some fox hunting, some killing foxes, and we must not forget Squire Nickerson, he has his busy days also.

The Grange had a large attendance on Monday night, those that were given the fourth degree were: Mr. and Mrs. Harper Carter, Mrs. Lily Archibald, Miss Eva Jewell, Messrs. Geo. Whiteley and Roy Loller. After the business programme was over refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was spent. Those that were reported sick were Miss Fannie Bramble who is in a Baltimore hospital but is getting along nicely and is expected home in a few days. Others were: Messrs. Shafer, E. T. Orhoson, Hartley Weer, W. T. Hague, W. T. Jones, W. S. Hurlock.

Last Sunday being Mrs. Geo. R. Rasin's birthday also their wedding anniversary they had a very pleasant time with their invited guests. A fine dinner with the delicacies of the season was enjoyed by all present. We wish them many more happy birthdays and wedding anniversaries.

Master William Urie had a nice Birthday dinner on Tuesday. He is six and full of fun, always up and ready to run.

Our fishermen are getting busy and are making some good catches.

Rev. Mr. Mullineaux and wife spent Wednesday with Mr. Geo. Lane, of Still Pond.

Still Pond Notes.

Mrs. Arthur Bacon spent the past week with her father, Mr. James Severson.

Mrs. Alice Coleman, of Roland Park, Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Miss Marion Hackett.

Mrs. Harry Ricards is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jester, Queen Anne's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jarvis spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Baltimore.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society will be held Wednesday April 3rd, at the home of Mrs. S. G. Roseberry.

Miss Jennie Bowers spent Saturday in Baltimore.

Mrs. Wm. G. Rasin has returned home after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Watson, Newark, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rasin visited Chestertown on Saturday.

Mr. Arthur Bacon, of Chestertown, spent the week end in our town.

Mrs. Edward Schofield and children, of Worton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harding.

Rock Hall Items.

Rock Hall is to have a central exchange, this will in a way to put a stop to that everlasting butting in which is done so much on all party lines.

Rev. Mr. Corkran will leave Rock Hall at the end of the conference year for Sudlersville. Every one is sorry to see Mr. Corkran leave here.

Uncle Jack Joiner says he will have a brand new auto to carry passengers to and from the boat and nearby points this summer. Look out for him he is the only up-to-date hack man of this town.

Rev. D. J. Moore and wife, of Christiana, Delaware, were the guests of Mrs. Moore's parents on Main street this week.

Rev. J. W. Prettyman, of Hillsboro, Md., arrived Wednesday by boat from Queenstown to take charge of the M. E. Church. Rev. Mr. Corkran will take a charge at Sudlersville.

Officer (Crust) Culley who has been on the sick list for the past week is able to attend to his duties again.

There are several Rock Hall boys who have accepted positions on yachts for the summer.

Billy Clayton has accepted the agency for the Singer Sewing Machine Co. in this district and has also been appointed road supervisor of several roads in this district.

Mr. Newnam, of Chestertown, made a short visit to Rock Hall this week.

Andrew J. Stevens completed and delivered in Baltimore, a large canoe for parties who will use it for a cabin launch with a fifteen horse power engine.

Miss Dora Wilkins, of Baltimose, is visiting her brother, Goldey, this week.

Mr. Joseph Downey and family who were in the city for the winter have returned for the summer.

Prof. Davis spent the week's end in Baltimore with friends.

The following part of the Rock Hall letter was received too late last week for publication:

Will Rock Hall have its new school?

Last Wednesday night the Wesley Social Circle held an entertainment of great merit in the Mechanic's Hall and had a crowded house. Besides the two fun raising comedy plays, there were monologues and songs by some of the best talent of the county. The proceeds were for improvements at the Chapel.

Mr. Blaustein has had the Kramer store greatly remodeled and has put in one of the largest assortments ever known in this town. Cases are arriving every day to swell the already full departments. This is now one of the prettiest store rooms in the county and is a great improvement in many ways.

The steam boat is running round trips from this point now.

Thursday night the Red Men of Rock Hall held their annual anniversary and their many members with their families turned out to a big supper and a well arranged program and dance.

Gritt Urie will soon start out with his merry-go-round and take in the towns of the county and most of the towns of the adjoining counties.

Don't forget the major, he will be here next Thursday night.

The roads are in very bad condition in this section and they need repairs badly, for the last few days teams have been hauling shells to the large holes and filling them.

Lloyd Scott and Hilery Akers left the early part of the week for Philadelphia where they will join Capt. Geo. Satterfield, who has taken charge of a large yacht from that city.

Mr. Geo. Maslin says he has planted his lettuce and radishes. He always plants them on St. Patrick's day.

Mr. Hammaker and family were called to Baltimore on account of the death of Mr. Hammaker's mother.

Mr. Clayton and Mrs. Saulsbury, of Baltimore, have returned to Saulsbury Manor for the summer season. This is one of Kent county's favorite boarding houses for summer.

Mrs. Mary Ashley was a Baltimore visitor this week.

Several pupils of the manual training department of the Rock Hall High School have completed beautiful hall chimes. These are one of the most popular little ornaments of the day, and great demand for them is reported among all the novelty stores of the cities. The setting for these chimes is supposed to represent a Japanese temple and suspended below this canopy are four highly polished brass tubes hung on small ribbon to match the color scheme, finished in mission.

Base Ball Season Opens.

The base ball season at Washington College opened on Wednesday with a contest with the Maryland University team against the Washington squad. The game was won by the visitors by the score of 3 to 0. The game was hotly contested from start to finish, and every one was pleased with the showing made by the Washington squad. Dietz, the new slabman for Washington, showed up well, and with a little more practice he will deliver the goods. The next game will be played on Monday with the strong Dean Academy team from Franklin, Mass.

To the friends and supporters of the Washington College base ball team:—We are writing this letter to explain why we have raised the price of admission to our games. This is no money making scheme on our part. We have arranged games with the best college teams in the country, and you must know that such teams will not come here for small guarantees. We could have arranged games with teams of less consequence at much less cost, but games with such teams would not be at all interesting, so looking to the interest of our supporters and trying to provide excellent entertainment for them, we have arranged with these teams at a much increased expense.

Even at the raised price we will lose considerably on each game. This brings us to the question, "Shall we play good teams at an extra expense or fall back to second class teams and charge the old fee of admission?"

Very truly yours,
THE MANAGEMENT.

Almost a Fatal Dose.—Miss Edith Spry, an estimable young lady of Middletown, Del., aged 20 years, swallowed carbolic acid on Monday morning, but hard work on the part of Dr. E. G. Clark and members of the family, with the timely discovery, saved her life. The mother found her in an unconscious condition on the floor of her bed room. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Spry.

Mr. Rumsey Anthony has repaired the damage done to his fine green houses by the terrific wind of a month ago, and he is ready to serve the trade with all kinds of plants and Palmetto asparagus crowns. See what he has to offer you on another page.

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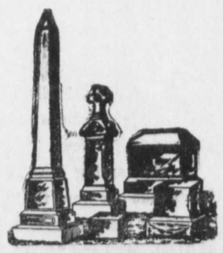
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2nd. To install immediately after our election a set of platform scales at the Pump House for the weighing of all supplies and materials that are bought by weight, said weighing to be done only by the superintendent of the system and in the presence of any citizen or citizens of the town if they elect to be present.
3rd. To make such changes in the management of the system, in the operation of the machinery, in the hours of pumping, in improvements to the domestic service, and additional protection against fire as the people from time to time may require and the revenues of the system will justify.
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