Local Notes

**A. S. Turner & Son have bought out J. R. Carter on Maple avenue.

**The Elkton Fire Company concluded a contract last week for a Triple Combination Motor Pumping Engine, Hose and Chemical Car to cost $12,300.

**Henry Lloyd, of near Millington, was arrested Friday by Sheriff J. W. Yeates on a charge of stealing fodder He was given a hearing before Justice Foreman, who held him for the action of the May term of court.

**A. S. Turner & Sons will have their Dodge Service Station at Maple Avenue Garage, recently occupied by J. R. Carter, and are able to give first class repair work on all makes of cars, also night and monthly storage. Their show room and accessory business will still be at their temporary location in Eliason building opposite Chestertown Candy Kitchen.

**Making a forceful entry into the cellar of "Rearbourne," the country home of John M. Perry, unknown parties Friday took away quite a few gallons of whiskey, and so far the guilty one or ones have not been found out.

**After being closed for the past five years, Cecil paper mills, at Rising Sun, will resume operations within the next few weeks, operated by Sears, Roebuck & Co., of Chicago, with Stewart Waring as manager.

**Henry Johnson, colored, merchant on cross street, has sold his business to Charles Wright. Henry was compelled by ill health to discontinue.

**The mercury shot down to six degrees this week and closed navigation on Chester river and Chesapeake Bay since last Thursday week. Fine skating was enjoyed on Chester river and ice was harvested off the mill ponds.

**More wild ducks are said to be feeding in Chester river as far up as Chester bridge opposite Chestertown than for many years, and gunners are enjoying fine sport. Harry Lambert killed 16 one morning last week just off the town.

**Mrs. James Allen, of near town, is the proud owner of two goslings, hatched last week. Mrs. Allen had a goose which began laying in November. She tried four of the eggs under a hen to see if they would hatch at this season of the year, and was rewarded with two little fellows. Mrs. George Rash also has three young Muscovey ducks and several baby chicks which seem to be thriving during the cold weather.

**Several hundred dollars damage resulted at the home of David Fisher in Havre de Grace last week when the water pipes froze and burst. Mr. Fisher closed his home several weeks ago and is spending the winter in New York and thought the water was turned off before he left. The pipes burst on the second floor and for nearly a week the water was running before it was noticed by neighbors. Nearly all the plaster is off the ceiling and much of the furniture is ruined. The heating plant is also thought to be damaged as the furnace is nearly submerged.

**Andrew Wilson, of Georgetown, has been suffering with a badly lacerated finger as the hesult of having his hand caught in a corn sheller, while engaged in shelling corn on one of his farms, last week.

**Frank H. Howard received word Monday that the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kent Lambert at Cristobal, Panama, had been destroyed by fire December 20th.

**In Wilmington Tuesday on the grounds of desertion, Bennett F. Getshall was granted a decree of divorce from Sarah Getshall. The couple were married November 20, 1912, and Mrs. Getshall left her husband March 25, 1913. She left with another man, Getshall testified.

**The total sales of War Savings and Thrift Stamps at the various postoffices in the county for the year ended December 31, 1919, are as follows:

Chestertown	$3591.86
Betterton	669.90
Black	68.08
Galena	289.99
Golt	24.72
Kennedyville	51.59
Lynch	40.97
Massey	99.43
Millington	189.22
Rock Hall	1349.43
Still Pond	366.83
Tolchester	.25
Worton	126.41
Total	$6868.67

IN MEMORIAM

In sad and loving remembrance of my dear friend, SAMUEL A. CLARK, who departed this life two years ago January 13, 1917.

The month of January again is here,
Seems the saddest of all the year;
Yet it was on a January day
That my dear Samuel passed away.

Now two lonely years have passed
And I have seen your face,
Of you just as when last
We met in your dear old place.

You are resting in peace, dear Samuel,
Two sad years have passed away,
You are gone, but not forgotten;
I think of you each day.

By his loving friend,
WILLIAM F. SHRECK.

Lucky Find. — The hunters have been reaping a fine harvest. Rat skins have been bringing $3 each. Charles H. Skirven shook 3 raccoons from a tree one day recently and sold the hides to Robert Moffett & Son for $7 each and $1 each for the meat.

Fine Cattle.—Mayor Robert Moffett, of Chestertown, has received one of the fine Jersey cows from Mrs. C. Hughes Manly's herd at Elleislie farm in Baltimore county. It is reported that Mrs. Manly had refused $700 for this cow a few weeks ago. The price paid by Mayor Moffett is not stated.

Edwin Skirven received two calves from his Michigan ranch Monday, the expressage being $42. They are 6 and 8 months old, pure-bred registered Jerseys, and perfect beauties. These calves are granddaughters of Noble of Oakland which sold at auction for $15,000, and "Oxford You'll Do" blood.

One Bean Not Enough. — That a girl makes a mistake when she restricts herself to the society of one male admirer—that she "ought to have at least several beaux"—was contention put forth Sunday by John Wanamaker in a talk before the Sunday school of the Bethany Presbyterian Church.

It was while he was outlining the work of the Bethany Brotherhood, an organization for men, and of which Mr. Wanamaker is president, that he made this statement.

"It is an organization for men only," he said, "and every man in this church ought to belong. Each one of you," he said, looking down into the faces of the young women seated in their class groups. Every girl in this church ought to have her best beau become a member.

I say best beau advisedly. I think a girl makes a mistake when she has only one. She ought to have at least several."

Lodges Elect Officers. — Seminole Tribe No. 172 Improved Order of Red Men have re-elected the following officers: Sachem, George Latham; Senior Sagamore, Thomas Bryan; Junior Sagamore, Charles Elburn; Collector Wampum, Joseph Dwyer; Clerk Records, W. F. Malin Prophet Joseph J. Hurd.

The Chestertown Council Jr. O. U. A. M. No. 177, elected officers Tuesday evening as follows: Past Councillor, E. A. Barnes; Councilor, J. G. Usilton; Vice Councilor, J. C. Davis; R. S., A. F. Robinson; A. R. S., R. F. Elburn; F. S., G. H. Burk; Treasurer, J. W. Hirons; Conductor, W. F. Malin; Warden, C. G. Howard; I. S., Harvey Blyman; Chaplain, John W. Barnes; Trustees, J. C. Davis, John W. Barnes, J. G. Usilton, W. F. Malin, Frank Elburn; 1 year Rep., J. G. Usilton; 2 year Rep., G. H. Burk; 2 year Alternate, Frank Elburn.

GRANGE NOTES

Kennedyville Grange will install the following officers next Saturday afternoon, January 10th, at 2.30, to serve for the year 1920:

Master, Harry Redmile.
Overseer, Robert Wallis.
Steward, Edgar Davis.
Asst. Steward, Robert Kennedy, Jr.
Lecturer, Mrs. Edgar Pennington.
Chaplain, Rev. J. M. Wooder
Secretary, W. T. Hague.
Treasurer, Mrs. Thomas Vandyke.
Ceres, Mrs. Harry Redmile.
Pomona, Mrs. Lloyd Kennedy.
Flora, Mrs. Robert Wallis.
Lady Asst. Steward, Miss Regina Rasin.
Pianist, Mrs. E. L. Redmile.
Press Correspondent, Mrs. James W. Urie.

Supper will be served after the meeting. Members please bring baskets. There will be a public meeting in the evening beginning at 7.30. All invited.

With an attendance of fifty members the Fairlee Grange elected the following officers for 1920: Master, M. P. Lee; Overseer, Howard Jones; Steward, Harry Lee; Assistant Steward, Weldon Walbert; Lady Steward, Margaret Elliott; Door Keeper, Talmadge Strong; Secretary, Ida Loller; Financial Secretary, Elsie Hoyle; Chaplain, Rev. H. D. West; Flora, Rose Walbert; Pomona, Edna Strong; Ceres, Ida Lee; Lecturer, Annie Usilton. We all enjoyed getting together again so we will no doubt see a full house January 21st—a special meeting.

At the last meeting of Still Pond Grange the following officers were elected for 1920: Master, J. Leonard Price; Overseer, Harry Willis; Lecturer, Mrs. Charles Willis; Steward, Ralph Shallcross; Assistant Steward, Wallace Ford; Secretary, Arthur L. Harris; Gate Keeper, Arthur Brice; Chaplain, Rev. S. S. Hepburn; Treasurer, Mrs. Wallace Ford; Ceres, Mrs. J. L. Price; Pomona, Mrs. Ralph Shallcross; Flora, Mrs. Arthur Brice; L. A. S., Mrs. Hannah Moore. These officers will be installed by Dr. J. T. Anthony immediately following the supper to be held at 5 p. m. i nthe Betterton school house. A short program will be held also, and the public is invited to be present about 6.30. We are having some interesting meetings and are taking in new members. We are hoping for more as the year advances.

HIGH SCHOOL AVERAGES

Seventh Grade.—Virginia Jones 95, Myrtle Needles 93, Charles Kirby 93, Alice Rote 92, Lawrence Gardner 91, Martha Crossley 91, Katherine Smith 91, Walter Barnes 91, Catherine Wier 90, Gilpin Brown 90, Mildred King 89, Cornelia Davis 98, William Blakeney 88, Walter Robinson 88, Virginia Nicholson 88, Emma Jarrell 88, Hazel Reed 88, Margaret Jefferson 87, Anna Strong 87, Iilo Chilcutt 87, Irving Brown 87, Marion Legg 87, Martha Trew 87, Dora Keeler 86, Anna Pippin 86, Harry Schreiber 84, William Smith 84, Adelaide Corey 83, Barclay Eshman 80, Channing Rash 77, Robert McCarthy 72.

Eighth Grade. — Cora McWhorter 97, Elizabeth Covey 97, Calvin Copper 97, Margretta Newnam 96, Harry Graham 95, Alberta Jewell 95, Mary Browne 95, Mildred Barwick 93, Mildred Wier 93, Robert Copper 92, yola Carter 92, Walter Chapman 91, Dorothy Tucker 91, Stanley Sutton 90, Lillian Brown 90, Russell McMenamin 89, Carlia Loller 89, Ruth Townsend 89, Rachel Willis 89, Gladys Startt 88, Elizabeth Wickes 88, Solomon Chaires 88, Catherine Beck 87, Mildred Hatcherson 87, Ella Davis 87, Billy Willis 87, Isabelle Atkinson 86, Mary Power 86, Henry Williams 85,Lee Stratt 85, Elizabeth Fay 84, Spencer Smith 84, John Fay 83, John Townshend 83, William Loller 81, Preston Hickman 81, Raymond Tucker 80.

Ninth Grade—Margaret Bowers 97, Ballard Ward 96, Elizabeth Trew 93, Lida Leaverton 92, Margaret Power 92, Margaret Startt 92, Catherine Loller 91, Ridgely Brown 91, Anna Perkins 90, Ford Matthews 90, William Price 89, Gladys Beauchamp 89, Josephine Kratzer 88, Margaret Tarbutton 88, Norman Crow 88, Mildred Godwin 87, Emma Hickey 87, Frank Estes 86, Stanley Matthews 86, Naomi Baxter 85, Pryor Armstrong 82, Gale Willis 82.

Eleventh Commercial. — Pauline Hoyle 95, Julia Power 94, HelenRouse 92, Amy Wheat 91, Helen Haggerty 89, Helen Shinn 89, Hilda Tucker 89, Margaret Stoops 88, Burgess Schreiber 88, George Waller 86, Norris Reed 85, Walter Usilton 85.

Tenth Commercial.—Katherine Elliott 92, Emma Dickerson 92, Vera Pennington 87, William Fowler 87, Catherine Nickerson 86, Margaret Cornelius 86, Stratton Stoops 83, Walter McGinnes 78, Margaret Barwick 75.

Eleventh Academic—Elizabeth Battaile 96, Mildred Price 95, Marvel Seney 94, Dorothy Woodall 93, Evelyn Peacock 93, Ermyn Jewell 93, Louise Clift 92, Rachel Taylor 92, Maynard Brown 91, Mildred Newton 89, Harry Russell 88, Noel Usilton 85, Belt Townshend 84, Mary Jones 81, Wilbur Strong 77, Travis Bolin 75.

Tenth Academic.—Elizabeth Stokes 97, Willard Culp 96, Helen Simpers 95, Frances Richardson 93, Mary Covey 93, Naomi Myers 93, Rebecca Brown 92, Laura Nicholson 92, Elizabeth Smith 90, Virginia Parks 90, Lucy Gardner 90, Mary Quinn 89, Dudley Stafford 89, Anna May Trew 88, French Skirven 87, Willis Usilton 86, Emerson Russell 84.

MAJOR PROBLEMS TO THE FRONT

The Legislature of Maryland met in Annapolis, the State Capital, on January 7, the first Wednesday of the month, and the day fixed in the Constitution.

That Legislature consists of a Senate and a House of Delegates. In the Senate are 27 men, one for each of the 23 counties of Maryland and one from each of the four Legislative districts in Baltimore city. The House has 101 members, apportioned among the political units of the State, as provided in the Constitution. Baltimore city has 24 members of this legislative branch.

Opinions are freely expressed that this session of the General Assembly will be one of the most important ever held. In this connection the idea prevails that the House is a strong body, having in its membership men capable of meeting any situation that may arise. The Senate is regarded as strong also.

Governor-elect Ritchie takes office on the second Wednesday of January Legislation required to redeem the pledges in the Democratic platform is regarded as his. The Governor-elect is now working on bills to submit to the General Assembly in redemption of these pledges.

Personal : : Paragraphs

George Bell announces the approaching marriage of his sister, Julia Hanson, to Charles McChesney, of Seattle, Wash., January 22nd.

Miss Mabel Toulson is visiting Mrs. Hildebrandt in Pittsburg.

Mrs. C. Norman Jefferson is visiting home folks in Georgia.

G. Frank Clark has been confined to his home on Kent Circle by sickness this week.

Dr. G. Allan Jarman was called to the sick bedside of his son, Frank, at Ashville, N. C. Frank has been gradually growing worse since arriving from France.

Miss Maud Miller is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. N. Satterfield, on Queen street.

Mrs. Laura M. Straughn and daughters, Misses Irene and Elizabeth, left Thursday morning for Baltimore, where they will spend the winter. Mrs. Straugh has been proprietress of the Hotel Straughn, Centreville, since leaving the Arlington Hotel more than ten years ago. Recently Mrs. Straughn sold the Hotel Straughn to Wright & Lowe, Centreville, and they will convert it into a modern and up-to-date automobile show room and garage.

Hugh Wallace moved from Quaker Neck to his recently purchased farm near Church Hill on Wednesday. Jack Leager takes one of E. W. Corwin's farms, on Snake Creek, Queen Anne's county, while Oscar Chambers of Queen Anne's, has taken a farm in Morgnec.

David Vansant returned to the A. & M. College in Raleigh, N. C., after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents in Quaker Neck.

Miss Lula Slagle has been visiting in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Vansant have gone to Philadelphia to stay the winter.

Col. and Mrs. John H. Evans, of Rolph's, left Thursday for Baltimore, and the following day they boarded a steamer for Tampa, Florida, where they will spend the remainder of the winter. Col. and Mrs. Evans have spent their winters in the South for a number of years. For several weeks during December they both were in very poor health, but have fully recovered. They will remain in Tampa until some time in March.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bowdie Highley and Miss Frances Starr Martin, of near Easton; Miss Ida Orem Smith, of Washington, and Miss Marguerite Everson Ahern, and John P. Ahern, of Millington, have been guests during the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Costin Price, "Fairfield," near Centreville.

Hope H. Barroll, Jr., has formed a co-partnership with his cousin, Lee Barroll, under the firm name of Barroll & Barroll, as investment bankers, and are located at No. 40 South St., Baltimore. The firm opened their office for business January 1, 1920.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carroll entertained as their guest recently Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dickerson, of Queen Annes.

Preston Woodall and family have removed to Howell's Point farm as overseer.

Miss Helen Rasin, of Philadelphia, who spent several days the past week at Betterton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lotan Rasin, has returned with her sister, Florence, who will spend a week with her sister, Mrs. Oscar Wilmer at Philadelphia.

Oscar Comegys, bookkeeper in The People's Bank has been quite sick for several days at the home of his parents, near Kennedyville.

Earle Willis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Willis, has been quite sick the past week.

Mrs. J. Webster McIntire is the guest of relatives and friends in Philadelphia and New Jersey.

Mrs. M. E. Newsome visited relatives at Chester on Friday last.

Mrs. Hiram E. Pearson, of Baltimore, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Willis.

Mrs. Ward Smith, of Wilmington, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ada Duyer.

Mrs. H. C. D. Wilkisqn and son, of Baltimore, spent several days last week the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barnes.

Miss Dora McIntire, of Philadelphia, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Webster McIntire.

Miss Jane Miller has been visiting her mother at "Sunnybrook" farm during the holidays.

Miss Helen Duyer is the guest of her aunt in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Needles were given a shower by their young friends Tuesday. They were the recipients of many useful gifts.

Miss Lillian Stant, of Centreville, accompanied by fourteen other Eastern Shore employes of the Chesapeake & Potomas Telephone Company, left Friday morning for Washington, where they will be employed by the same company. The other members of the party from Queen Anne's are Miss Della McNamee, of Queenstown, and Miss Edith Rickards, of Queen Anne.

Capt. and Mrs. Perry, near St. Paul's, on New Year's Day entertained a lot of relatives and friends. A big turkey dinner was served and for desert the old-time plum pudding and mince pies was served. Little Louise Perry played some patriotic songs on the instrument. It was a grand treat.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Oglesbey have moved to house on Cannon street vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hudson.

W. A. Pote and family have moved to Newport, Del., and R. Price Kenton and family, of Dover, have moved in the Stuart house vacated by Mr. Pote.

Mrs. Wm. F. Russell, Jr., and infant son left this week for Birmingham, Ala., her former home, to spend the remainder of the winter with her mother.

Mrs. John Brown has moved to Chestertown and is occupying a house on College avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holdson entertained the members of the Bible class of Christ M. P. Church at their home on High street Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Emma L. Cranor is quite sick at her home on Maple avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Howard left this week for Cristobal, Canal Zone, to visit their daughter, Mrs. C. Kent Lambert.

Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Gardner, of Round Lake, N. Y., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shirley at their new home near Rees' Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hudson have moved to the home recently purchased by them on Mill street vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Crossley, who go to the Frazier house.

**David Clements, of Crumpton, has purchased from J. H. Clendaniel, Jr., 15 Overland automobiles.

Cards have been received from Mrs. C. Lloyd Parks, formerly Miss Pearl Taylor, of Kent, who is spending the winter in Miami, Fla., that on Jan. 3 the weather was 80 degrees in the shade.

D. Russell Downey left Rock Hall this week for the Picatinny Arsenal, Dover. New Jersey, where he has accepted a responsible position and will make his future home.

W. H. Minner and wife spent Xmas with their daughter, Mrs. J. F. Shahan, near Millington. Mr. Minner returned to Newark, N. J., and will hold his old position until spring when they expect to build a home in Millington having bought a choice lot from Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hurtt on Hurtt avenue. After being a patient in Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia, Mrs. Minner is much improved and will spend sometime with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Davis.

Raymond O. Brinsfield, of the B. C. A. Co. steamer Joppa, was home for the holidays.

Capt. George H. Brinsfield and Chief Engineer Elmer Batchelor, of C. W. Kibler & Son's yacht Kent, are home for the winter months.

Thomas A. White, the faithful janitor at Elementary School has been confined to his home by sickness this week. On account of his absence the school was not heated for two mornings this week.

Mrs. Robert Smith was stricken by sickness Monday but is now able to be down stairs but far from well.

Mrs. S. F. Smith was taken quite sick at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ollie Estes, Thursday evening.

Harry Christopher's brother, Norman, was run into by an express train at Federalsburg Wednesday and badly injured. He was driving across the track in his auto and failed to hear the train.

A card from Walter Wright written the day before his father's death stated that he was enjoying the trip and that he had been to see the great game between Harvard and Oregon. He says "it is one lovely garden spot."

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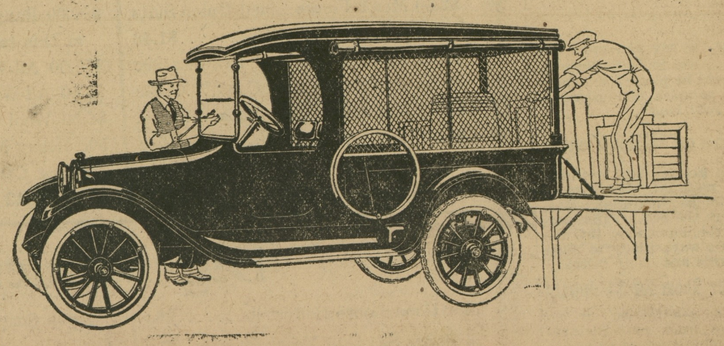

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