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The place is improved by a Comfortable Story and a Half Frame Dwelling, with Outbuildings ample to the needs of the farm. Only a short distance from Tolchester Beach, near Schools and Churches. For terms and further particulars, apply to
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FREDERICK C. DREYER, Sec'y-Treas.
THOS. M. HULINGS, Asst. Secretary.

DEWEY PARK

We will have dances on the following dates:

May 21, June 4 & 18, July 2.

SHALLCROSS & MASSEY.

A COUNTRY STORE.

The young ladies of Shrewsbury Church will hold a COUNTRY TEN-CENT STORE on Shrewsbury Lawn, on FRIDAY, JUNE 20. Ice Cream and Cake will be served. All are cordially invited. J. R.

BOOK NOTICE.

Those parties still having in their possession books of 1801 belonging to the Circulating Library, will please return them at the earliest possible opportunity, to Dr. C. P. Gilpin, 31.

(Mrs.) HELEN KENT SHAW.

County Treasurer's TAX NOTICE!

In pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed at the January Session 1902, Chapter 253, the undersigned Treasurer of Kent County, hereby gives notice that the County Commissioners of said county have levied a tax of 95 cents on the Hundred Dollars, on the taxable property of said county.

Same taxes are due and payable Sept. 1st, 1902, at the office of the County Treasurer, in Chestertown, at which place and time the State Tax of 17 cents on the Hundred Dollars is also due and payable.

Persons desiring a statement of their taxes may receive same by applying at the Treasurer's office.

JESSE R. COPPER,
Treasurer.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad Co.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors of this Company, adopted at a meeting held on the fourth day of June, 1902, and conformable to the authority conferred by, and the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, approved March 20, 1902, entitled,

"An Act to authorize the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad Company to change the northern terminus of its railroad from the present point on the boundary line between this State and the State of Delaware, to the point of intersection with the Town-Clerk Branch of the Delaware Railroad Company; to discontinue operation of and abandon the small portion of its railroad between said points; and to lease so much of the line, either or both, the remainder of its railroad and property, and franchises exercisable in connection therewith, to the Delaware Bay Railroad Company; and to authorize the Delaware Railroad Company to become lessee or purchaser thereof."

A special meeting of the Stockholders of the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad Company is called to meet at the office of the Company, in Chestertown, Maryland, on WEDNESDAY, the TWENTY-FIFTH day of JUNE, 1902, at 10 o'clock A. M., to consider and determine in the manner provided by said Act, the question of changing the northern terminus of this company's railroad, and discontinuing and abandoning the operation of the small portion thereof between the northern terminus and the point of intersection with the Town-Clerk Branch of the Delaware Railroad Company; and the lease of the line, and the property and franchises exercisable in connection therewith, to the Delaware Bay Railroad Company; and to authorize the Delaware Railroad Company to become lessee or purchaser thereof.

J. C. ROGERS, Secretary.

Clinker Built Cedar Skiff For Sale.

A 70' clinker-built CEDAR PLEASURE SKIFF, in excellent condition, for sale at a bargain. The boat was built on the Great Lakes, is of the finest cedar and has been painted and carefully used. One of the most delightful pleasure boats in Chestertown. Also a KODAK in perfect condition.

m31-tf. L. WETHERED BARROLL.

AT PRIVATE SALE.

I have for sale the residence of B. N. S. Wilkins on Front street in Chestertown, Maryland. There is a DWELLING, STABLE, SUMMER KITCHEN, SHEDS, etc., connected with the premises. All buildings are nearly new, in excellent condition, and offer a desirable home to anyone wishing to locate in one of the best parts of Chestertown. I desire the most residence of Joseph N. Wheatley, and fronts on the water-lots recently purchased by William W. Beck, Esq., and Mr. Allan A. Harris on which two fine dwellings will shortly be erected. The house commands a view of 4 or 5 miles on Chester River, and is altogether most pleasantly and desirably situated. Shade, newly painted, and in excellent condition. Terms—\$2,000, of which only \$500 need be paid in cash and the residue in small installments to suit the purchaser.

HOE H. BARROLL, Att'y at Law.

FOR RENT.

The OFFICE in the TRANSCRIPT Building, recently occupied by the late E. F. Perkins.

The Large STORE ROOM now occupied by Mr. John H. Simpson, opposite St. Paul's.

A COMFORTABLE 6-ROOM HOUSE, with garden, on Riverside Terrace.

M. WILBER THOMAS, Agent.

MEETING OF INCORPORATORS.

A meeting of the incorporators of the Kent & Cecil Light, Power & Railway Company will be held at Chestertown

SATURDAY, THE 21 DAY OF JUNE, 1902,

at the Office of W. B. Usilton's Sons, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of organizing under the laws passed by the General Assembly of Maryland, and take all other steps that may be necessary to put such Act and Charter in practical operation.

WILMER EMORY AND OTHERS,
INCORPORATORS.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION,

Kent County, Md.

School Building, Chestertown,

THURSDAY, JUNE 26, 1902.

Every teacher is requested to prepare for the meeting. Teachers designated will give five-minute talks on subjects assigned.

MOVING SESSION—10 to 12:30 o'clock.

OPENING EXERCISES.

"Sun of My Soul"—Page 28..... Association

Essay.....Sophie Miller

Annie Laurie—Page 8.....Association

Which is the greater evil promoting too slowly or promoting too rapidly?.....Bertha Miller

Which of the two is the more common evil in our school?.....Nellie Pearce, M. Catherine Weer.

Give your views on the subject of marking examinations papers.....Julia M. Burching

Arts and Crafts.....Emma F. Davis, Nellie Hersch

Should the Third Grade have oral or written examinations?.....Fannie E. Stuart, Clara V. Middleton

America—page 4.....Association

Do circumstances ever justify the promotion of a student when he fails in his examination?.....Clara W. Staats, Mary R. Camp

Give your views of the feature of the New Course of Study which makes the number of grades seven for schools with one teacher, Laura Thomas, Jeannette Gooding.

QUERIES ANSWERED.

The Star-Spangled Banner—page 2, Association

Review of Year's Work.....Association

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Home, Sweet Home—page 1.....Association

Adjournment.....Association

JOSEPH PETERSON,
President.

FINE BASE BALL.

Some Fine Ball on the Local Diamond Last Week.

There was a most unsatisfactory ending on Friday, May 30, to a very brilliant game of base ball that took place on the campus of Washington College between the team of the college and that of the deaf mutes from Gallaudet. For nine innings better base ball is seldom seen on professional fields. The score was 1 to 1 at the close of the 9th, and there had not been one slow minute in the whole game. Powell, of W. C. and Rosson, of Gallaudet, pitchers for their respective teams, were doing magnificent twirling, and both seemed invincible. The visitors scored first in the 4th inning but could not increase their lead, and in the 8th W. C. evened up matters. The ninth resulted in blanks for both sides. In the 10th Gallaudet seemed to have won the game by scoring two runs by good hitting. But when W. C. filled the bases in her half with no one out, excitement was at 'high-water mark. Burris, the old reliable, stepped to the plate, picked out a nice safe place and drove a beautiful hit into left field. Every body ran, and every home college boy on the field lost his head. They shouted, threw up their hats, and much to be regretted, surged around the base runners as they were attempting to come home. Gallaudet began throwing the ball to catch everybody. Every base runner was between bases in their eagerness to score. Every body was yelling, and in the mix-up it was almost impossible to tell what was done. The umpire, however, who is supposed to see things, and whose judgment is supposed to be taken in the matter, decided every body safe on bases and two runs scored; consequently the score was tied. Gallaudet kicked and left the field, claiming that Jefferson, who scored the run that tied, was out on account of interference by the crowd and that Massey was touched out while off his base. The umpire said nay. The mutes refused to play and left the field, much to the regret of the large crowd. While it is to be lamented that the W. C. boys did not control themselves better, still their actions did not prevent any play from being made whereby any of the home men could have been retired. They simply lost control of themselves, and it is safe to say they will keep a sharper lookout on themselves in the future. The score by innings was:

Gallaudet 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2-3

Washington 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2-3

Hits, W. C. 5; Gallaudet, 5. Errors, W. C. 3; Gallaudet, 2. Struck out, W. C. 10; Gallaudet, 6. Umpire, H. W. Vickers, Jr.

The same teams played again the next day, Saturday, but the game was not attended by any of the excitement of the previous one.

Burris was in the box for the home team and in five innings had held the silent men down to two hits, both bunts, and struck out eight of his opponents, a remarkable record. They simply could not touch him, and the game was decided in almost the first inning. The field work of W. C. was very poor, nine errors being charged up to them, but their batting made up for their loose play in the field. The first pitcher for the mutes was soon made to give up the place as a bad job, and the second was not treated much better. Only five innings of this game were played as the Gallaudets had to leave to catch a Tolchester boat. They could have played one or two innings more but they did not care to take chances of being left. The score by innings was:

Washington 2 1 3 2 0-8

Gallaudet 0 0 1 0 3-4

Hits, W. C. 8; Gallaudet, 2. Errors, W. C. 9; Gallaudet, 3. Struck out, W. C. 2; Gallaudet, 8. Umpire, Prof. Clarke, of W. C.

A MILITARY FEATURE.

Washington College Considering the Introduction of the Change.

The board of visitors and governors of Washington College is considering the introduction of the military feature in the college. President Reid some months ago was asked whether or not the college would like to have a military instructor from Washington. The matter is being considered by the college authorities. Dr. Reid will go to Washington to get specific details, after which a final decision will be reached. The introduction of this feature would mean full instruction in military tactics and a regular uniform for the students.

The college has a beautiful campus for drills and is in every way provided for the successful introduction of the military feature. Doubtless the adding of the drill and uniform to the other attractions offered by Washington College as an educational institution, would attract a largely increased number of students.

ROAD IMPROVEMENT.

Experimental Road Work to Commence as Soon as Harvest is Over.

The proposed work on the experimental piece of public road in Queen Anne, will commence as soon as the busy work of harvest is over. Mr. A. N. Johnson, engineer of the Maryland Geological Survey, met Mr. W. Irving Walker in Chestertown on Monday and spent the afternoon in examining the stretch of road which has been selected for treatment by the most modern and improved methods in permanent road building.

This road presents two distinct problems in road construction—the treatment of a heavy clay soil on one section and of a light sandy soil on the other. The clay portion, Mr. Johnson states, will have to be underdrained as thoroughly as possible; the open ditches at the sides will aid much toward this end. For this part of the road an eight inch layer of slag is recommended. The sandy section requires no attention as to drainage. If half of the road were covered with clay, making a fairly good dry-weather road, much of the inconvenience now experienced would be overcome. A light coating of slag would form a durable and hard surface. Oyster shells also form an excellent treatment for sandy roads, but owing to the rapid wear and present high price, are not as economical as a surface of slag, although its first cost is twice that of shells.

A number of deposits of gravel were examined by Mr. Johnson, but in his opinion none of them are suitable for road-making.

In the evening a number of farmers met Mr. Johnson and organized into a committee composed of W. Irving Walker, chairman; James T. Anthony, sec'y; George H. Snitcher, Harry Skipper, S. R. Harlock, H. H. Klinefelter and Albert Story, to carry out the plans of the Highway Engineer in the work to be undertaken. Tuesday Mr. Johnson appeared before the board of commissioners of Queen Anne, and will proceed upon their authority and direction towards getting the work begun at the earliest date possible, having in mind the convenience of the farmers and those who are to supply the common labor.

Slag secured from the steel works at Sparrow's Point will be used. The material will be brought to Chestertown in large scows.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Building Operations Throughout the County Active.

It is stated that Capt. Andrew woodall has contracted with Mr. Warner, a builder of Warwick, Delaware, for the building of a big warehouse and granary on the site of the building recently destroyed by fire. The wreckage has been entirely cleared away and work will commence at an early date. The new building will be erected on the foundation of the old warehouse and granary.

Rev. E. C. Makosky, pastor of St. James and Lynch's M. P. Churches, has contracted with Messrs. Staveley & Bowers for the erection of the new \$20,000 church at Lynch's to take the place of the one recently destroyed by fire. The same builders will make the about \$2,500 repairs to St. James. The work on both churches will commence about July 1.

Contractor Culp has the foundations laid and the work well under way on the new depot buildings at Lambsons and Kennedyville.

Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard is about completing the removal of dirt from the big basement of his new building. About 1800 loads of earth were moved. He expects to have five bricklayers at work on the building on Monday. Three of the men will be from Baltimore.

Mr. H. S. Barnett, the Chestertown brick man, is enjoying an almost unprecedented boom. In addition to supplying the bricks for the new school building, the new residence of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Reed, and other new work, he is now delivering the bricks for the new Hubbard Building and the new depots along the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad.

Heavy Loss of Hay.—Mr. Walter T. Morris suffered the loss of about fifteen acres of hay on Saturday afternoon. This, one of the finest clover fields in the county, lay along the railroad track; a spark from the noon train on the railroad fired the stubble, and fully fifteen acres of the fine grass was practically ruined. In addition to the injury to the hay, a fine set of timothy was destroyed. Mr. Morris was not at home at the time or else the fire could have been easily smothered out by running a roller over it. The fire ate its way along in the dry stubble under the fine growth of clover, destroying all but the main stem of the plant, this Mr. Morris saved by promptly mowing.

WITH THE FARMERS.

The Cut Worm Doing Considerable Damage To Tomato Plants.

From different sections of the county reports are received of great damage to tomato patches by the cut worm. One farmer planted out two peach baskets of plants and on the following morning not a plant was left standing.

One field of corn on the Woodall farm tenanted by Mr. L. C. Hayes was so badly cut that it was thought better to plant it over again. Mr. James Thompson, near Galena, and Mr. H. C. Powell suffered almost as heavily from the cut worm.

One Queen Anne farmer has plowed his wheat field and planted it in corn, the wheat not being considered worth the cutting.

Mr. Samuel Newcomb, a successful and practical farmer, near Worton Station, in discussing the outlook for a crop of wheat said: "In my opinion the crop of this year will be larger and the grain much finer than last year."

Ex-County Commissioner Geo. Hatcherson, is of the opinion that the wheat berry will be of superior quality this year, but does not think the average yield per acre will be equal to that of last year. He says the acreage seeded in wheat last fall has rarely been equalled in the county.

THE FRUIT OUTLOOK.

The June Drop is Now on and the Outlook for a Full Yield Uncertain.

"The June drop" is now on, and until after the twentieth of the present month, when the drop is usually about over, it will be impossible to even approximate the Kent county peach crop of this year.

Mr. James S. Harris, president of the Maryland Horticultural Society, was in Chestertown on Wednesday and stated that the "drop" in the peach orchards is considerable.

All varieties are losing fruit, but on his Elbertas, which have been affected with the leaf-curl, much of the fruit is withering and shriveling and falling from the trees. He thinks the fungus which produced the leaf-curl attacked the fruit and caused it to fall. It is impossible, he thinks, at this time, to form any definite idea as to the fruit crop of this season. A singular thing, he said, is the fact that while the past spring was late and cold, some varieties of cherries are nearly two weeks earlier this year than last.

Mr. John H. O. Stokes, one of the most successful fruit growers in the county, said on Tuesday, that while the bloom was heavy and his fruit trees were well set with fruit, his crop will be materially affected by the "June drop." He complained of the wilting of peaches on his trees. He said that in many cases much of the largest fruit on the trees had shriveled and fallen. He was disposed to think that either the dry weather or the recent cold weather and late frosts are responsible for this unusual affection of the fruit.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture, Climate and Crop Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, Maryland and Delaware Section, week ending Monday, June 1, said:

"Where the fruit crops are spoken of in a general way by the correspondents, favorable comments are the exception rather than the rule. The reports from Garrett, Allegany and Washington counties are nearly all to the effect that the outlook is very unpromising; in the northern central counties conditions are irregular, some good and some bad; in the south, east and southeast prospects are more favorable, and fair to good yields are expected. Apples will probably be a short crop in all localities. Peaches are fairly promising in some of the interior and northern counties. In Garrett county cherries were killed by the frosts; early cherries are generally scarce, although good yields are expected locally; they are now ripening in Harford county. Peaches are dropping some in all districts, but over the eastern section there is plenty young fruit on the trees."

Continuing, the report says: "Early wheat ranges in condition from poor to good, while the late wheat is everywhere reported to be unpromising. The straw is generally short; the heads are short in some places, but in others they are as large as is usual during an average season; the fields just in bloom were hurt to some extent by frosts in parts of Harford and Cecil counties. Grass has made a fresh start in some of the western and southern counties, where both meadows and pastures show considerable improvement over the condition of ten days ago, but elsewhere more rain is needed; the hay crop has already been irretrievably reduced in this section. Clover has already made a fair yield in some of the southern counties, and will be ready to cut farther north within a few days; the prospects in the latter districts are not very encouraging."

Thigh Broken.—The 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hudson, in Quarry Neck, fell from a cherry tree on Thursday, breaking the bone of his thigh. Dr. J. A. Catlin was called in and reduced the fracture. The little fellow was doing nicely at the hour of going to press yesterday evening.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Rev. J. L. Elderdice, pastor of Wesley and Kesley Chapels, will attend the commencement exercises at Western Maryland College. Mr. Elderdice's sister, Miss Alice M. Elderdice, of Wicomico County, and his cousin, Mr. Irvin Elderdice, of Baltimore, have been guests at the parsonage.

Miss Grace Sunfield, of Dover, has been visiting friends in town.

Mrs. George E. Lambert spent several days last week in Baltimore.

Mr. Woodall Jones, of Cecilton, is clerking for J. E. Ferguson & Co.

Miss Rosa Rasin, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of Mrs. S. P. Smith.

Mrs. Ella Orem and Mrs. L. Orem, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Smith.

Mrs. Harry Rickey is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Wheatley.

Mr. Thomas Skipper, of Bedford, Massachusetts, has been the guest of his son, Mr. H. P. Skipper, on the banks of the Chesapeake.

Miss Mary Steel, of Galena, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Pleasanton, Chestertown.

Mr. Charles B. Dodd, of Baltimore, injured his hand while at work feeding a press and is at home.

Mr. H. Staunton Brown, of New York, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Brown, on Queen street.

Conductor John D. Welch, who has been suffering with his injured foot, is again able to be at his post on the Kent train.

Judge James A. Pearce has been elected one of the vice-presidents of the Civil Service Reform Association of Maryland.

Miss Mildred Crawford, of Kent county, was one of the graduates of the State Normal School, at its commencement last Thursday.

Mr. Edgar Ford, of Wilmington, spent several days last week in town. Mr. Ford is a skilled musician and assisted the M. E. Sabbath school orchestra at the Children's Day service on Sunday evening.

Marion deK. Smith, Esq., and wife, attended the commencement exercises of Miss Somers' School for Young Ladies, in Washington, D. C., last week. Their daughter, Miss Anna, is a student at this school.

Rev. and Mrs. I. Ryder, of Chesterville, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Lottie, to Mr. Alexander H. Key of Branford, Florida. The ceremony will take place July 9.

Messrs. Roy Prettyman, William Steel, Jr., Hanson Horsey, Robert Miller and Eddie Cannon, of Galena, witnessed the game of baseball between the Middletown, Delaware, team, and the Chicago Stars, a team composed entirely of young ladies. From Kennedyville were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Redmiles, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Redmiles, W. M. Clendaniel, Robert Herbert and Harry Kennedy, and W. E. Sanders. The girls defeated the young men by one run, the score being 15 to 14. The Galena boys say the girls "put up fast ball." The game was played at Middletown on Wednesday.

Miss Irma Eliason is at home from school for the summer.

Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Perkins, of Philadelphia, are guests of Capt. R. S. Emory.

Mrs. W. S. Culp is visiting her brother, Mr. Milton Melvin.

Miss Annie Foxwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Foxwell, is extremely ill at her home.

President Roosevelt has sent to the Senate the nomination of Dr. Charles Clarence Billingslee, of Westminster, to be a contract surgeon in the regular army. Dr. Billingslee married Miss Mabel Graham, daughter of Dr. Walter R. Graham. He is now surgeon in the Philippines. Mrs. Billingslee is at the home of her parents in Easton.

Miss Annie Brice, who last year went to Colorado for her health, now weighs 170 pounds and is apparently well. Miss Brice has sent home to her sister, Mrs. Whelan, six rattles taken from a large rattler which she came near stepping on while out walking. Miss Brice killed the big snake herself.

Mr. Foster Perkins and Mr. Shelmerdine, of Germantown, Pa., spent Saturday and Sunday in Chestertown.

Miss Spaulding, representing the Watson Children's Aid Society, spent several days of the past week in Kent visiting the children who have been placed in homes in the county by the society.

Undertaker John N. Dodd, after having been confined to his bed for several days, is again able to be out.

Mrs. William Steel, of Galena, has returned from a pleasant visit to her sister in Wilmington.

Rev. Albert Ware and Miss Lelia Ware, will sail for Europe on 12th inst. for a several months stay in England and elsewhere. This will be Miss Ware's first visit to the native land of her father.

Tolchester Open.

Tolchester Beach opened for the season on Monday under auspices which seemed to promise for the popular resort a season as prosperous as any of those which it has ever enjoyed.

The Louise, looking very handsome in her hunting and paint, brought down a large crowd and the crowd enjoyed itself as every crowd has done that has ever visited Tolchester. The hotel and restaurants have been opened for the season under Superintendent N