The Kent News

CHESTERTOWN, MD., - - - SEPT. 1, 1894.

SALES TO TAKE PLACE.

Personal Property.

Wednesday, Sept. 5—J. B. Merritt, agent.
Wednesday, Sept. 6—John Biggs, exc'r, one mile from Millington.
Monday, Sept. 10—Enoch N. Roland, near town.

Real Estate.

Saturday, Sept. 1—Chas. T. Westcott, trustee, farm between Chesterville and Millington.
Tuesday, Sept. 11—Richard D. Hynson, attorney, the Denny or Carville farm, 628, acres.
Tuesday, Sept. 18—Hope H. Barroll, trustee, two farms of the late Jas. W. Greenwood.

SEE new adv. of Washington College.

THE public schools of the county will reopen next Monday.

A NUMBER of Kent horses are entered in the races at Elkton Fair next week.

THE creamery property at Wye Mills has been sold to Messrs. Rathell & Dudley for $2,710.

WHEAT sold in Chestertown yesterday for 51 cents; corn was quoted at 53 cents; and oats at 32 cents; none offering.

A VALUABLE COW, belonging to Dr. J. H. Hessey was taken with the rabbies last Sunday, and the doctor had her killed. She was bitten by a dog several weeks ago.

THE State steamer Governor McLane, Capt. Turner, was here last Saturday after the oyster dredge numbers, painted by Mr. F. H. Howard. The work required six thousand yards of cotton duck, 3718 numbers 27x29 inches in size, and the labor of two expert painters five weeks. It was a good job for our local mechanics and the State was advantageously served.

AMONG the petty thefts at Tolchester in addition to those mentioned in the NEWS last week were the following: Mr. James Lucas, a bicycle clock, Mr. Sereck Shallcross, a bicycle lamp. Messrs. George Downey, Chas. H. Davis, Frank Gilpin and others, lost parts of carriage harness, dusters and whips.

While Wm. Tilghman, a colored man living with Chas. Wood, Jr., of Crosby neighborhood was putting a rope on a bull's horns last Saturday, the animal became angry and threw his head to one side, one horn striking the man under the jaw and penetrated entirely through into his mouth, causing a very painful and ugly wound. Dr. Selby was immediately called in and dressed the wound and at this time the man is doing very nicely.

THE banks have been officially notified from Washington that a dangerous counterfeit ten dollar bill has been put in circulation. The paper is of the series of 1880, check letter B. face number 2,250, back plate 2,292, W. S. Rosecrans, register; James W. Hyatt, treasurer, and has a portrait of Webster. Several typographical errors are noticeable on the back, "plae" being used for plate and "ang" for any.

A SINGULAR FIRE.—Mr. Jefferson D. Bacchus, one of our coal merchants, reports a singular fire in his yard last Wednesday. Mr. Tylden Brice was in the yard with his wagon getting soft coal. He noticed that the pile—containing about twenty tons—from which he was shoveling, was very hot, and going to Mr. Bacchus' office told him the coal must be on fire. An investigation was made by digging into it, and, sure enough, in the very centre of the heap a fire was raging! A hose was attached to an adjacent fire-plug and soon extinguished the fire. The only way Mr. Bacchus can account for it is "spontaneous combustion" as there was no possible way for the interior of the pile to have been ignited from the outside.

THE PUBLIC SALES during the past week have been well attended, the largest probably being that of the late H. F. Hill, managed by Mr. Shafer. The Catlin sale in Queen Anne's had a big attendance, many being from Kent. Judicious advertising always pays.

Locust Grove Beats Chestertown.

The Locust Grove 4th nine defeated the 4th nine of Chestertown by a score of 8 to 12, Aug. 27th. Locust Grove.—R. Shallcross, H. Scotten, P. Shallcross, E. Hicks, W. Sutton, E. O. Pennington, L. Hayes, G. Roder, J. Erskine. Chestertown.—G. Garrett, J. Rigby, Fraizer, Robinson, Paragoy, Kelley, Beaston, Stauts, Greenwood.

The Courts.

Orphans' Court, Aug. 28. Present Judges Harris, Moffett and Burgess. Letters of administration on the personal estate of Julian Hurtt were granted to Cornelius J. Scott, and Thomas J. Shallcross and Dennis J. Nowland were appointed to appraise said estate. James A. Pearce, executor of Christopher Wilkinson, filed first and final administration account. James A. Pearce administrator c. t. a. of James A. Jones, filed inventory of the personal estate of said deceased. James R. Jones, administrator c. t. a. of Clayton H. Jones, filed inventory of the personal property of said deceased. James Bramble, guardian to John A. Startt, filed first and final guardian account.

County Commissioners, Aug. 28. Full board present. Messrs Shallcross and Groves filed their written report of the condition of Morgan Creek bridge, which recites that they together with Mr. H. M. Stuart and D. U. Dewees, made an examination thereof and found the draw much decayed and needing immediate repairs, and the substructure of said draw also in need of thorough repairs, and recommended strengthening and building up said substructure in a similar way to that of Chester bridge, and to widen the draw two feet and to repair bridge also, and raise both from 18 inches to 2 feet, and renew foundation of east end of the bridge. Whereupon said report was accepted and Messrs. Shallcross and Groves, by order of the board, were appointed to further examine said bridge and report necessary specifications in order to advertise for proposals to said work. A letter having been received from Capt. Jos. W. Thompson during recess of board, giving notice that schooner Travers will be sold, etc., was read and filed The board was further engaged in examining, approving and passing accounts for payment by orders on levies provided in hands of Garrett Foxwell, county treasurer, and for levy in 1895.

Another Suit.

Mr. Robert H. Blain, civil engineer and surveyor, of Easton, Md., has brought suit against the commissioners of Kent and Queen Anne's. The facts upon which the suit is brought are said to be about as follows: Mr. B. boarded the scow with his horse during the suspension of travel over the draw; he then decided that it was unsafe to make the trip in the lighter, and mounting his horse started for the shore. The tide was low and it was impossible for the scow or lighter to get within possibly twenty yards of the beach, and Mr. Blain not being acquainted with the shore, took an unfortunate route and his horse became stuck in the mud and he dismounted in the mud and water. He then returned to Easton by way of Crumpton, and it is said claims damages for affliction resulting from his getting wet, etc.

THE farewell ball of the season was given at Tolchester on Tuesday evening. The Louise brought over a remarkable crowd of good dancers in the afternoon who enjoyed themselves with Kent's gents. Fireworks helped to enliven things about nine o'clock in the evening. For the benefit of the country people Manager Noland kept the music up until an extra late hour and Kent's fair daughters were loath to leave the scenes of so much pleasure as had been theirs during the last summer.

THE entertainment on next Tuesday evening in Stam's Hall, is for the benefit of the Chestertown Epworth League. It is a good cause. "The Family" also is talented, from the oldest to the youngest.

A Singular Disappearance.

The continued absence from home of Mr. James W. Greenwood, a respected young farmer near Kennedyville, is causing much distress to his family and friends. In our advertising columns will be found the real estate held by him to be sold on the 18th inst., which includes a valuable estate. Mr. Greenwood's father, Mr. Jas. W. Greenwood, died about five years ago, and only three months since he married Miss Lillie M. Rutter, daughter of the late Wm. J. Rutter. He left home August 13, stating that he had to go to Wilmington, on business, but would return the following Wednesday. He failed to return, and since then no one has heard a word of his whereabouts. He left his personal property on the farm with no one to care for it. He sold his crop of wheat of this year to Mr. John C. Sutton, of Black's, but had not collected the money. The distressed wife waited at her home, daily expecting the return of her husband, until Saturday, the 18th inst., but hearing nothing of him, she returned to her mother's, near Locust Grove, where she now is. It is feared by his family and friends that the missing man has been the object of foul play, as no other possible reason can be assigned for his mysterious disappearance.

SOCIAL LIFE.

A jolly straw-ride party left Massey last Tuesday evening. The big hay wagon was loaded with straw and drawn by white mules, covered with sleigh bells. The blowing of horns and the jingling of the bells reminded one of the merry Christmas times. The party proceeded to Millington, and took in the town, blowing horns and singing all the time, and from there to the residence of Mr. T. C. Roe, near Masseys, where dancing was indulged in until midnight, when they all left, declaring themselves well pleased with the evening's enjoyment. Everyone appreciated Mr. Roe's kindness and hospitality. Among those who participated were: Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Malsberger, Mrs. Etta Harris, of Baltimore, Misses Lizzie and Mattie Johnson, of Sassafras, Misses Sadie and Essie Lollar, Messrs. Thomas Dunn, Joseph Quinn, Geo. Ireland, Anthony Quinn, John Rowen and Samuel Dunn. The music for the dance was furnished by Messrs. Anthony and Joseph Quinn.

The "Junior Endeavor" of Christ Church held a social on the Church lawn last Wednesday evening. About thirty of the little folks were present, and a grand good time was enjoyed by them in plays, etc. Mrs. H. S. Barnett and Mrs. P. T. McFeely managed the affair and served the lemonade and cake.

The Miss Rasins, at the beautiful home of their father, Mr. Joseph Rasin, near Lankford, had a delightful social party on Thursday evening of last week, at which thirty or forty persons were present. Fruits and salads were served and various pastimes indulged in. Those present were: Miss Jenkins and Miss Duvall and Mary G. Dallam, of Baltimore; Miss Tustin, of Philadelphia; Misses Morgan Beaston, Belle and Julia Emory, of Kent. Messrs. Ignatius Markoe, Rush Dallam, Jos. Rasin, J. Kydd Barber, Henry Barnard, J. Sifford, of Baltimore; Mr. Sellers, of Philadelphia, and Messrs. Henry Deaver, Thos. Perkins, R. Snowden Thomas, C. C. Hopper, of Chestertown.

"Gresham Hall," one of the old historic homesteads in the lower section of Kent, was ablaze with lights and cheerful with music, etc., one evening last week the occasion being a reception in honor of the many guests sojourning there. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Noland, Misses Lizzie Hepbron, Stella Cleaver and Nora Bramble and Messrs. B. W. Armiger, Capt. Chas. Bacon, W. P. Howard, Bartus Wilkins and others, were among the country people present.

ENJOYABLE MUSICALE.

A number of the musically inclined friends of our worthy county treasurer, Garrett Foxwell, Esq., gave a piano recital and musicale at his home, near Black's, on the evening of Aug. 23rd, using the splendid new upright Grand piano, recently purchased by Mr. Foxwell for his daughter. Mr. D. J. Nowland, at the earnest solicitations of the company present, sang the celebrated "Hunter's Song" with fine effect the "Tally Ho" chorus being enthusiastically joined in by Messrs. Edw. C. Cooper, John M. Comegys, B. J. McCauley and the genial host, Mr. Foxwell. Mr. Edw. C. Cooper was at his best, and followed Mr. Nowland with a number of his sentimental and comic songs, and Mr. Comegys followed Mr. Cooper with a number of very entertaining songs. In addition to the guests mentioned above were Mr. Andrew Wilson, Georgetown; Mr. Jesse Ireland and the Misses Cecilia and Genevieve McCauley, Galena; Miss Estella Jarman, Chesterville and others. The guests were most royally entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Foxwell.

Yachting Notes.

Messrs. George B. Westcott, Cecil Atkinson and Carl Westcott left on the yacht "Mae" on Saturday night for Cape May. Owing to advance winds and rainy weather they were not able to get through the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal until Wednesday, reaching Delaware City Wednesday night.

William R. Kay and his bride of a month, arrived at Cape May in their beautiful 36 foot yacht "Eunice" on Monday evening from Betterton, Md. They were four days out on the trip and had a delightful passage. Captain Lewis, of Eastern Shore, is in command of the yacht. With many friends of past seasons Mr. Kay renewed his frolics in the breakers accompanied by Mrs. Kay.—*Cape May Star.*

The Naptha yacht "Nameless" with a party of Washingtonians anchored off Chestertown Saturday and caused a good deal of comment. She was a trim little vessel.

THE commissioners of Kent and Queen Anne's have decided to paint the Chester river draw. Mr. Frank Howard received the contract to do Kent's portion of the work and he finished his part, or one coat of it, on Wednesday. He was very careful to paint only one half, even painting just one half of a bolt or nut in his anxiety not to encroach upon the Queen Anne's painters part of the work.

PROF. J. C. KANE, the principal of Kane's Business College, has a reputation as a business educator second to no one in the State, and has managed some of the largest business colleges in the country. Parents will make no error in giving their children to his care for education.

MR. W. T. SLAGEL, on one of the Walker farms in Queen Anne's, has 3500 hills of butter beans, from which he is shipping from ten to twenty bushels per day and realizing good prices. A sample sent us by Mr. S. are the finest we ever saw.

TO KNOW how popular the fishing is on Chester river bridge is, you must walk sixty-four persons there one afternoon this week, the majority of whom were fishing, or rather had lines in the water.

IMPROVEMENT.—Mr. Harry Rickey is improving the lot recently purchased by him and adjoining his property, by the erection of a pretty seven-room dwelling. Mr. H. M. Stuart contractor.

A twelve-year old colored girl, living with Mrs. Rose Frazier in Chestertown, was badly burned about the arm by her sleeve taking fire from a lighted taper one day last week. Mr. Shelton, clerk in Toulson's drug store, dressed the wounds. Mrs. Frazier was also burned about the hands in extinguishing the flames.

REDUCED RATES TO WASHINGTON, D. C.

Grand Encampment of the Knights of Pythias of the World.

The biennial encampment of the Supreme Lodge and grand encampment of the Knights of Pythias of the world will be held at the National Capital August 27th to September 5th.

For this occasion the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. will sell round trip tickets at reduced rates from all points on its lines east of the Ohio River, Aug. 23rd to 28th inclusive, valid for return trip until September 6th; a further extension of time to Sept. 15th can be secured, provided the ticket is deposited with the joint agent at Washington, D. C., on or before September 6th.

The rate from Philadelphia will be $4, Pittsburgh $8, Cumberland $4.55, and correspondingly low rates from all other stations. a18-4t.

PERSONAL MENTION.

The marriage of Lieut. Morris K. Barroll and Miss Nan Miller, daughter of Col. Miller, U. S. A., is announced to take place Sept. 28, at Fort Monroe.

Mr. Will Rose, of Washington, formerly of Chestertown, was here last Saturday bidding good-bye to his many friends prior to his departure for Arizona, where he goes to accept a desirable position under Governor Hughes.

Stephen Lecates, one of our most estimable citizens, and one of the board of Election Supervisors, has been quite ill for a week past.

Mr. Sol. Kananse, Mr. and Mrs. Hand, Miss Laura Hand and Mr. Frank Hand, of Clifton Heights, Pa., have been enjoying the pleasures of Kent as the guests of Justice and Mrs. C. W. C. Johnson.

Miss Anna G. Lambert enjoyed a visit with friends to Pen Mar last week.

Among the guests of Mrs. Arthur Brown at "Radcliffe Manor," are Mrs. Dr. Richard Winder and Miss Dorsey, of Baltimore.

Mr. David Ford is spending his vacation with his parents at the Mill.

Misses Sallie and Mary Davis have gone to the hills of Buckeystown for a few weeks stay.

The children of Mr. Merritt, Beck, of St. Louis, left for that city yesterday, after spending an enjoyable summer with relatives. Mrs. Walter Beck and children returned to St. Louis also.

Robert W. Lusby, of Chesterville, left yesterday for Goldey's Commerical College, Wilmington, where he is taking a course in book-keeping.

Messrs. Walter, Benj. F., and Herbert Perkins with George Vickers spent yesterday at Tolchester fishing for taylors.

Mr. Harry W. Catlin returned Thursday from the University of Va. School of Law, where he has been taking the summer course.

Miss Daisy R. Lane, of Galena, is spending a few days in Baltimore.

Miss Lizzie Woodall is spending a few days in Galena with relatives.

Mr. J. A. Hyland, Brooklyn, is in Kent. He and wife spent Thursday in Chestertown with his wife's sister, Mrs. T. S. Dodd, renewing old acquaintances. Allie holds a responsible position with the New York Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Co.

Constable Harry Francis arrested Lewis Young on Wednesday charged with selling beer. He is charged by the W. C. T. U. with keeping a saloon or garden near Tolchester. He will have a hearing before Justice C. W. C. Johnson on Saturday afternoon. He is out on bail pending a hearing.

Mr. Enoch N. Roland has discontinued farming and will take up his residence in town, having employment at the strawboard mill. He will sell all his stock and farm implements on Monday, 10th instant.

H. H. Barroll, Esq., wrote to the chief of police of Cincinnati, inquiring into the truth of the statement of the "fence" man, Mr. W. T. Magee, that he was a member of an established fence firm and factory in Cincinnati. The reply comes that "no such individual or firm is known."

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Roland have as guests at "Cedar Vale," Mr. Samuel Realey and sister, Jennie, and Miss Brown, of Elkton.

Drs. W. S. Twilley and W. E. Cowen, of Baltimore, were guests of Dr. J. T. Twilley on Sunday last.

Mr. Frank R. Diggs, Miss Nellie Diggs, of Baltimore, and Miss Mary Price, of Millington, are visiting Miss Fannie Stuart in Chestertown.

Miss Belle Overend, of Baltimore, is enjoying Chestertown's society as the guest of Miss Pearl Shuster.

Miss Mamie McKinson, of Ellicott City, is at the home of Mrs. S. Q. Moody.

Miss Georgeanna Lloyd, of Philadelphia, is visiting Miss Mamie Kirby.

Miss Emma Allen, of Camden, N. J., is spending an enjoyable vacation with Miss Emma Greenwood.

Miss Lillie Wilmer, of Wilmer's Wharf, is the guest of Miss Fannie Smith.

Mrs. James Merch and children, of Philadelphia, are renewing old acquaintances in town.

Masters Robert and Charles McWhorter are taking in the base-ball games in the city this week.

Mr. A. J. Cahall has secured Mr. George T. Parsons as clerk in his dry goods store.

Rev. Mrs. J. A. Archers and son, John, of Greensborough, are at the home of Mrs. Edw. Ringgold.

Miss Dida Carte, of Baltimore, is visiting the Misses Willis, on Mill street.

Mr. J. Palmer Goldsborough spent a few days among his friends in Chestertown this week.

Mr. J. Henry Hurtt, of the Voshell House, with his sister, Miss Fannie Hurtt, of Millington, and Miss Alice Austin, paid a visit to Washington this week, and the two latter are yet there enjoying the many sights and scenes of the Nation's Capital.

Rev. Walter R. Graham, of Washington, preached and able sermon in Christ Church Chestertown, last Sunday morning, his theme being "One thing I know, whereas I was blind, now I see."

Mr. S. Jack Coleman, one of our worthy mechanics, has purchased a dwelling at Rock Hall and taken up his residence there. We are sorry to lose him.

Constable John A. Duyer, of Worton, took Harriet Clayton, colored, to the House of Correction on yesterday, committed by Justice D. U. Davis, of Kennedyville, for larceny.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Norris, of Baltimore, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. McFeely for some days.

Mrs. Chas. Zerkel, of Baltimore, is visiting her brother, Mr. Wm. H. Blakeney, Chestertown. Her daughter, Miss Lottie Zerkel, is with her.

Prof. H. Keating, son of Mr. T. J. Keating, and formerly principal of Centreville Academy, has received an appointment as teacher in Ohio, and has gone to inspect the situation.

Mrs. Elenora Newton, of Earlville, Cecil Co., is visiting her cousin, Mrs. M. E. Watts, Chestertown.

Mrs. Price, Miss M. Price, Mrs. D. Wolf, of Baltimore, and Mrs. R. Bergen, of Chestertown, returned to town after spending a few pleasant hours at Mr. and Mrs. A. Alexander, of Rock Hall.

Mrs. Elenora Newton and grand-daughter, Miss Daisy Wooleyhand, of Earlville, Cecil Co., are spending a week or two at her son's, Mr. J. Eddie Newton's, at Kennedyville.

Mrs. Wm. Giles, of Elkton, has spent several days this week in Chestertown on a visit to her brother, Mr. Chas. Estes.

Mrs. Annie Harvey, of Baltimore, is the guest of Chestertown relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Newcomb have as their guest Miss Laura Milby, of Crumpton.

Mrs. Eugene Wilson and children, of Baltimore, are visiting Commissioner R. C. Morgan in Galena.

Miss Rena Watson, of Philadelphia, is at the home of Mrs. Frank Toulson.

Mrs. Chas. T. Westcott and family are enjoying the salt air ocean breezes at Cape May.

Misses Mary and Jennie Vickers are the guest of their friend, Miss Groff, at Blairsville, Pa.

Rev. W. M. Lister is the guest of Mrs. Nickerson in Morgan Creek Neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Stewart have visiting them, Mrs. A. Palmer Cooper, of Baltimore.

Miss Nellie Wallis is visiting Mrs. Stanly Bryan, of Queen Anne's.

Miss Florence Williams, of Baltimore, and Mrs. H. H. Kennedy, of Salem, Va., are guests of Mrs. Mary A. Rees, near Edesville.

Miss Sadie Walbert, of Edesville, has been visiting relatives in Morgnec.

Miss Anna Franklin, of Baltimore, is spending a few weeks in Chestertown as the guest Mrs. J. R. Clements.

Miss Threse Meginniss, of Tallahassee, Fla., is the guest of Miss Grace Greenwood on Queen street.

Miss Mary Hurlock, of near Masseys, is visiting friends in Wilmington.

Miss Sadie Stevens, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Janie Anderson, near town.

Mrs. Ida Clift and son Walter, of Wilmington, have been the guests of Mr. C. S. Hurlock, near Masseys.

Miss Florence Primrose, of Wimington, is visiting her sister in Queen Annes near Chestertown.

Mr. Derr C. Bradwell, of Statesville, N. C., is paying a visit to his school friend, Mr. Wm. M. Reiche, on Main street.

Harrison W. Wickers, Esq., is at the Blue Mountain House, Pen Mar. Ex-Sheriff Plummer is also at that place.

Mr. J. W. Usilton is on a visit to friends in Kent.

Miss Annie Roberts, of New Berne, N. C., has been visiting Rev. S. C. Roberts.

Miss Bertha E. Price will take the place of Miss Lena Lusby as the teacher of the Quaker Neck school the next school year. Miss Eva Hart will teach at the school formerly under Miss Beulah Hartman, near Masseys.

Miss Mamie Taylor who has been spending the summer in Chestertown, returned to the city on Wednesday.

Mr. E. Weston Welch is expected home from the West next week after an absence of two years.

Mr. Walter Vansant and Miss Maud Kerbaugh, of Philadelphia, have been spending several weeks at Mr. Wm. Vansant's near town. They will return home Friday accompanied by Miss Nellie Vansant.

Mrs. Etta Harris, of Baltimore, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Malsberger, of Masseys.

Messrs. F. W. Sellers and A. J. Kirpatrick, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma Territory, are visiting Mr. J. H. Sides. They have been participants in the big Knight's of Pythias Convention, held in Washington the past week.

Rev. J. W. Easley and family spent a few days in town this week with friends.

The Supt. of the Strawboard Mill, Mr. Frederick Quantz, met with quite an accident last week which compels him to use crutches. While at the mill his foot became caught between two heavy pieces of timber, mashing his foot severely.

Our Fairlee Letter.

Mr. Alva Haglin, son-in-law of Mr. Thos. B. Bordley, of this village, merchandizing in Fort Smith, Ark., can testify to the fact that some darkies love cantaloupes. He had quite a lot of cantaloupes just outside of the store door, when a young darkey came meandering up the street. His thoughts may have been on things ethereal as he placed one foot before the other, but all of a sudden his gaze fastened upon these cantaloupes. That settled it, he was going to have one. He grabbed the cantaloupe, Mr. Haglin grabbed him, and he grabbed Haglin's wrist in his mouth, giving him an unusually healthy bite, just such a bite as the cantaloupe would have gotten. Mr. Haglin was badly hurt, but held him until he was in the hands of the police. The darkey now lives, moves and has his being behind the bars of the county jail, in default of $27.75 fine.

A great many are passing, en route to Tolchester, to attend the ball. When will the Rev. Mr. Wharton begin his devotional exercises at the Beach, I wonder? Not this season I guess. He was talking about holding a camp-meeting, and the management kindly tendered him the use of anything they had to help him in making a success. At that time, I understand, he was managing one or two in other places, which may account for not having the one at the Beach.

The oyster supper and festival in the hall here, next Saturday evening, promises to be an epicurean treat and a delightful affair.

Rev. J. B. Merritt preached on "The Transfiguration" last Sunday. You may judge how instructive his remarks.

Miss Wertie Riester has been spending her summer with Mrs. B. L. Legg. She left for her home in Baltimore, to resume giving instections in music, last Thursday.

Miss Millie Close, is summering at the same home. She, with her parents is a great traveler, and has been over a good part of the world. WEST END.

ROCK HALL NOTES.

Dr. Fisher gets credit for his disposition to accommodate our oystermen. His chief clerk, Mr. Frank Greenwood, was down in "our district" this week issuing licenses to tongers. He went home with a big pile of money on Thursday having issued nearly two hundred license in the county to date. Mr. Greenwood is a courteous gentleman and our people like to deal with him.

Mr. R. S. Crew's two-year-old son, Carl, made a narrow escape last Monday. An infuriated steer, which was driven past to the butchers, caught him on its horns and dashed him in the air! Strange to say the little fellow was unhurt. A little son of Mr. Carroll Willson broke his arm last Saturday. Dr. Willson dressed the arm and is now doing well.

Mr. Joseph W. Apsley is doing a nice job of painting on his father's dwelling. Messrs Rich and Durding are also improving the dwelling of Mr. Frank Hogans, Jr.

The K. of P., during their session last Saturday evening were startled by the cry of "fire!" and vacated the room in short order. A large lamp in Mr. Crew's store room underneath had ignited one of the ceiling timbers, but was soon extinguished.

Our oystermen are anxiously and hopefully looking to the opening oyster season. Saturday, Sept. 1 is a notable day with us. The outlook for a good market, however, is not flattering.

The Catholic congregation have changed their festival dates to Sept. 28 and 29, because of the dates announced having been in conflict with Wesley Chapel's on Sept. 15. The community can now attend both and enjoy the grand suppers.

Mrs. Ray and son, of Baltimore, are guests at Mr. John Dickinson's.

The "Graytowners" beat the Eastern Neck club last Saturday 17 to 12.

BICYCLE NOTES.

Messrs. W. R. Rupp and S. E. Philpitt, reached Chestertown, Wednesday afternoon on their wheels, taking in on the route Philadelphia, Atlantic City, New York and Coney Island. They made the run from Jersey City to Chestertown in two days, a distance of 183 miles. They spent a few days in town and left for Great Falls and Baltimore on their way back to New York.

Messrs. W. W. Chapman, James Lucas and Alvin Culp reached Chestertown from their Washington trip on Monday. To say that they were muddy is expressing it lightly. A heavy rain storm overtook them between Washington and Baltimore, but they ploughed through it notwithstanding. Then the Kent roads were very heavy after Monday's rain, so altogether they had rather a heavy track to make fast time.

Our "Junior" writes from Ocean Grove that the roads there are like velvet compared to Kent's. He took a 50 mile ride to Long Branch, Sea Girt and Red Bank with a party on Monday. The invigorating air and hard roads are a treat to bicyclers.

Among the bicyclers at Tolchester on Tuesday were Miss Eva Gresham and sister, of Edesville and Capt. Wm. Taylor. Miss Eva has recently returned from a trip to Snow Hill where she took a spin to Ocean City and other places of interest.

Father Flynn and Mealy, of Wilmington, wheeled down from that place last week on a visit to Father F. G. Connely, of Galena.

Now for a Fall Meet! How would a handicap series of races strike the C. C. C. and other Kent clubs? It would be a fitting close to the summer's work. Let's have all the fast times that have been made this summer go on the official record. Then let's decide the continual debates of superiority.

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m26-tf. WM. M. SLAY, Att'y.

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MARRIED.

At the M. E. Parsonage, on Tuesday evening, August 28, by Rev. John D. Kemp, JOSEPH H. WARREN and EMMA L. NEWCOMB, both of Kent co.

DIED.

Near Edesville, Aug. 21, 1894, Miss KATE WICKES, aged about 63 years. She leaves one sister, Miss Jane. Funeral services conducted by Rev. Jesse Shreeve, and interment at Wesley Chapel, the following persons acting as pall-bearers: R. W. Jones, Wm. Stevens, Chas. C. Wood, Samuel J. Wickes, Capt C. A. Leary and Samuel Burgess.

Near Chestertown, Aug. 27, 1894, of Bright's disease, LEONARD EVANS, son of Josiah and Mary Massey, aged 12 years. Funeral services conducted by Rev. Father Ott at Sacred Heart Church Tuesday morning. Interment in Chester Cemetery.

Near Chestertown, on August 23, 1894, ELLA W., only child of Frank B. and Phoebie Toulson, aged 9 months and 9 days.

A loving one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is still,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

WORTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Preaching by REV. MR. ARMSTRONG, of Texas, Sunday evening, Sept. 2, at 8 o'clock.

CHESTERTOWN M. E. CHURCH,
REV. W. P. COMPTON, Pastor.
Sunday, Sept. 2—10.30 A. M., subject of sermon, "The Mind of Christ," followed by communion. Sabbath-school 2.15 P. M.; Epworth League 6.30 P. M. preaching service 7.30 P. M.

CHRIST M. P. CHURCH—Services by the pastor, REV. S. K. MURRAY, at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Another view of the same subject discussed upon last Sunday evening, will be presented at the morning service. Senior Christian Endeavor, Tuesday evening. Prayer meeting Thursday. Y. P. S. C. E. Friday. Quarterly Conference, Wednesday.

The early evening services at Christ M. P. Church will be discontinued beginning September 2, and the resumption of the customary order be had. The hour for divine worship will be 7.30.

"GRADUATES from Goldey's Commercial and Short Hand College, Wilmington, Del., have no trouble in getting good positions. See advertisement and write for catalogue.

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COUNTY TREASURER'S

Tax Notice

IN PURSUANCE of Act of Assembly, passed January Session, 1890, Chapter 202, the undersigned, Treasurer of Kent County, hereby gives notice that for the purpose of reciving the

State and County Taxes

in said county for the year 1894, will sit in the several Election Districts as follows:

MONDAY, Sept. 3, in Millington.
WEDNESDAY, Sept. 5, in Galena.
THURSDAY, Sept. 6, in Kennedyville.
FRIDAY, Sept. 7, in Still Pond.
MONDAY, Sept. 10, at Worton Station.
THURSDAY, Sept. 13, in Melitota,
FRIDAY, Sept. 14, in Fairlee.
MONDAY, Sept. 17, in Rock Hall.

Between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M.

The Treasurer's office in the Court House, in Chestertown, will be open every day from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., except on the above dates, for the receipt of taxes, and those desiring to take advantage of the five per cent. discount on State taxes must make payment before September 1st.

Tax-payers will please take notice that taxes will be due and payable on September 1st, and that on all bills unpaid on January 1st, interest may be charged and collected from September 1st. On the first day of January all taxes are declared by law to be in arrear, and delinquents will be warned that unless settlement be made within thirty days from service of this notice, the TREASURER SHALL PROCEED TO SEIZE THEIR PROPERTY AND DISPOSE OF THE SAME to pay the taxes due with the charges thereon and all costs of sale.

The Treasurer would, therefore, respectfully urge all taxpayers to pay promptly, and if possible in time to reap the benefit of the discount.

GARRETT FOXWELL,
Aug. 18, 1894. TREASURER.

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On and after Monday, Sept. 3d, the
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will make DAILY ROUND TRIPS from Rock Hall to Baltimore as follows:
Leave Rock Hall - - - - - at 9 A. M.
Leave Baltimore - - - - - at 3.30 P. M.
GEORGE WARFIELD, PRESIDENT.
Sept. 1, 1894.

NOTICE!
CHANGE OF SCHEDULE!
Sassafras River Steamboat Company.
On and after September 1st,
Steamer SASSAFRAS
will leave Georgetown DAILY, at 6.30 a. m. on MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, (not making round trip on Friday) leaving Baltimore at 2 p. m. SATURDAY. Leave Shallcross', 6.45; Cassidy's, 7; Turner's Creek, 7.15; Betterton, 8; Buck Neck, 9.15; Gale's Wharf, 9.30.
RETURNING, will leave Baltimore at 2 P. M. on SATURDAYS. On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 3 P. M.
WILLIAM CUNDIFF, SUPERINTENDENT.
Sept. 1, 1894.

FALL SCHEDULE!
TOLCHESTER LINE!
Beginning SATURDAY, Sept. 1st, 1894,
Steamer EMMA GILES!
will leave Baltimore
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EVERY SATURDAY, - at 7.30 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.
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