The Kent News

CHESTERTOWN, MD., - - AUGUST 18 1894.

SPRINKLING hogs with carbolic is recommended for hog cholera.

CRACKED CORN has been sold at 65 cents per bushel this week.

THE carousal at Tolchester, run by Paul Paesler, has been sold to Mr. Wm. A. Potts for $9,000.

Two carloads of white corn were shipped from this county last week, one from Hepbron's and one from Lynch's Station. It is a very scarce article in Chestertown.

THIEVING.—Thieves effected an entrance into the station house at Lambson's Thursday night and stole therefrom several boxes of cigars, tobacco, a lot of meat and other things.

TOMMY, the corn doctor, was convicted of drunkenness and vagrancy at Worton Station Thursday and was taken to the House of Correction yesterday by Constable Dayer, Justice Beck sending him up for six months.

SPECIAL attention is called to the article in another column on fertilizers by Messrs. Beck & Walker. A test of their goods recently showed a commercial value actually from one to two dollars per ton higher than they sold them for.

UPSET THE DARKEY.—Mr. Wm. Shinn accidently ran into a colored woman a short time ago while riding his bicycle and injured her arm. There were two women walking in the road and they parted as if intending Will to go between, but just as he got close to them they walked side by side and it was impossible to avoid running into them.

CANOE UPSET.—Mr. N. Tip Slee, of Baltimore, and frequent visitor to Mr. Robert Bogle, was capsized in his canoe "Dauntless" a few days ago. As the boat turned in Curtis' bay a heavy squall struck the boat and broke the mast off short and capsized the canoe. The occupants managed to get upon the bottom of the upturned boat and were taken off by a passing boat. Mr. Slee lost a new suit of clothes, his pocket book and a gold watch, which went to "the bottom of the sea."

SAVED BY A COOL HEAD.—Mr. Wm. Vansant came to town Saturday in a two seat carriage driving a colt and a quiet mare. He started out for a drive accompanied by Mrs. Orem and Mr. C. S. Smith's two children. When near the Bethel A. M. E. Church the colt shied, the trace came undone, the pole broke and the young horse commenced kicking. Mr. Vansant kept his head cool and had his horses under control in a little while.

IN A DANGEROUS PLACE.—Mr. John Matthews, an employe of the Chestertown Strawboard mill, met with an accident Tuesday. A belt attached to a certain piece of machinery was known by Mr. M. only to run during the night, and without a thought as to the danger, he had leaned against it. The belt happened to be in motion and tossed Mr. M. in the air like a ball. Fortunately he came down feet foremost and was not hurt other than receiving a severe jarring. Dr. Hines attended him.

A Welcome Shower!

Lightning Accompanies the Rain and Does Damage.

Chestertown and vicinity was visited by a most welcome shower of rain Wednesday evening. The rain came down in torrents for nearly an hour and flooded the streets. Mr. D. A. Bacchus says it was higher at his corner than he has ever seen it and the crossing at Stam's was also run over. Col. Howard declares that more water was on our streets than has ever been known. A singular fiery brightness flashed from one section of the cloud immediately over Chestertown, as it was passing from North to South, while the lightning seemed to play in the clear sky lining the advance. The fall of water was nearly two inches. This will be good in the county, all of which were nearly dry, were filled quicker than ever before known. Mr. John Brice says he had hardly two inches in his mill, and this forty minutes downpour raised the pond to six feet!

The lightning struck Mr. Emory Crouch's house in Quaker Neck. When the storm commenced the store was deserted and Mr. Crouch joined his family in his sitting room. The lightning struck the comb of the house, entered the store-room and knocked some plaster off, then going in several directions and frightened the inmates considerable. Mr. Crouch was insured in H. L. Boyd's company and his loss is fully covered.

The stack yard on the farm of Mr. Sam'l J. Hill near Locust Grove was struck by the lightning and entirely destroyed.

Cyclists In a Storm!

A squadron of wheelmen consisting of Messrs. Harry Hickey, W. W. Chapman, Cyrus G. Howard, Edw. Lambert, Wm. E. Moody, John Toulson, Frank Smith, Rudolph Stam and the Junior editor of the NEWS, enjoyed a pleasant run to Tolchester Wednesday afternoon and took supper at the hotel. The start home was made at 8 o'clock, a dark cloud hovering over us all the way. Fairlee was safely reached in about twenty-five minutes, but after this place was passed it was difficult to keep the road and several of the young riders were well "played." They jumped off near Mr. A. L. Corey's gate, where the road is as level as possible, remarking "I'm tired, I'm going to walk up this hill!" Rudolph says "Me too," and the boys dismounted. The "Old Man" fell, and we came tumbling over him, but no serious damage was felt. Ned was ahead, and as he cautiously rode along he called out "be careful boys and ride slow." Copper's hill was safely reached, but drops of rain could be felt and plans were made for stopping at the house in the woods. But when this house was reached it was decided to make Mr. Ell Morris' on the Ringgold farm. We did not make it in time and in a heavy downpour of rain, with the road in view only when the lightning flashed, we worked our way to Mr. Morris'. One by one the riders reached the front porch as wet as "drowned rats." The "Old Man" was very much worried about the rheumatism and repeatedly said he knew he would have it the next day. All efforts failed to arouse the inmates of the house and the wheelmen had to crouch down in the doorway whiling the hour away with singing, etc. Ned's favorite song was "Wait till the clouds roll by, Jennie," while we all joined in singing "Come down and open the door, for thy child is wet and sore." Rudolph thought it was midnight, but was well taken care of by his comrades. The storm broke about ten and we commenced making an investigation. The tenant's foreman was found sitting at the window *on guard against tramps*, and the other members of the family were ready to aid him at a moment's notice! We quieted the family's fears and commenced the walk home. First in mud up to the ankle and then on hard bottom, we trudged along by the light of the moon. We reached Fannell's branch and behold, the waters were swollen to an alarming extent! The crowd hesitated for awhile and efforts were made to go around but they were in vain. Cyrus was the first to cross, then Rudolph was carried over, and "Micky" got over by wading. The "Old Man," Ned and the NEWS man were the last to ford the stream. We decided to save our clothes and disrobed in the night air. Ned got half undressed but the air was so cold that he thought it best to keep his garments on. With shoes and stockings in one hand, clothes in the other and the wheel on our back, the waters were entered. Ned commenced the Baptist song "I will enter the deep waters," and sang us safely over. But the "Old Man" got nervous when half way over, slipped off the board and got his shoes and stockings wet. After this river was crossed the road home was easy and the belated crowd of wheelmen arrived in Chestertown a sorry-looking company, about eleven o'clock. Moody stopped at Fairlee and was compelled to walk home after the rain, wading through the streams up to his waist.

EDESVILLE NOTES.

Wednesday night a most delightful rainfall—so refreshing—so much needed.

Rev. W. B. Judefind has just returned to his charge in Baltimore, having spent several weeks at his old home.

D. W. Bates, D. D., is about again, and despite his advanced age and feeble health keeps abreast of the times, and entertains his friends on general topics.

Mr. Thos. J. Elburn with his new wheat-threshing rig, has given entire satisfaction, and looks forward to another season with a hopeful degree of success.

The successful growth of tomatoes by Mr. Geo. T. Cosden will surprise the canners, and it will be in order for them to agreeably surprise him in price.

Mr. —— has a fine water melon patch and it would give Mr. J. E. Hadaway and myself great pleasure to occupy the corner we found, and there devour about a half dozen of the best.

The village and vicinity as reported in your last issue is alive with visitors. It is delightful here, and we notice among the new arrivals, our esteemed friend Miss Maggie B. Wheatley, of Baltimore, at Mrs. J. F. Wheatley's. Miss Maggie is paying her annual visit though she has just arrived home from an extended trip North. To say she was pleased with her northward trip would scarcely express it. In a general way, she told us of embarking with friends on the steamer Essex at Baltimore, Capt. Taylor in command, of whom she speaks in the highest terms for his courtesy and the elegant meals furnished. I have often heard of good meals reaching a man's heart, but this is the first instance when I have found a lady so influenced. Their first stop was at Norfolk, and having to wait several hours, the party took advantage of it; took another steamer for Old Point Comfort, stopped for dinner at Hotel Hygeia, visited Fortress Monroe, Hampton, Indian school and other places of interest, returned to Norfolk, and again boarded the Essex, bound direct for Boston. Time will not efface from memory the delightful experience while making this old ocean trip; she sums it all by saying "its grand." Arrived in Boston, in good health notwithstanding considerable wave-tossing. Spent five days there sight seeing; visited Trinity Church, Public Gardens and the Art Museum. Took a trip over to Cambridge, inspected Harvard University Longfellow's and Lowell's homes and Mt. Auburn Cemetery where so many of the noted men and women are laid such as Artemus Ward, Bishop Philips Brooks, Longfellow, Lowell, Edwin Booth, Fanny Fern and Charlotte Cushman. Then to Newport and enjoyed the Cliff Walk; thence to New York, to Coney Island, to Philadelphia to Atlantic City, thence home to good old Baltimore, more in love with the latter than ever before. Too numerous were the daily incidents for mention in this style, and to which we could listen with great interest for many hours. Says if she could not live in Baltimore she would want to live in Edesville with cousin Mollie, and Mrs. Wheatley says Amen. VILLAGER.

Fairlee Notes.

Mr. Walter F. Sparks, "the machinery king" of Kent county, has just bought a brand new Reeves clover huller, one of the very latest improved machines, having a hulling capacity of 75 bushels per day. Now, he is ready for business in this line, and will start immediately. So let the farmers drop him a postal or call on him if they want clover hulled. He has a saw mill, grist mill, fodder cutter, corn sheller, wheat threshing outfit, windmill, &c.

We recently had a race between a bicycle and a horse running. Also one between the former, and a dog, the bicycle winning in each case.

Mr. Wm. Ramage is home quite sick, having to leave the "Beech" where he was employed on the switch back railroad. A good many are sick around. Lots of people with boils.

Mr. Wm. Ward and family, of Virginia, are visiting his brother, Mr. F. H. Ward.

Miss C. T. Smyth, is visiting her brother, L. J. Smytn, Kennedyville.

Rev. H. Clay Turner, who has been visiting Mr. W. P. Crosby, preached an elegant sermon at Salem last Sunday morning.

Mr. Ward is laying the foundation for his dwelling having turned the one around that is already on his lot, and will unite it to the new building for a kitchen.

Our carpenters are busy at the alms house making extensive repairs, and Mr. W. B. Coleman is also there with his hands full in masonry. WEST END.

Entertainment in Galena.

The musical and dramatical entertainment held in Galena Hall on Tuesday evening the 14th inst. by Mrs. B. Romie McCauley's music class, assisted by friends of able talent was a grand success. It was considered the best performance ever given in a country town by home talent. Great credit is due Mrs. R. McCauley and her able assistant Mr. E. O. Cooper who worked faithfully for it. The house was full, there being between two hundred and fifty and three hundred people present. Many more would have gone in had there been room for them. The program was varied and interesting. Prof. L. R. Metley of "Primrose and West" Philadelphia gave some fine selections from nature, imitating the song of any bird or the cry of any animal. It is hardly for us to judge his abilities since he has met with unparalleled success for the past ten or twelve years in the best theatres in the city. Mr. E. Cooper in his usual attractive manner greatly amused the audience with "Old Uncle Ned" a negro song and dance. Ned is good at anything, especially imitating the darkey. The other three darkey characters were well taken. The music furnished by piano and violin was well rendered. There were several pieces cut from the program, it being organ music and the crowd around the organ rendered it impossible for the performer to get to it. The program included musical selections, drama, tableau, comedies, etc. Those who took part were the following: Mrs. Romie McCauley, Misses Cecelia McCauley, Mary Pennington, Genevieve and Daisy McCauley, Lulu Crow, Katie Jester, Blanche Gray, Estelle Jarman, Astacia McCauley, Theresa Schofield, Messrs. D. J. McCauley, Edw. C. Cooper, Jos. Quinn, L. R. Vansant, Elmer Jarman, Jesse Ireland, John Morgan, Wilson Cochran, and Prof. L. O. Metley, of Philadelphia. It was a very worthy object that the proceeds were donated to and the parties engaged in the affair are to be congratulated upon its success.

Paper Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Schuyler celebrated their paper wedding at Stoneham Hall, New Castle, Del., August 4th, from 7 to 10 P. M. The old colonial mansion, the residence of Mrs. R. B. Taggart, was brilliantly decorated with chinese lanterns. These many colored illuminations hung from the porches, and among the shrubbery, while the fountain in front of the house made the air cool and moist, from its musically dropping water. The wide parlors, with their wainscotted walls, were filled with pictures from the brushes of the "Paper" bride and groom. Around these pictures were wreathes of evergreen; vases of the bright faced flowers of the sun filled the old-fashionod deep seated windows; the fire-place, with its carved wooden mantle, was filled with flowers and evergreens; a mirror of the olden time reflected a paper parasol suspended from the ceiling, ornamented with paper lanterns; the dining room was hung with paper parasols, fans and banners; the refreshments table was trimmed with many colored napkins; also wreathes of ivy and fox-gloves. Mrs. Rachel B. Taggart and Mr. Claude H. Schuyler welcomed the guests, who were received by Mrs. Schuyler in black silk and white lace, paper rosettes; assisted by Miss Estelle May Price, of Philadelphia, pink silk, carnations, and Miss Madge R. Roseberry, of Lacon, Illinois, white silk and ivy. The presents were numerous and apprpriate, consisting of all kinds of stationary, books, fans cards, card pointers, pencils, postal cards, paper money, boxes of useful articles, gifts tied in paper, jewelery, photographs, &c.

HORSE INJURED.—Mr. Joel T. McGinnis, of Crumpton, had a valuable young horse injured last week. The horse was on pasture with other horses which were inclined to fight him. Their attacks upon him drove him over a barbwired fence, which cut the muscles of his foreleg, laying the bone bare.

GALENA NOTES.

Capt. Andrew Woodall's cannery started to can tomatoes on Tuesday last. For a few days they expect to run on half time, after which they expect to run full time. There are a good many hands employed.

The entertainment given in the town hall on Tuesday evening was certainly a grand success, the hall was crowded and there was hardly stand ing room, there being about 350 persons present. Everyone present seemed to be pleased, and for home talent the performance could not be excelled. The door keeper said there were about forty turned off as there was no room for them. Mr. Metley, late of Carncross, Philadelphia, was quite an addition to the performers. Among the funny things that he took part in was to mock birds, fouls and animals of different kinds, and he can do it to perfection.

As the entertainment in the hall was about to close a lady, of Crumpton, met with an accident in going down stairs. She tripped and fell down stairs brusing her arm and side of her face considerably.

The Cemetery Co., had Mr. Blain, civil engineer, of Easton, to lay out and plot their cemetery last week and they are now better prepared to sell grave lots, than they have been as the lots are all numbered and staked off.

Mrs. Simpers, of Elkton, died at the residence of her son-in-law, John R. Howell, near Millington on August 12th, 1894, after a long illness, aged 79 years, and was buried in Elkton cemetery August 14th.

Miss Mollie Sollaway, of Wilmington, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Jas. R. Hicks.

We had a delightful rain here Wednesday night which was badly needed.

The beautiful home of Miss Dora Todd, near Galena, was the scene of a merry party of young folks on Friday evening. The guests, about thirty in number, began to arrive about 8 o'clock, and soon the spacious rooms were resounding with merry laughter. Dancing and games were the order of the occasion, untill the spacious dining room was opened and the guests were invited to partake of the edibles, which consisted of ices, cakes fruits, lemonade. Among the guests present were: Misses Annie Hurlock, Gertie Lloyd, Katie Clark and Irene Ireland, of Wilmington, Maggie Echenhofer, Middletown; Jennie Brice and Alice Thornley, Sassafras; Rhoda Mulford, Lily and Gertie Boyd, Maggie and Mollie Hayes, Galena; Messrs. Harry Mammole, Norman and William Hurlock, Wilmington, W. H. Stewart, Jr., Baltimore; Miss Annie Stewart, Dock Hodson, Charles and Raymond Thornley, Jesse Hartley and Walter Vansant, Sassafras; Walter Pippin, Chestertown; Sam'l Caldwell, Robert Dempsey, John Walls, Archie Biggs and others of Galena.

Social Pleasures.

Quite a pleasant affair occured last Friday afternoon Aug. 10th at the residence of Mr. George W. Moffett, near Masseys. The occasion being to celebrate Mrs. M.'s 60th birthday. About forty persons were present including their six children and seventeen grand-children. Refreshments were served in abundance and all spent a very pleasant afternoon.

Worton young people had an enjoyable straw-ride to Chestertown last Friday night. Mr. George R. Rouse's store was made headquarters for the party where refreshments were served in abundance. The young merchant treated his fellow citizens royally and they left town about 10 P. M., singing merrily. In the party were Misses Annie, Jessie, Maggie and Agnes Cooper, Ida Tarbutton, Minnie Copper, Katie and Maude Parsons, Edna Sheats; Mrs. A. H. Malsberger, of Masseys; Mrs. Frank Beck, Washington; Mrs. Huswell; Messrs. Wm. Bowers, Wilmington; Arthur and Warren Hurlock, Harry Jewell, Frank Rouse, Jr., Charles Crew, George Parsons, George Cooper, Sutton Tarbutton, Frank Beck, Augustus Money, James D. Lucas, Mr. Roane.

A most delightful dance was given in Stam's Hall Friday evening by the young gentlemen of Chestertown. Among those present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Walker, Jr., Mrs. Walter Beck, of St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Naylor, of Baltimore; Mrs. Emory, of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pearce, Dr. and Mrs. Sam'l Beck, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hynson, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Hines, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hynson, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Westcott, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. M. Brooks, Mrs. Eben F. Perkins, Mrs. Dr. Whaland, of Chestertown. The Misses Ethel and Ridie Knight, Anna Hynson, Miss Williams, Miss Peters, of Baltimore; Elise and Page Beck, of St. Louis; Leslie Guion, of New York, Anna and Elnor Rasin, of Lankford; Misses Mary Hurtt, Rebecca Wickes, Nannie and Daisy Brice, Mary, Sallie and Isabel Beck, Belle Aldridge, Ellen Fisher, Lillian and Bertha Hynson, Katharine Hines, Nelie Walker, Lizzie Wickes, Emma Beck, of Chestertown. Messrs. Barber and Clasock, of Baltimore; Casey and Crane, of New York, Lucas Alrich and Wm. Price, of Hanesville, Wm. Rasin, of Lankford; George Brice, Will Beck, John Rose, Lewin Wickes, Eben and Tom Perkins, Henry Deaver, Horace Constable, Carl and Jack Westcott, Tom Massey, Spencer M. Hurtt, Harry and Frank Simpers, Geo. Vickers, Harry Rickey, Jr., Wm. W. Welch, Snowden Thomas, Len Catlin, Chas. Emory, Leamon Perkins, of Chestertown.

The Messrs. Elliott, of the West, brothers of Mr. Wm. Elliott recently of Chestertown, are encamped on Southeast Creek with a party of Westerners. They have visited town several times this week. On Thursday the mandolin and guitar club gave a concert at the Chester League Club rooms and the music was of a high character.

Mr. Will Deford took a party of friends from Baltimore to Betterton on Thursday and enjoyed the grand perch fishing there, catching 98 fine perch. The party included Isaac Mason and wife, of Lashburn, Miss Irene Pratt, Miss A. E. Smith, Mr. J. E. Meredith, of Baltimore, George S. Biddle, of Chestertown, and Mrs. W. E. Deford.

The Chestertown sailing party are expected home today. They spent Sunday at Old Point and left there at 5 A. M. Wednesday. The party received special courtesies at Fort Monroe—one of the greatest fortification in the world and located at Old Point. Lieut. Morris K. Barroll, of Chestertown, being stationed there, showed them through the extensive works. The party spent Sunday at the Hygeia hotel, a noted sea-shore resort. Fine fishing has been enjoyed, one sheepshead making a meal. They were given a reception by Col. Sam'l Raleigh, at whose place they stopped on the way down, and the pretty girls of St. Mary's county came near winning the boys' hearts.

A party of pleasure-seekers went to Worton Manor Beach Wednesday evening on a straw-ride. The party included Misses Alice Thompson, Katie O'Holland, Hettie Greenwood, Lillie Bristow, Alice Bristow, Mamie Thompson, Emma Greenwood, Lillie Crow, Bessie Cannon, Messrs. Charles Howard, Hydie Thompson, Vernon and Benj. Barnett, Samuel Crouch, John and George Roland.

A straw ride from "Cliff City" was enjoyed by a party of young ladies and gentlemen from Baltimore last Thursday evening. The following composed the number: Mrs. George H. Wilbourn, Miss Nannie Dunbar, Miss Bessie Dunbar, Miss Nellie Dunbar, Dr. Herman Giering, Charles R. Neal. Mr. Jas. P. Decorse managed the affair for the party and the visit to Chestertown was enjoyed very much.

KILLED A WEASEL.—Mrs. Bowers, upon opening her hen house door Monday morning, saw three fine pullets lying on the floor dead with their throats cut! She called in Mr. T. J. Joiner, and he, together with Messrs. C. T. Howard, S. Crouch, several others and several dogs began to hunt for the marauder. Some were armed with guns, others with clubs while others held that reliable weapon of woman, a broom. One would have supposed that they were about to attack a bear or some large animal, but the object of the search was a weasel which was soon routed from its hiding place in the meat-house and killed by one of the dogs! It was about two feet long.

A SCIRE FACIAS on boat lien was issued by the clerk Wednesday. It was the first one ever issued by this court in the recollections of any lawyer now practicing here. H. H. Barroll, Esq., requested the paper and it was drawn up by Mr. Frank H. Greenwood.

KENNEDYVILLE NOTES.

The monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held in the town hall on Friday evening August 10th. An interesting and entertaining program was well rendered. Miss Acca Vandyke was the organist. After singing by the choir, a fervent prayer was offered by Prof. L. J. Smith, which was followed by the beautiful chorus—"Beneath His Wing." The audience listened attentively to a number of readings. "The Maniac's Wail," by Miss Fannie Garey; "The Moulding of the bell," by Prof. L. J. Smith; "The Changed Cross," by Miss Clara Vandyke; "Prohibition Facts," by Mr. W. T. Hague, and a numerous selection "How we Caught a Mouse," by Miss Lillie Price. A beautiful quartet "Abide With Me," was rendered by Miss Lulu and Clara Vandyke, Messrs. Wm. T. Hague and Wattie McKnett. A solo "Only" was touchingly sung by Miss Fannie Carey. The beautiful duet of Misses S. Blanche and Mary McKnett, elicited the rapt attention it merited.

One of the most pleasing and gratifying features of the evening was the large attendance of the young people. The president made a statement showing the successful results of the late festival and a rising vote of thanks was tendered "Kent Lodge," K. of P. for their valuable and substantial aid. An appeal was made for a subscription to "The White Ribbon Herald" which should receive the hearty support of every W. C. T. U. Thus the meeting closed, imparting joy and gratification to the zealous workers for the temperance cause, and with an impression that the efforts of the future would be attended with even greater success than in the past. The following lines were given as the motto of the "white ribbon" boys:

We're temperance boys, we'd have all know,
That's why we wear a neat white bow;
It means that each will be a man,
"For God, and Home, and Native Land."

The cannery opened up on Saturday last for the present season. The usual force of laborers consisting principally of Poles and Bohemians arrived a few days previous.

During the terrific thunder storm on Wednesday night, Mr. S. J. Hill lost a rick of straw by fire as a result of lightning stroke. The corner post of a wire fence which stood near the straw, was struck and it is supposed the current was conducted by the wires to the straw, with which they were covered. Mr. Hill looked out immediately after hearing the heavy clap of thunder supposing his barn had been struck, but instead discovered the flames issuing from the strawstacks.

Mr. Bedford Roe lost a rick of hay and some straw on Tuesday afternoon by fire, the origin of which is unknown.

The growers of tomatoes say, as a result of the long continued drought the yield will not be much more than half of what was expected.

The following persons attended the Sunday School Convention at Clayton, Del., on Thursday 16. Rev. R. L. Lewis, Misses S. Blanche McKnett, Laura Hague, Mollie Parks, Elma Lewis, Mrs. Maggie Melvin, Messrs. W. T. Hague, E. T. Othoson, H. C. Jarrell and S. H. McKnett.

Rev. W. R. McKnett, of Marley, Md., is spending a short vacation with his parents at Urieville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roeder, of Baltimore, are visiting relatives in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Pippin, of Wilmington, are visiting his sister Mrs. W. W. McKnett at Urieville.

Miss Georgie Jones, of St Augustine, Cecil county, is visiting her sister Mrs. T. E. Hayes.

Miss Caroline Smyth, of Fairlee, is visiting her brother, Prof. L. J. Smyth.

Mrs. S. Cornelius, of Camden, N. J. is the guest of Mrs. J. R. Jarrell.

Mr. J. Oscar Jarrell visited friends in Philadelphia and Wilmington last week.

Misses Mary and Marian Pennington, are visiting friends in Baltimore.

Miss Lidie Adams, of Philadelphia, was married to Mr. Jos. Duyer, a well-known resident of Worton, at Kennedyville, M. P. Parsonage Wednesday evening. Z.

Property Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate have been recorded by Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county during the past thirty days:

Rock Hall Land and Improvement Company of Baltimore city to Elmer E. Wisherd, lot of land in Rock Hall; consideration $500. Wm. J. Vannort and wife to James H. Thomas, lot of land in Broad Neck; consideration $200. Stonewall J. Coleman and wife to William A. Burke, lot of land on northwest side of Front street, Chestertown: consideration $300. Emma F. Welch to Michael and Martha Buchnis, tract of land known as "Hynson's Chance;" consideration $800. W. D. Burchinal to Isaac Cooper, lot of land in Quaker Neck on the north side of the road leading from Baker's school house to "Airy Hill" farm; consideration $300. Edward J. Plummer, late sheriff, to Sallie C. Rasin lot of land in Still Pond; consideration, the premises and $5.00. W. T. Loller and Elenora to Willard E. Dodson, tract of land in fourth district, known as part of the "Whealand land;" consideration personalty valued at $552.15, $36 in cash and other considerations. Hope H. Barroll and wife to Thomas H. Topping, mill, mill-seat and pond known as "Fairlee mill property." James B. Fox and Annie D. Fox to Frances C. Biggers, lot of land in Kennedyville; consideration $500. Hope H. Barroll to John N. Dodd, house and lot of land in Chestertown on Main street; consideration $1500. James A. Pearce, trustee to John K. Aldridge, the "Pippin farm" near Chestertown, containing 163 acres, 1 rood and 9 perches; consideration $4,490. Thomas A. Parsons, executor, to Jacob C. Wilson, part of Thomas A. Parsons estate containing 3 acres and 16 perches; consideration $100, etc. Virgil W. Kendall to Stonewall J. Coleman, lot of land near Rock Hall; consideration $525. A. P. Prettyman and wife to S. A. Armstrong house in Galena for $200. Jas. T. Thompson et al to Josephine Coleman part of "Haven" in fifth district, for $175. Robt. J. Carter, one-third interest in parcel of land near Lynch's for $100. A. L. Corey and wife to Richard Waller, parcel of land near Melitota for $186. Hope H. Barroll and J. J. Archer, trustees, to J. M. Conner lot in Golts Station for $175. Caroline V. Jones to John B. Jones, two houses on Cannon street. John Gale Usilton and others to C. A. Leary, strip of land off the "Kendall farm," for $20. Wm. W. Beck, assignee, to W. J. Coleman, tract of land on road from Mill road to Price's; consideration $135. J. P. Nicholson, executor of Isaac Parsons, to H. W. Vickers, the farm known as "Flatlands" on road to Hanesville; consideration $7037.15. L. W. Wickes, trustee, to H. W. Vickers, lot adjoining Josias Smith's for $340. Alex Wheeler and wife to Scott Crownhart, lot at Betterton for $60. Drucilla C. Wingate to G. W. Copper, lot in Worton for $50.

SAILING PARTY.—The "Sarah E. Vickers," Capt. John Vickers, left Beck's wharf last week with a jolly party of young people under the chaperonage of Mrs. Thomas Trew, and visited Tolchester, Bay Ridge and Annapolis. They arrived home last Saturday. The party included Misses Laura and Celeno Jessop, Anna, Mamie, Edna and Lula Strong, Blanche Constable, Violet Beck, Tenie Alrich, Georgia and Eva Wallace, Florence Gale, Miss Kelley, Miss Hadaway, Miss Davis; Messrs. John B. Parrott, James Reeves, Wm. D. Hines, Horace B. Constable, Charles Jessop, Page Strong, Clifton Rasin, Horace and Scott Beck, Thomas Vickers, Barclay Kilbourn, Thomas Wallace, Charles Vickers and Elwood Strong.

SEVERAL colored men were discussing the tariff on High street Monday and one advised the other to wait until September and coal would be free!

THE vendue of Mr. Wm. H. Cooper last Wednesday was well attended and the stuff all brought good prices.

D. T. WILLIAMSON, the jeweler, is quite an artist and is turning out some good work.

WHERE TO ATTEND SCHOOL.

The prosperity of Palms National Business College, 1710 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, is attractively set forth in a handsomely printed catalogue just issued for the coming year. All the departments of the college are clearly described, and the best methods of securing a practical business education lucidly explained.

Palms College gives a complete business education at the minimum of cost and time, and assists its graduates in securing situations. Handsome circulars can be had for the asking. Write for them.

REV. J. W. MITCHELL will hold a Grove Meeting in Segar's Woods, near Millington on Sunday the 19th instant.

THERE WILL BE SERVICE in Emmanuel P. E. Church, Sunday, (to-morrow) August 19th, at 11 A. M., and 7½ P. M.

WORTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—There will be preaching by REV. SAMUEL POLK, on Sunday, tomorrow) August 19th, at 8 o'clock P. M. Come and hear him.

KENNEDYVILLE METH. PROT. CHURCH.—REV. R. L. LEWIS, Pastor. August 19th. Sabbath school, 9 A. M. Preaching, 10.30 A. M., by REV. W. R. MCKNETT. Song and Prayer service 8 P. M. Thursday, Aug. 23rd, 8 P. M., the Y. P. S. C. E. will conduct a Cleveland Echo service. All invited.

CHRIST M. P. CHURCH.—Services conducted by the Pastor at 10.30 A. M., and 7 P. M. Contributors to the Conference Assessments will please remember the Seminary and Foreign Missions in their envelopes. Great need exists at present of funds to carry on the work of educating young ministers, and of supporting our missionaries already in Japan. The present distress calls for liberal offerings.

PERSONS YOU KNOW.

Messrs. H. S. Cook and T. J. McWhorter two of Millington's enterprising men, are at Ocean Grove.

Mr. Charles F. Harper, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting in Still Pond. He was in town Tuesday and was a welcome visitor to the NEWS office. Mr. Harper was accompanied by Mr. Medders, who is now conducting the store heretofore owned by Mr. G. W. Harper.

Mrs. H. C. Gray and daughter have returned home from a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in Kent county, Del.

Capt. J. Hadaway died at the Marine Hospital, Baltimore, on August 6th with heart trouble, in his 56th year. He had been there about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wright, of Seaford, Del., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. G. Wroth on Washington avenue.

Register of Wills James T. Dixon has been confined to his bed with neuralgia and ulcerated sore throat several days this week. Mr. Lewin L. Russell has had charge of the office during his absence.

Mr. Samuel Copper, of Roanoke, Va., has been visiting his brother, Mr. Jessie Copper, at "Locust Grove."

Miss Minnie Hazell, of Sudlersville, is visiting Miss Anna May Downey.

Miss Kate Stone and brother, Walter, of Baltimore, are guests at Mr. Charles S. Smith's.

The Misses Rodgers, of Baltimore, are guests of Miss Katie Trew near Pomona.

Miss Anna Sweat, of Baltimore, has been visiting Mrs. Louis Reinhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Nailor, and Miss Peters, of Baltimore, have been guests of the Miss Hynsons on Queen street.

Miss Jennie Copper is visiting her mother on High street.

Miss Emma Brownley, of Baltimore, spent several days this week in Chestertown the guest of Miss Belle Pippin.

Miss Ida Jewell and Miss Sue Lambert are visiting at Orangeville, Baltimore county, and other points on the shore.

Mr. Arlie Sparks, clerk in R. Bergen's large store, is off on his vacation visiting Mr. Harry Messick in Wicomico.

Master Oliver Jones and Raymond Simpers spent Thursday at Pen Mar.

Mr. Wm. Willing is visiting his father on Water street.

Mr. Norman Hurlock, brother and sister, of Wilmington, is the guest of Mrs. Lang.

Mr. Harry Mannele, of Wilmington, is the guest of friends in Galena.

Miss Irene Ireland, of Wilmington is the guest of Mrs. Todd of Galena.

Miss Katie Clark and Miss Nellie Lloyd both of Wilmington, are visiting Mrs. Dunlap, of Galena.

Mr. Will Stewart, of Chestertown, has been visiting Mr. Arnold Stewart, of Sassafras.

Master Herman Blackway has just returned from a visit to his uncle in Balt.

Mrs. Wm. Kirby and sister, Miss Fisher, of Baltimore, have been the guests of Mrs S. D. Blackway on corner of Cannon and Princes street.

Mrs. Daniel A. Jones, of Cecil county, and Mrs. Thos. P. Garrett and daughter, Elsie, spent several days this week with their neice Mrs. John C. Davis at Pomona.

James Brice and wife have gone to Ocean Grove for a two week's enjoyment of the great camp-meeting, and at the same time take advantage of old ocean's healthful breezes.

Miss Jennie Crossley, of near Masseys, is visiting her cousin Grace and Reba Burris, near Middletown.

Mrs. Daniel Smith rubbed herself in carbolic acid a few nights ago mistaking acid for liniment.

Miss Elva Hamilton, of Kennedyville, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Sapp, near Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Owens, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Kranz, two children and nurse, of Baltimore, and Misses Ida and Fannie McIntire, of Galena are at "Meadow Farm," the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Bramble, of near Tolchester.

Mrs. Dr. J. A. Perkins and daughter Ethel, are guests of friends in Middletown.

Mr. Eben F. Perkins, Jr., left Chestertown Thursday for a trip by sea to Boston.

Dr. C. P. Gilpin is visiting his brother in Elkton and friends in Middletown.

Misses Fannie Baker, Marion Lusby, Clara Usilton, Clare Vannort and Annie Russell have been rusticating the past week at Mr. Wm. T. Nicholson's.

Miss Alice Bristow, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Mamie Thompson on High street.

Mrs. Edw. Naylor, of New Castle, is visiting Mrs. Edw. Loud.

Miss Lula Startt, of New Castle, is spending her vacation at her father's home, near town.

Miss Flora Skirven, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Maggie Hendrickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey and children are visiting on Washington avenue.

Miss Effie M. Pierson has resigned as teacher in the Chestertown Public School. Miss Julia Thompson will take her place, Miss Fannie Stuart being appointed to succeed Miss Thompson and Miss Emma Davis in Miss S's place.

Miss Georgia Thompson, who has been attending St. Hildas' Academy the past year, is visiting her sister on Mill street.

Miss Rosa and Sadie Pearce, of Baltimore, are visiting their mother, near Rock Hall. Mr. Walter Glascow spent Sunday with them.

Miss Sadie Hadaway and her friend Miss Ida Washburn, of Baltimore, are sojourning at Mr. Daniel Hadaway's in Quaker Neck.

Mrs. Katie Duling and daughters, of Wilmington, are guests at Mrs. Edward Lusby's near town.

Mr. Wm. Young, of Baltimore, and Mr. Harry Muelinheiser, of Phila., are visiting Mr. Geo. Hendrickson.

The following persons are summering at the farm of I. F. Walbert, at Lankford: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cruse and son, Mrs. Dr. G. F. Taylor and son, Mrs. William Brooke, Mrs. Dr. R. G. Davis, and son, Misses Ella Herman, Alice Gray, Carrie Clark, Lulu Parlett, Mr. Harry Powell, Mr. Mrs. Albert, all of Baltimore.

John F. M. Gobright and son, Carroll, and Miss Nellie R. Smith, of Charlestown, W. Va., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Dodd on High street,

The Misses Stewart of Baltimore, are visiting at Mrs. J. M. J. Byron's.

Dr. S. Groome Fisher, of Port Deposit, is visiting his parents on Front street.

Mrs. C. L. Miller, of Baltimore is visiting Mrs. Wm. M. Lynch in Chestertown.

Miss Yingling, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Katie Trew in Quaker Neck.

Miss Genevieve and Martha Claypoole, of "Chesnut Hill" Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bordley on Mill street.

Mrs. W. R. Graham, of Washington, D. C., is visiting Mrs. George W. Hatcherson, on High street.

Mrs. J. H. Simpers is visiting friends and relatives in Port Deposit.

Miss Sweete, the guest of Miss Allie Wright, sprained her ankle Thursday night in dismounting from a bicycle.

Mrs. Frank Miller and daughter, Mary, are visiting relatives.

DIED.

August 7, 1894, LIDIA ETTA, infant daughter of George T. and Priscilla J. Cooper, aged 1 year, 1 month and 25 days.

Little Lidia was our darling,
Pride of all our hearts at home;
But an angel came and whispered,
Little Lidia do come home.—PARENT.

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