LOCAL NOTES

The ground hog did not see his shadow Monday so there is prospect of good weather.

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The lecture by Prof. Vautier at the Chestertown High School was much enjoyed by a fair audience Monday evening. His next visit will be on the first Monday in April.

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D. W. Ingersoll lost a big gobbler one day last week by a piece of iron falling on his neck and killing him almost instantly.

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There have been 15 cars loaded with corn shipped from Kent county this season. Heretofore the number has been about 50. This is proof of the short crop.

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There will be a Tuberculosis clinic for known tuberculosis cases, contacts and suspects in the Health Center, Chestertown, Monday, February 9th, 10.30 a. m.

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The Fairlee minstrels have been delighting the people of that town and elsewhere. The company consists of Interlector, William Stokes; A. S. Stouffer and G. Anmell, end men; circle, G. L. Barnes, Samuel Elburn, Harrison Haman, Johnny Scott, Leonard Stouffer.

Charles H. Thurber, of Norwood, Pa., has purchased the Edwin Chrisfield farm of 120 acres, near Galena, at private sale, and his father-in-law, Walter M. King, is tenanting the place.

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The following Chestertown High School students submitted stories in the National Meat Story Contest conducted during the spring of 1924 by the National Live Stock and Meat Board: Elizabeth H. Richardson, Anna Rosin, Laura J. Rees, Audrey Sard, Henrietta Wallis, Anne B. Welch, Grace Bramble, Maryland Bryan and Elizabeth Dukes, of the Chestertown High School.

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The News in its issue of November 30th, 1889, says, "Mr. Robert Wickes, of the Island, brought to town Tuesday a number of wild geese, swan and ducks. The best of the latter were readily sold at good prices, while it took several days to dispose of all the swan and geese."

Dance at Firemen's Hall, Chestertown, next Saturday night, February 14. Benefit of Volunteer Fire Co.

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Four lambs from one ewe were born one night this week from the flock of Thomas Bryan, near Chestertown, Two of the lambs are still living and doing well.

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The Bramble Poultry Farm, near Chestertown, had 4000 chicks hatched out this week. They were all sold for outside parties and sent away by parcel post. Mr. Polk Bramble, the proprietor, says he expects a hatch every week. And they have sold the hatch for several weeks ahead.

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The muskrat market in Chestertown is soaring. Winnie Powell's son made a big haul on the treasury Saturday when he delivered 150 hides for which he was paid $225.

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Wm. M. Slay and R. Hynson Rogers, Esqs., were handed a check for $26,000 a few days ago for the sale of the Grollman farms near Worton Point by The Hartlove Packing Co., of Baltimore. This company will run the cannery on these farms this year.

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The rearrangement of the Chestertown postoffice interior was made on Monday night by Postmaster Bennett and his force, together with Messrs. Wm. Duyer, Harvey Blyman and Eli Elliott, carpenters. The change was completed at 2 a. m. Tuesday and the public admitted thru the new entrance without any inconvenience to the public. The mail will be received thru the door in the northwest side. It looks now as if the entrance door will have to be enlarged if satisfaction is to be had by the public.

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A representative of the Near East Relief will occupy the pulpit in Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown, next Sunday morning, for the purpose of presenting the conditions among the people of that section of the world as he has observed them from actual contact.

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School Attendance Officer Mrs. Beck, wishes to correct an error in last week's issue as to the per centage of Betterton School. Instead of 63 3-10 per cent, the rating should be 83 3-10.

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Warning is given to farmers in sections where the corn borer is found to burn all stalks and stubble, to prevent damage to next year's crop. The borer hibernates in the stalks.

Ash Wednesday will be observed on March 4th. Easter Sunday falls on April 12th.

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Gasoline was advanced 2 cents a gallon and is now retailing at 23 cents, a total increase of 7 cents a gallon since January 15th.

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Edward Blackway made a run of 228 points in duck pins in a game played on the Chestertown alleys on Tuesday night. This is said to be the record for Kent county.

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The Chestertown High School basket ball team defeated Sudlersville Saturday evening.

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James B. Dunn preferred charges against some of Kent's lawyers for conduct unbecoming an attorney. A hearing was held this week in Baltimore and the case dismissed.

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Ernest A. Howard, of Elkton, a former teacher who is now assistant secretary at the duPont offices in Wilmington, won the first prize of $500 in the recent crossword puzzle contest conducted by the Philadelphia Public Ledger. Mr. Howard is a graduate of Washington College.

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Chestertown bowlers won from Centreville on the local alleys Monday evening. There were five games played. The totals were: Smith, 693; Blackway, 601; Robinson, 749; Lecates, 667; Meekins, 760. Centreville, Brown, 630; Mears, 611; Fisher, 556; Hunter, 665; Cannon, 617: Chestertown won by 508 points.

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Don't forget the big Firemen's Supper to be given next Thursday evening. The armory has been engaged in which to have the supper so that there will be plenty of room for everyone. Tickets are $1.

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The court has ruled that the trust estate of Hiram G. Dudley, Jr., is not spendthrift trust and must go in to his bankrupt estate. If decision stands creditors may get dollar for dollar from estate inherited from his father.

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P. V. Hendrickson lost a fine pair twin lambs this week. The past month has been hard on lambs.

Newsome's Garage, Betterton, has an advertisement for the Chevrolet Automobile in this issue. Mr. Newsome is well-known in Kent and knows a good car. See him before buying.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. Thomas B. Willson, who has been spending the early winter with her daughter, Mrs. Maude Willson Miller. in Baltimore, is now registered at the Chalfonte Hotel, Atlantic City. Mrs. Miller accompanied her mother there.

Charles Henry Gill has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gill and is making himself heard.

S. Wills Lusby, one of Cecil county's leading men and a large farm owner in the First district, was admitted to Union Hospital, Elkton, for treatment. Several days ago, Mr. Lusby tried to help a neighbor push a truck, which had stalled on the road near Cecilton, when the machine slipped back knocked him down one of the wheels resting on his breast and one leg was badly wrenched.

Mrs. Wm. Walter Chapman entertained a large company Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Claude Truslow.

Prof. F. H. Hart addressed the Parent-Teacher Association in Chestertown Thursday afternoon.

W. W. Hubbard slipped on the icy walk at his home on Water street last Friday and broke a small bone in his wrist. Drs. Whaland and Simpers gave temporary relief and Mr. Hubbard returned to Washington on Saturday for further treatment.

The condition of Mrs. Henry B. Freeny, who was injured in the accident at Delmar in which her father, Hon. James E. Ellegood, was killed, is reported as being satisfactory and that she will be able to leave the Hospital in a week.

Professor Mark Creasy, principal of the high school, who had been in Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, during the past month for special treatment, returned to his home here, Saturday, very much improved in health. Professor Creasy will not, however, resume his duties at the school for sometime, during which his classes will be in charge of Professor A. Roy Woodland, of the Washington College faculty, and Edgar Culley, a senior student at the college.

Mrs. Mollie Moody has been confined to her home for a month with the grippe.

Mrs. Hope Blanchfield has been quite sick with neuritis for several weeks.

Rev. W. E. Habbart, of Harrison Street M. E. Church, Wilmington, formerly of Rock Hall, has the mumps His son has just recovered.

Miss Rebecca Kendall, of Wilmington, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Kendall.

Walter Allcutt returned home from Easton Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, Jr., and children, of Locust Grove, were Sunday guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ringgold.

Mrs. Joseph Atwell, of Still Pond, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Crew.

Miss Abigail Atwell was given a miscellaneous shower by the members of the By-Kota Club on Monday evening.

Thomas Massey, who has been under special treatment for several weeks, was able to be at his office on Monday.

Miss May Elliott, of North Carolina, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott, Fairlee.

Preston Walbert, the grandson of James Walbert, is very sick with nervous trouble. They have taken him to Cambridge Hospital for treatment.

Archie Ramage fell on the ice and broke his collar bone at Fairlee.

Frank Barnes is home from the hospital much improved.

Morris Bramble, Jr., entertained the Junior League at his home in Fairlee, on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. E. Pardee very handsomely entertained the Philadelphia Chapter of the Washington College Alumni Association in their home on the Lake Shore Drive, Collinswood, N. J., on Saturday evening, January 31st. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. John I. Coulbourne, Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Van T. Jester, Harry Pringle Ford, William J. Bratten, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Tull, Miss Maude O. Hickman, Miss Mary Benton, Mrs. Lillian Benton Price and a number of others. The large cross-word puzzle contained many words familiar to Washington Collegians. The first prize was won by Rudolph Tull, and the second by Miss Hickman. The evening was spent with old songs and many other forms of amusement. Bountiful refreshments, served on beautifully decorated tables, closed a most delightful evening.

WHEAT PRICES

Here are the prices received for wheat for the years named:

1843, 95c; 1844, 98c; 1845, 97c; 1846, $1; 1848, 90c; 1849, $1.10; 1850, 95c; 1853, $1.50; 1854, $2; 1855, $1.53; 1856, $1.63; 1860, $1.63; 1863, $2.10; 1865, $3; 1866, $3.10; 1867, $2.50; 1868, $2.90; 1872, $2; 1874, $1.30; 1876, $1.28; 1878, $1.

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The Junior Order will hold a Lincoln Day celebration next Thursday evening. A celebration will be held at Janes M. E. Church with address by Dr. J. H. Nutter.

At the chapel exercises held at Washington College Thursday morning a musical program was presented by Miss Louise Russell. Those taking part were Mrs. Fred. G. Usilton, Miss Elizabeth Covey, Messrs. Norman Graves and Daniel Hall and Miss Russell. The program was made up of selections on the piano, violin and vocal.

The Young Men's Club of Christ M. P. Church will hold a benefit lecture in the church Monday, Feb. 16, the proceeds of which will be donated to the Aged People's Home in Westminster. The committee arranging the lecture comprise Geo. W. French, A. R. Woodland, W. R. Huey, R. F. Elburn, C. F. Wheatley, C. C. Jones and A. E. Culver. The lecturer will be Dr. Daeger, of the Reformed Episcopal Church, Philadelphia. A man widely known for his wit and humor. An offering at the door will be the admission.

W. MD. HONOR GRADUATES

The golden anniversary of the graduation of the Rev. T. H. Lewis, former president of Western Maryland College, who is one of the three surviving members of the class of 1875, celebrated by the Western Maryland College Alumni Association last night at the Hotel Emerson with a banquet and entertainment.

The association planned the banquet as a surprise. While Dr. Lewis was the principal guest of honor, the other two members of the class of '75, George W. Devilbiss of Stuart Town, Pa., and Mrs. Ida Prettyman, of Galena, Md., were guests at the same time celebrated the silver anniversary of members of the class of 1900 and adopted formally the graduating class of this year. Among the speakers were Dr. Lewis and Dr. A. Norman Ward, present president of the college, and J. Roger Whiteford, president of the alumni association.

STEAM BLASTS FOR SNOW

The Pennsylvania Railroad, which occupies such a dominant position in Delmarvia Peninsula transportation, is experimenting with a new snow remover. Instead of using the old plow, it is blowing snow off the tracks by steam.

The new device has been perfected by two of the railroad's employes. It consists principally of a system of pipes and nozzles attached to the locomotive. Hot steam is blown thru it, melting the snow and clearing it at the same time from rails and ties.

The thing holds such possibilities for the Delaware husband that it is sincerely hoped it works.

Think of some day being able to point some kind of hose contraption at a snow-covered walk, pressing a button and letting science do the work of the snow shovel!

WEDDING NOTES

The wedding of Miss Laura Lusby Nicholson, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Nicholson, to John C. Smith, Jr., of near Chestertown, took place Saturday evening in Galena, Rev. A. P. Prettyman officiating.

Cards are out announcing the marriage on January 17th, of Aubrey Cannon Smoot, of the University of Maryland, son of Rev. T. Smoot, to Miss Eleanor Virginia Norris, at Fullerton, Md.

At the minister's home, Galena, on January 31st, 1925, by A. P. Prettyman, John Nick and Clara Hellins, both of Burlington, N. J., were united in matrimony.

Miss Nellie Scott, of Chestertown, and Russell L. Starr, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Starr, of Pomona, were married last Friday afternoon at Pomona parsonage by Rev. W. L. McClintock. They will reside at Pomona.

Mrs. Ida Noland announces the marriage of her daughter, Edna Louise to Nicholas Rossi, of Philadelphia.

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—would he continue to sleep in a tub that he carried around all day on his head?

—would he continue to be the crafty cynic that he was in the squeamish days of 383 B. C.?

Many present day philosophers believe that these things, for which Diogenes was so well known, would be even more evident, if he could be on earth now.

It would not be as necessary, however, for him to seek the truth as he once did.

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