...NEDYVILLE

...eph Guery and Miss Elva ...nt Sunday with friends in ...

...e town seems to be quiet ...ghriding.

... number are having radios ...

...aggie Hill, of Chestertown ...s. Rachel Hill on Monday.

...Augusta Hessner and Mrs. ...Hurlock spent a part of last ...h relatives in Philadelphia.

...usiness and social meeting of ...ristian Endeavor was held at ...Emma Shafers on Friday even...g.

The Young folks are enjoying the snow sleighriding and skating.

Mrs. James Archibald and Mrs. Mary Green are visiting in Baltimore.

Mrs. Alice Hepbron and Miss Edith Hepbron were visitors at Mrs. M. A. Pennington's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nickerson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnston ...d Mr. and Mrs. James Weer and ...ldren at a wild goose and duck ...er on Tuesday.

...e Ladies Aid Society met at the ... of Mrs. Dr. Urie on Friday ...g.

...OCK HALL

...nd Mrs. Samuel Jacob are ...ts of a fine infant daughter.

...s Rose Way, of Albany, N. Y., ...st of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Urie.

... and Mrs. Robinson, of Lynch, ... visitors Sunday at the home of ...nd Mrs. Hildren Bowers.

...srs. George and McCall Rasin, ...rton, and Mrs. Richard Harris ...more, spent Sunday with Mr. ... Charles Coleman.

... Mrs. Frank Jester were hosts ... dinner to Mrs. McKee and ...Kee, of Chestertown, and Mrs. ...osby, of Rock Hall.

...d Mrs. Edward J. Lynn, of ..., sent the week end with ...'s mother, Mrs. J. E. Apsley. ...orge Ashley and Dr. W. W. Beall have returned from Baltimore where the former went for attention to his eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Culley were accompanied to Divine worship Sunday at the M. E. Church by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Guthrie, and Miss Grace Culley of Galena.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Blackiston have as guests their son's wife, Mrs. Noble Blackiston, and three little girls of Baltimore.

Mrs. Henry Nehus, Sr., is seriously ill in Baltimore.

Mrs. Joshua Thomas is quite sick of a lame back at her home near Gratitude.

Mr. and Mrs. Snowden Maslin had as recent guests Mr. Dick McDonald and Dr. Gray, of Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Sutton spent the week end with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francis, near Chestertown.

Mr. William Durding, Jr., of Baltimore, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Durding.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hersch are spending a couple of weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Sutton who are attending a farming organization in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Zimmerman returned today to their home in Bel Air after a visit to Capt. and Mrs. Franklin Davis.

MILLINGTON

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society, of Asbury M. E. Church, was held last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. F. S. Bottomley.

Mrs. W. H. Burris spent a few days ast week with her daughter, Mrs. Ennis Walls, of Wilmington.

We are sorry to report Mrs. J. P. Ahern quite sick with pleurisy this weer. Mrs. B. W. Duling, who was quite sick last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Higman of Sudlersville, had improved and was able to be brought home last Sunday. Among others on the sick list are. Mrs. Ellen Starkey, Mrs. J. B. Phillips and John Barnnart.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Higman and Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wiest were guests last Sunday of friends in Elkton, Md.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society, of Asbury M. E. Church, held its regular monthly meting on Thursday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. J. L. Smith.

Mrs. Jennie Johnson visited friends in Philadelphia last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anthony, Mrs. James Voshell and Mrs. Anor Wooleyhand spent Thursday of last week in Dover, Del.

Mr. Lester Kaufman, of Denton, Md., spent the week end with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crowther, of OakMont, Pa., spent last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs H. L. Higman.

Mr. Sidney Dixon, of near town, is the guest of friends in Wilmington.

Mrs. John Brice, of Baltimore, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ahern.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society, of Trinity M. E. Church, was held last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Liston Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Higman celebrated their 52nd wedding anniversary on Thursday, Jan. 7, by entertaining at dinner,—Rev. and Mrs. R. K. Stephenson and Mrs. Christy, of Smyrna, Del., Mr. and Mrs. Richard Higman and son, Mr. George Higman, of Sudlersville, Mr. B. W. Duling, Mr. Parvis Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Higman and Mr. H. L. Higman and family.

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A GENUINE SURPRISE PARTY.

One of the most enjoyable pranks of the "Santa Claus Spirit" was performed by the "Eighth Grade Alumni" of the Still Pond School, Wednesday evening, December 30th, when a number of jolly boys and girls gave to their former teacher, Miss Sophie Miller, a real old-time surprise party.

To put over a surprise may seem a very easy matter with many teachers, but only those who have been pupils of "Miss Sophie," can fully appreciate the difficult task that confronted these well wisher of their instructor of a few years back: however, all things worked together, for the good of those who loved this hard to fool pedagogue.

About 7.30 p. m. the automobile horns began to toot, footsteps hurrying back and fortn, whispering and spooky movements around the house, smothered hilarity filled the air.

After a time, Miss Miller proceeded to investigate the cause of this unusual commotion when she found herself completely swept from her throne of "Authority" by a sudden rushing in of loyal sons and daughters of her training.

An impromptu program had been arranged, the opening number being "School in Session," with one of the boys as teacher, personating "Miss Sophie" in various school room episodes from "fixing that ever dislocated Bell" to "dictionary" by the line for any misdemeaners of boys and even girls of "Still Pond School" were involved.

Miss Sophie, had a most excellent opportunity "to see herself as her pupils saw her," which she so thoroughly enjoyed, heartily joined in the "take offs," happy in the fulfillment of all her efforts to make good citizens, worth while men and women of the future. These pupils are registered in the most foremost educational institutions of our country, such as University of Virginia, Harvard College, Sargent, University of Maryland, Cornell, University of Delaware, Beacon's Business College, and our own C. H. S. of Chestertown, while one is following her teacher's footsteps and "directing young ideas how to shoot." And Miss Miller feels proud to have been the teacher of such a promising bunch of pupils.

The second number on the program was music, vocal, instrumental; while dancing was participated in by all; even the "Charleston was demonstrated, but where the head training" is the uppermost aim the "feet training" seems to be neglected more or less especially was this in evidence among this group.

Number 3 followed with serving refreshments ice cream and cake prepared by students of "Cornell University" and "Chestertown High School" never was such cake made and never have been found better girls than those who made it.

With much mirth and recalling how some of the "Still Pond Boys" used to make ice cream for "School Suppers" this feature was indeed unsurpassed only by the 4th number which was the presentation of a beautiful Navohoe blanket, to "Miss Sophie" as an evidenie of their love and esteem as well as, appreciation of all the nice things she has done for these worthy boys and girls. This was the greatest surprise of the whole evening and almost overwhelmed Miss Miller for "to live in the hearts of those she has taught" is about all the pleasure teaching has for her.

After this "The unkindest cut of all" the jolly crowd went nome happier, jollier because they had played "Santa Claus" to an appreciative teacher.

"AN EYE WITNESS."

BETTERTON

Betterton has been without a boat for two weeks. The ice is still very heavy. The few remaining ice houses have been filled this week.

Fine coasting has been enjoyed all this week, not only by the people of Betterton, both old and young, but by those also from the country, some coming as far as Chestertown. The slide begins at Owens Cottage and ends at the waters edge.

Mr. Reese Young was taken ill last Sunday evening while conducting the Epworth League service at the Methodist Church. He is improving now.

Mr. John Silcox continues very ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Y. Crew.

Bishop Davenport preached at the Episcopal Chapel on Sunday last. Six persons were confirmed at this service.

The prayer service and teacher training class were held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Emerson on Wednesday night.

A number of persons from here attended the tenth anniversary of the Odd Fellows last Wednesday evening at Still Pond.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society was held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harvey B. Moore.

After the business meeting the following officers were elected for the year: President, Mrs. Archie Crew; Vice President. Mrs. Violet Crew; Secretary, Mrs. Harry Owens; Treasurer, Mrs. Harvey Moore.

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Protests must be filed with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County on or before February 23, 1926.

..CONSERVATION DEPARTMENT ..; Jan. 2-4t.

APPLICATION FOR OYSTER GROUND

L. M. Hubbard Rock Hall, Md.

About 15 acres, located in Swan Creek, a tributary of Chesapeake Bay, on the easterly side thereof, bordering on the Shewell farm, northerly of Swan Creek Natural Oyster Bar, as shown on Published Chart No. 28, in the waters of Kent county.

Protests must be filed with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County on or before February 9, 1926.

CONSERVATION DEPARTMENT
Dec. 19-5t.

APPLICATION FOR OYSTER GROUND

Romie Harris Rock Hall, Md.

About 5 acres, located on the easterly side of Swan Creek, in the waters of Kent county, bordering on the Shewell farm, northerly of the ground applied for by L. M. Hubbard, as shown on Published Chart No. 28.

Protests must be filed with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County on or before February 9, 1926.

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APPLICATION FOR OYSTER GROUND

Augustus L. Warner Rock Hall, Md.

About 5 acres located on the East side of Swan Creek, opposite Shewell farm, south of ground applied for by L. M. Hubbard, near Rale Point and easterly of Swan Creek Natural Oyster Bar, in the waters of Kent County, as shown on Published Chart No. 28.

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APPLICATION FOR OYSTER GROUND

Edgar M. Culley Rock Hall, Md.

About 5 acres, located on the easterly side of Swan Creek, in the waters f Kent County, northwesterly about 30 yards of Steamboat Wharf and northeasterly of Little Neck Natural Oyster Bar, as shown on Published Chart No. 28.

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APPLICATION FOR OYSTER GROUND

Nelson Rodney Rock Hall, Md.

About 5 acres, located on the westerly side of Swan Creek, beginning at what is known as the public landing on the lands of Thomas Eliason and running a south course about 600 feet to a stake, then running a westerly course to the land of the said Thomas Eliason, in the waters of Kent County, as shown on published Chart No. 28.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent County letters of Administration on the personal estate of

JOHN E. NICKERSON

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 26th day of June, 1926 otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

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