PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mr. Leeds Barroll and Mr. Lewis Barroll motored down from Philadelphia and spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Hope H. Barroll.

Mrs. James G. Beck attended the funeral of Mr. Harvey Cole in Lynwyd, near Philadelphia and spent several days with Mrs. Rudolph Tull.

Mrs. Annie Rickie of Baltimore was the guest of Mrs. J. W. Wheatley.

Mrs. Joseph P. Westcott and two children, of Swedesboro, N. J., are the guests of Mrs. George B. Westcott.

Mrs James Dumbracco, who has been sick for some time, is very much improved we are glad to say.

Mrs. J. Bonn Towner and boys and Miss Mildred Melvin were week-end guests of Mrs. Marion Malcolm.

Mr. H. N. Baldwin is making repairs to his cannery here in preparation for the coming season.

Miss Bessie Duyer, of Hagerstown, is guest of her mother, Mrs. Samuel Cranor.

Dr. J. P. Franklin, who has been taikng a course in Baltimore hospitals during the winter, has returned to his position here as County Health Officer.

Members of the Hendrickson family of this county attended the funeral of John E. Hendrickson, an uncle, in Philadelphia last week.

Mrs. Annie Peterson is confined to her bed with the grippe.

Miss Ida Bramble, of the Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Va., was the guest over Sunday of her sister, Mrs. George E. Noland.

Mr. Roland Corey, of New York, was a visitor here for the week-end.

Mr. Hyland Jewell, of Philadelphia, was a visitor over the week-end with his father, Mr. H. S. Jewell.

Mr. Harry Rouse, of Havre de Grace, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Rouse.

Mr. Frank Estes was in Wilmington a few days last week.

Mr. Lloyd Connelly has returned to Chestertown after a visit in Baltimore.

Mrs. H. M. Seigenfuse, of Dumont, N. J., is spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Robinson.

Miss Edna Kirby spent the week-end in Baltimore.

Miss Susie Frazier, of Washington, has been the guest of her mother.

Mr. John Allen, of Chester, spent Sunday the guest of his son, Mr. J. F. Allen.

Mrs. Frank Lambert, Jr., who has been quite sick at her home in Wilmington, Del., is somewhat improved, but not able to be about yet. Mr. Lambert, too, has been quite sick for the past two weeks, but is getting along very nicely and expects to return to work on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Lambert have had sickness in the family ever since Christmas. Mrs. John E. Woodall, of Millington, and Miss Sarah J. Lambert, of Chestertown, have been attending Mr. and Mrs. Lambert.

Mrs. Thomas Ayres, who has been housed with the grippe, is now convalescent.

Mrs. Rodney Wilson, of Bluefield, W. Va., is visiting at the residence of Mr. Wm. M. Slay.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brice and Mrs. Spencer Newnam, of Centreville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs Allan A. Harris.

—A debate was held last night in Chestertown High School Auditorium in which Rock Hall High School vs. Chestertown High School took part, the subject being "Resolved that results of the direct Primary Law in Maryland have thus far justified the passage of that law.

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

—Bonnett & Co.'s sale began last Wednesday. See adv.

—Mr. Townsend Anthony had teams out plowing his potato ground this week.

—Mr. Elmer Newton has purchased from Mr. Romie Patrick one of his dwellings on College avenue.

—Mr. M. A. Toulson has had a new soda fountain installed at his drug store in Chestertown.

—Rev. L. P. Corkran advertises in this paper one of the most desirable homes in Chestertown for sale.

—Mr. Paul Adams has purchased the double dwelling house property corner Mill and Cannon streets, price $2,000.

—Contractor Walter T. Pippen will build a fine dwelling in Centreville for Mr. William F. Parrott, formerly of Chestertown.

—Mr. H. N. Baldwin is making preparations for the coming season by repairing his cannery and putting it in a high state of efficiency.

—Mrs. Viola Bibb has rented a part of the Kent House formerly conducted by Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hicks, and will conduct a boarding house.

—A number of men from here were able to get to Brice's Mill branch one day last week and with deep nets caught a bushel of fine yellow perch.

—Gov. Ritchie has named E. W. McMaster, who was for many years superintendent of schools in Worcester County, a member of the State Board of Education.

—The mercury dropped to 14 degrees above zero here Tuesday morning following the most severe March storm ever known in the Great Lakes region.

—Absorption of two independent telephone lines on the Eastern Shore—the South Dorchester line and the Cecil Farmers' telephone line—by the C. & P. Co. is being considered.

—The bottom dropped out of the egg market here on Saturday, local dealers paying as low as 20 cents a dozen for them. It has been some years since the price of eggs has been so low here.

—Chester river oystermen went on a strike last week because the buyers refused to pay more than 20 cents a bushel for their catch. Seeing the determination of the men the buyers determined to raise the price to 25 cents.

—The campaign to raise $2000 for additional fire equipment is on here and the people are responding very generously. The money will be raised without difficulty and the equipment will be installed by early spring.

—Robert G. Nicholson is doubling the capacity of his ice plant here in order to take care of the greatly increased trade during the summer and early fall. New machinery is being installed.

—During the muskrat season which closed last week, S. Sklut, of this town, paid out $60,000 to the trappers of Kent county and Delaware. Richard Haggerty, another large buyer, bought 5,000 hides at one time from a dealer in Easton.

—W. Oscar Anderson, Jr., executive secretary to Gov. Ritchie, and well known here, has resigned that position to accept the managership for a firm of investment brokers of the Baltimore City district. This is quite a promotion for Mr. Anderson.

—Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal church have engrossed on the minutes c u ofhchtehretaoFffig-daetao minutes of the church suitable resolutions on the death of Thomas S. Bordley and William B. Coleman, who recently died. Both were active in all church work for many years here.

—The United States Government is still paying pensions to 41 widows of soldiers of the War of 1812, two of whom are Marylanders, notwithstanding the fact that 108 years have elapsed since the close of that conflict, according to statistics just compiled by the Department of the Interior.

—Deep water fishing at Love Point has been more unsuccessful during the present season than for many years. Fisherman from Rock Hall who usually make big money out of the business have not earned the cost of their equipment and they have cut out in despair of recouping their losses.

—In a shipment of baby chicks from the postoffice here recently, one to Kirkwood, consisting of 100 and the others of 1,600, 80 of the 100 shipped to Kirkwood were dead when they reached their destination and 300 of the 1,600 of the Millville shipment were dead. The owners will seek to recover on their loss.

—Among local dealers there is a divergence of opinion in regard to a reduction in coal prices on or about April 1. Some of the dealers state that there is a possibility of a reduction in the fuel prices about that time, while others say that the present prices may continue throughout the spring and summer months.

—George N. Coleman, of Rock Hall, is building for Charles Crouch of the same town a speed boat which may be a contestant in several of the regattas on the bay during the summer. The boat is 40 feet long, with a seven foot beam, and is to be equipped with a Ford engine of high power which will produce a great speed.

—Hadaway Bros. had on display in their window the largest groundhog seen in this section for many years. Strange to say the fur of this animal which is as large as a racoon, is not very valuable, there being scarcely any demand for them here. Skunks are becoming very plentiful in this section. The local passenger train ran into one on the rail road track the other evening.

—The Stam Drug Company has installed a fine new soda fountain.

—There are two legal holidays next week, Maryland Day and Friday being Good Friday. The Third National Bank will be closed both of these days.

—Milbourn & Milbourn, of Chester, Pa., are advertising in this issue for eggs and poultry to supply the Easter demand. They want shipments as early in the week as possible. Heavy hens especially wanted for Jewish Passover, demand for which is also on.

—A team of six oxen passed through Chestertown Thursday afternoon, the first for many years. This team came from Harrington, Del., and was bound for Reese Corner.

—An unruly cow, which became unmanageable and broke away from the men on the boat, held the Chester river boat at the Chestertown wharf about a half-hour longer than the scheduled time for her leaving on Tuesday morning. The animal broke away and was grazing in the public square when she was captured.

—The biggest fox hunt of the year took place at Queenstown last Saturday. Messrs. Edmund Hurtt, Harvey Brice, William Toulson, William French, as well as Mr. George Brice, of Peapack, N. J., formerly of this section, and many other well-known hunters were present. Over a hundred hounds were in the big hunt.

—George Sutton, theWorton trainer will leave this week for the Sudlersville driving park where he will train a string of fine pacers and trotters, among which are Princess D., record 2.17½,and a fast colt belonging to Samuel Loller, of Worton. Mr. Sutton expects to go down the Maryland Delaware and Virginia circuit with a select stable.

—The first annual Eastern Shore interscholastic Declamation contest will be held in William Smith Hall, Washington College, Chestertown, May 18th. The purpose of the contest is to foster public speaking in the public schools. Each county on the Eastern Shore will elect one representative in a preliminary contest.

—A number of Eastern Shore people will be heavy losers by the failure of the Chincoteague Fish Oil and Guano Company, which has gone into the hands of a receiver. Larger amounts of stock and bonds of the Company are held by local people, and it will be a miracle if they succeed in receiving much from the wreck.

—Somerset County strawberry growers are looking to a banner season this year, in the belief that the crop will be the largest ever harvested in this county. Weather conditions are said to have been favorable to a large yield, and with an increased acreage planted throughout the county indicates that Somerset will put even a larger quantity of berries in the market this year than usual.

—Church choirs last week began the rehearsal for music for Easter Sunday, which is now less than two weeks distant. In a practically every church in the county special sermons, with Easter Music will be featured throughout the year. Although Easter Sunday this year is considerably earlier than usual, the Weather Man continues to hold out promises of mild balmy weather throughout the remainder of March.

—Thos. F. Healey, Esq., council for the Society for Protection to Dumb Animals, is investigating a case of a horse that belonged to Capt. Hudson, of Edesville, who gave it to Mr. Richard Hewitt, of Sandy Bottom. Mr. Hewitt started to take the horse to his home, but the horse was so weak that it fell on the roadside near McClain's Corner. Mr. Hewitt procured an axe and killed the horse by hitting it across the forehead. He then procured a wagon and removed it from the roadside.

—Considerable interest has been manifested in this community during the past week over the reported bankruptcy of the Cleveland Discount Co. and the fluctuation in the Piggly Wiggly stock, both of which corporations have sold considerable stock and bonds in this county. It is reported that the Cleveland Discount Co.'s sales here amount to over $150,000 and the Piggly Wiggly sold stock to the amount of $10,000 to $12,000.

—A large crowd of Kent county lovers of fox hunting were at Queenstown yesterday and witnessed the big hunt staged by the Elkridge and Harford Hunt Clubs of Baltimore. It required an extra large boat to take the crowd of hunters and horses and dogs from Baltimore to Queenstown. The Baltimore hounds took the field yesterday, and, it is understood, the Eastern Shore hounds will hunt today, Saturday.

DEATHS

W. D. Clark, who married Miss Emma McFeely, formerly of this town, died of pneumonia at Chapel Hill, North Carolina, March 17.

The remains of Latimer, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Satterfield, of Townsend, were brought to Galena on Sunday afternoon and interred in the cemetery there. The deceased was 20 years old and leaves a widow and one child.

Enoch S. Short, cashier of Cecilton Bank and prior to entering his banking duties the leading merchant in the First district died Sunday evening at his home from heart trouble. The deceased was 65 years of age. A widow and two children survive.

Hennie Tilghman, one of the best known women in lower Kent, died on Thursday at a Baltimore hospital, where she had been operated on for throat trouble that later developed into pneumonia. The body was carried to her home near Rock Hall and funeral services were held Monday in Sharptown Church.

Dr. Thomas Bennett Wilson died at his home near Reese's Corner Friday morning, March 23, 1923, after an illness of about two weeks, from the result of pneumonia, aged 79 years. Dr. Wilson was one of the most prominent citizens of the Fifth District, and was a member of the Wilson family of that section, who have long been prominent in the social, civic and political life of lower Kent.

He is survived by a widow and four children, T. Bennett Wilson, Mrs. Arthur Uttrick, Mrs. Harry Skirven and Mrs. Harry Miller.

Funeral services will be held this, Saturday morning, at 11 a. m., in St. John's Catholic Church, Rock Hall, Father Urner officiating, interment in the cemetery adjoining. The bearers are Harry Skirven, Arthur Uttrick, Harry Miller, Wilson Hatcherson, John Wilson and Walter Frances. C. L. Dodd, undertaker.

Mr.William Hague passed away at his home on Friday afternoon after a long illness, at the age of 86 years 10 months. He is survived by four children and four grand children and four great grandchildren. Service was held at his late residence in Still Pond Monday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock March 19. Rev. Truman Smith and Rev. Wooden, of the M. P. Church, Kennedyville, in charge. Interment in M. P. Church cemetery, Kennedyville. The pall bearers were B. Bowers, J. C. Bowers, W. L. Ford, H. C. Casey, W. B. Copper Geo. R. Rasin. Undertaker B. R. Fellows. Mr. Hague had been a resident of Kent county all his life. For the last eighteen years he had been a resident of Still Pond. When a young man he joined the M. P. Church at Kennedyville and for the last 65 years he har been a constant worshipper and a devoted Christian. He was one of the oldest members of said church. Mr. Hague was one of our finest citizens—kind, loyal to his family, ever ready to help his friends and neighbors. To know him was to love him.

Resolutions of Respect

Resolutions of respect for Miss M. Jane Blackiston, from the Woman's Auxiliary of Shrewsbury Parish.

Whereas, As God has called unto Himself our beloved member, Miss M. Jane Blackiston, it is

Resolved, by the Shrewsbury Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of Easton, thus to express its respect, affection and sense of loss for her whose faithfulness, cheerful kindness and willing generosity never failed. And also its thankfulness for one whom, after fourscore years of earthly life, is rejoicing in that eternal, in the presence of the God she loved and served from childhood.

It is also Resolved, That a copy of this tribute to her memory be sent to each of the county papers and to the church paper, Diocese of Easton.

By order, Committee.

MISS ELIZABETH PENNINGTON.
MRS. ANNE C. CROW.
MRS. ETTA B. SUTTON.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas, Our Heavenly Father has removed from our midst our beloved sister, Mary E. Hadaway.

Be It Resolved, That we as fellow workers in the cause of Christ of Union M. E. Church, Worton, and of the Ladies Aid, do hereby tender our sincere spmpathy to the family of the deceased in their great sorrow.

Also Resolved, That we so live, that should it be necessary for us to endure such long suffering and pain, we may also be able to show the same Christian patience and fortitude.

And Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be published in each of the county papers, and a record of same be made in the minutes of the Ladies' Aid.

Mary E. Miller
Sallie Carter
Wm. Raisin

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