The Transcript.

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LOCAL MATTERS.

NOTICE TO PATRONS.

During the past month the editors of the TRANSCRIPT have sent out many of their annual bills. It is our earnest desire to have a settlement of our affairs for the past year, and if those to whom bills have been forwarded will kindly respond promptly, we shall thank them very much. We desire to thank our friends for their patronage, and trust that the TRANSCRIPT may still continue to enjoy the confidence of the public, and its measure of their support.

First Dividend.—The first dividend in settlement of the Galena Bank's affairs has been ordered paid March 1.

Farmers' Institute. — Director of Farmers Institutes Wm. L. Amoss, has arranged to hold a Farmers Institute in the Court House on the 19th and 20th of February. A fine program is being arranged for the meeting, and speakers of prominence will be here to discuss topics of vital importance to the farmers.

$800,000 For Fair Site.—It is reported that private parties have offered $800,000 for the Jamestown Exposition site and buildings, exclusive of the State and other privately owned structures. The offer, it was said, was declined by the receivers, as there were strong hopes of disposing of their property to the Government at a much better price.

He Likes Buckwheat Cakes.—Noble Thomas, a domestic in the employ of Mr. T. Howard Barwick, of Sudlersville, ate 21 buckwheats—the size of a breakfast plate—for his breakfast one morning last week, and remarked "that he didn't feel much like eating that morning either." Mr. Barwick's family have consumed nearly 200 lbs. of buckwheat this winter.

NEWSY BRIEFS.

*†*A lady in Rock Hall has a full grown tomato, almost ripe. It is a curiosity.

*†*An important business change is reported to have been made at Betterton this week. Particulars later.

*†*The people of Betterton and vicinity have been filling their ice houses with good clear six inch ice during the week.

*†*Mr. L. Harris Crewe, of near Betterton, has lost three fine lambs recently. The cold weather is supposed to have killed them.

*†*The ground hog saw his shadow on Sunday at 12 o'clock and lookout for the weather the next 40 days. Sunday was one of the most disagreeable days of the year.

*†*Mr. Charles Jessop is clearing up a strip of woodland on either side of the Broad Neck road, near Lakkford, preliminary to the widening of the road in the Spring.

*†*Next Friday is St. Valentine's Day. May the sweet hearts get pretty ones, and those who are seeking appointments from the Governor from Kent, get remunerative ones.

*†*Quite a number of good ducks are reported to be in Comegys Bight now, and sportsmen are having fine shooting. Messrs. John G. Westcott and Jacob Wilbur have bagged some good ones.

*†*Auctioneer Charles H. Hurlock was unable to cry the Baxter sale in Queen Annes on Wednesday because of sickness. He arranged with Auctioneer John H. Greenwood to cry the sale for him.

*†*Guy Bros. minstrels showed to a good audience in Stam's Hall on Wednesday evening. The show is better than over, the olio being especially attractive. Next attraction is the Western Maryland Male Quartett.

*†*Mr. Arlington L. Sparks is testing a new denatured alcohol lamp for lighting purposes. The lamp gives a beautiful white light, steady and brilliant. Mr. Sparks will probably instal a sufficient number of lamps to light his large store room.

*†*Many lovers of the sport enjoyed the sleighing on Thursday. The going was not conducive to speed, yet some of the fast ones were out. Mr. Will Clark, of Worton, has a sorrel that showed good speed, and it has been added to the list of good ones.

*†*A scow loaned with 16,000 bushels of oyster shells has been tied up at the wharf this week waiting for the ice to clear to proceed to Crumpton where the shells will be used. The town commissioners have purchased a quantity for use in town. Some are being spread on the Quaker Neck road.

*†*Supt. Clay, of the American Strawboard Mill, states that if the town will lay mains along the streets to the old depot, he will lay a pipe from the paper mill to connect with the town mains and furnish the water for fire from the mill pond with power from the mill engines free of charge. This is a most commendable offer from Mr. Clay, and the town will no doubt appreciate his public spiritedness.

Wedding Bells.

DESHANE—WATERS.

Miss Bessie Waters and Mr. Wiliam DeShane, both of this county, were married on Thursday evening of last week by Rev. W. A. Coale, at St. Stephen's rectory, Cecilton. They went immediately to their new home, the "Turner farm" near Earleville, where they will reside.

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ABOUT YOUR FRIENDS.

Real Estate Broker J. Waters Russell has been a victim of the grippe during the week.

Coach Thompson, of Washington College, has been in Washington, D. C., this week.

Mrs. William Morris celebrated her 71st birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elmore Skirven, in Baltimore, last week. She was given a shower of souvenir post cards, of which she received 83. May she live to enjoy many more such occasions, is the wish of the TRANSCRIPT.

Mrs. Wm. J. Vannort had a bad fall on the ice on High street one day last week, sustaining a slight injury to one of her ankles, from which she was housed several days.

Mrs. B. F. Fleming and daughter, Miss Mary, have been quite sick during the week, but we are glad to state that they are improving.

Rev. S. R. S. Gray and wife, of St. Paul's and I. U. parishes, are entertaining a friend from Minneapolis, who has recently returned from Cuba.

Mr. Frederick H. Russell, superintendent of the Electric Light plant, has been quite ill at his home on Washington avenue. We are glad to state that he is slightly improved.

Master Joseph Wheatley has been housed with a mild case of the measles during the week.

The students at the college gave a delightful dance in the collge Gym. last night.

Miss Emma B. Davis, of near Still Pond, is visiting the Misses Harper, in New York.

R. T. Turner, Jr. and wife of Betterton, are spending sometime in Florida. They visit the sunny south annually. Mr. Turner is recuperating his health.

Rev. and Mrs. S. Reese Murray announce the marriage of their daughter, Ona Waters, to Mr. Daniel Nelson Clark on Monday, Feb. 3, 1908, Washington, D. C. The bride and her parents are well-known in Chestertown where they formerly lived.

Capt. and Mrs. Curtis E. Crane gave a dinner on Tuesday evening to a number of their friends at their home on Front street.

Mr. A. S. Crawford has accepted the agency in this section for the Lincoln Oil Company, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. A. L. Houston had a very painful fall from the steps at Dr. Simmons' home on Monday. She has been confined to her room under the care of Dr. Simmons.

We regret to state that Mrs. Thomas Hill, of Baltimore, has been very ill from an attack of the grippe, requiring the services of trained nurses.

Judge John H. Simpers and wife, and Mrs. Mollie Farringer, have been the victims of the grippe during the week.

Prof. Owen C. Blades, of the Manual Training Department of the Chestertown High School, has been housed with the grippe for the past few days.

Reports from Mr. John Loud, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cordray Loud, who has been ill with typhoid-pneumonia in Wilmington, state that he is improving rapidly. His father is still with him.

Mrs. Cyrus G. Howard has been the guest of Philadelphia and Wilmington relatives the past week.

Miss Mamie Thompson is spending a few days in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Merritt Brown has gone to Philadelphia, where he has secured a position with his brother as assistant engineer on a government steamer.

Miss Marghuerite Howard will take a position with Armstrong, Cator & Co., of Baltimore next week.

Mrs. Thomas D. France joined the army of grippe sufferers this week.

Col. and Mrs. S. L. Wright left this week for San Francisco to spend several months with his brother.

Mrs. Clarence S. Hurlock, of Massey, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. James D. Lucas, on Front street, this week.

Mrs. William H. Lambert, we regret to state has been quite sick at her home on Mill street this week.

We regret to state that the mother of Rev. E. B. Taylor, pastor of Fairlee and Worton M. E. Churches died last week. Our last issue stated that a telegram had summoned Mr. Taylor to her bedside at her home in Virginia.

Miss Sarah Copper, of Lynch's, has been spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Edna Copper, on High street.

Miss Reba Strong has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Massey, in Quaker Neck.

A box social will be held at the home of Miss Isabel Lambert next Friday evening.

Mrs. George B. McWhorter has been quite sick at her home on Washington avenue for the past two weeks, but we are glad to state that she improving.

Miss Cora Jewell, of Still Pond, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Rouse, on Cross street.

Mr. Willie Clayton and mother entertained a few friends and relatives at their pleasant home near Golt's on Friday evening, January 31st. The time was spent with games and other amusements and during the evening refreshments were served. All returned home at a late hour after enjoying a very pleasant evening.

Mr. Robert G. Nicholson is on a business trip to Baltimore and Newport News, Va.

The next cotillion dance will be held in Stam's Hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 20th.

Mr. J. R. Jarrell, of Kennedyville, fell on the ice on Wednesday afternoon and broke his collar bone.

With Our Advertisers.

The TRANSCRIPT is the only paper in Kent county that has a special column under a special heading for the benefit of the merchants and advertisers. These little local notices, inserted from time to time *free of charge*, are gold nuggets to the merchants, and in this manner the TRANSCRIPT helps systematically to build up home trade. We give a local notice with *every* change of adv. and thus the paper helps to build up your Trade. Mr. Merchant in the county, let the TRANSCRIPT help you. It has the circulation alright.

J. Warner Brockson, of Warwick, Md., is the agent for the celebrated Kennard Haines Co., Gasoline Engines. This make of engine is said to be one of the best on the market, thoroughly substantial and suitable for threshing, road work, gang plowing and all other purposes. Catalogue and prices sent on application. See his advertisement in another column.

Mr. Abe Cohen, proprietor of Sandy Bottom's great department store, has been busy taking stock, but he has been disposing of many of his bargains. Wednesday, is bargain day at the store, and there is always a rush. Remember Mr. Cohen pays 2c more for eggs than is quoted in the daily papers per dozen on *Wednesday*. Keep tab on his advertisement on page 4.

We call the attention of our readers this morning to the advertisement of Mr. H. S. Jewell, of Lynch's, dealer in grain, coal and lime. Mr. Jewell is well-known to the people of this county as a thoroughly reliable dealer, and his promptness and close attention to business make him the proper person with whom to deal. You will always find Mr. Jewell at the railroad station ready to serve. He can supply farmers with lime for land, and any one with coal at reasonable rates. See his advertisement on page 4.

Mr. D. A. Bacchus, the coffee and tea king, informs us that *six* new customers have been added to his trade since the insertion of his "catchy" little advertisement on page one about *four* weeks ago. They have come from Fairlee and other parts of the county. It pays to advertise in the TRANSCRIPT.

Read J. F. Thompson's change of advertisement this morning. He is offering a fine grade of coffee at 20 cents per pound, and the best Mother's bread in town. He has other inducements also.

Medders & Co. of Still Pond, are preparing for a big bargain week next week. Knockdown prices, big inducements, real bargains. See big advertisement page 8.

Those contemplating the erection of new homes in the spring will do well to consult the Messrs. W. S. & A. M. Culp. This firm has spent a lifetime in thought and study of the construction and finish of fine houses or any kind of buildings, and they can save you money. Read advertisement on page 1.

KENNEDYVILLE ITEMS.

We are taking things as they come these days and they come a little slow with the bad travel both on land and water, but they get here just the same. The drummers arrive from a day to a month late, but he expects to get an order just the same and he will get it too if there is any chance. He knows his business and you had better know yours.

With the temperature ranging from 10 to 20 we have been taking it quite cool for some days. Nevertheless our people have filled their icehouses with good ice, which means more ice cream in the good old summer time.

Some of our gunners are getting some geese and ducks while some others get lots of fresh air and boat rides and slides sometimes in the water and sometimes on the ice, but all that goes in ducking seoson.

Our village was saddened on Sunday evening last about 6.30 o'clock when the death of Mr. James Johnson was reported. Mr. Johnson was one of our oldest citizens, being in his 76th year. He had been a member of the Presbyterian Church many years. He seldom missed attending service at his own church, and when there was no service at his church he often attended the M. P. Church. While death is sad any time, yet we know it must come, it does look as though we could be thankful for many things when we have our father and husband with us for so many years, when we have lived together, while he could provide for us, and as time went on and we could provide for him. Mr. Johnson lived to see all of his children grow up to manhood and womanhood. He leaves a widow and nine children, three daughters and six sons, Misses Sue, Louise and Flora, Messrs. William, Craig, Frank, Nat, George and Harry. He was stricken on Friday morning with paralysis just as he was about to eat his breakfast. The funeral service was held on Tuesday night at his late home, conducted by Rev. G. J. Hooker. The remains were taken by train on Wednesday morning to St. George's, Del. His six sons were the pall-bearers. The family has the sympathy of the community.

We are sorry to hear of Mr. J. R. Jarrell's accident on Wednesday afternoon. He was driving some chickens from his barnyard to his chicken house, and some of them wanted to go any way but the right way, and Mr. Jarrell in his effort to drive them stepped on some ice that was covered with snow. He slipped and fell, breaking his collarbone. He is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mr. Earle Nickerson has had a pleasant visit to his cousin, Mr. Raymond Edwards, near Chesterville.

Mr. L. A. Pennington has been visiting Mr. Howard Baldwin in Howard county the past week.

STILL POND ITEMS.

Miss Alice Hepbron, of Wilmington, is spending sometime with Mrs. John Robinson, Sr.

Mr. James Severson is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Grace Conner, Middletown, Del.

Mrs. C. B. Krusen has returned home after a long and pleasant visit, in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Mr. Medford, of Marydel visited our pastor, Rev. E. H. Collins, Sunday.

Mr. Edward Ford is visiting his many friends and relatives in Wilmington.

Mrs. Mollie Laughton, of Wilmington, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Krusen.

Mr. John Jarvis spent Sunday and Monday with his parents near Galena.

Mr. Golden Warren has returned home after a visit to friends in Baltimore.

Miss Ethel Biglowe, of near Chestertown, is enjoying a visit to her cousin, Miss Louise Toulson.

Mr. Charlie Ford visited friends in Galena, Sunday.

Mr. Ed. Crowding has moved out with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crowding to spend the winter.

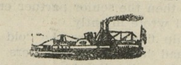
The young folks have been enjoying themselves skating on Raymond's Lake and Severson's Pond the past week, and although they have a grand time, the cold certainly does nip them. Who will come and join us in our sports?

Our revival service will commence next Sunday and continue during the month. Our pastor has been laboring earnestly during the month of January at Betterton in revival work and his work has been greatly blessed of the Lord, and 55 precious souls have been saved, last Sunday night being one of the great nights of the meeting. This meeting will close Sunday afternoon. Pastor Collins is praising the way the people stood by him and helped him in every way they could, and he believes any church can have a revival when all the people work together with God, and desire it more than anything else.

Now for the meetings at Still Pond. Everybody come. If you cannot come, "Brethern, Pray for us. May Everybody Get Right With God." There is great work to be done. Who will lend a hand for the work? The church is depending upon every member to do his duty. Pastor's subject for Sunday morning, "The Question of an Ancient Lawyer" continued, and in the evening "How to Promote a Revival." The Epworth League service will be held during the revival on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, Led next Sunday evening by Miss Mable Norris. A cordial welcome awaits you at all the services.

Md., Del. & Va. Ry. Co.

CHESTER RIVER LINE.



SCHEDULE.

(In effect September 29th, 1907.)

Steamer will leave Pier 7 Light St. wharf, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 11 A. M. weather permitting, for the following points:—Rock Hall, Queenstown, Bogles, Cliffs, Spaniard's Point, Indiantown, Piney Grove, Ashland, Quaker Neck, Booker's, Wilmer's, River Side, Rolph's, Chestertown.

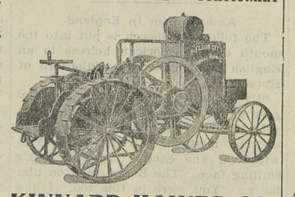
Returning, Steamer will leave Chestertown, weather permitting. Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 o'clock A. M., stopping at all the above points, arriving at Baltimore about 2.00 o'clock P. M.

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If we would agree to sell to doctors only, to advertise for doctors only, then the medical fraternity would be obliged to recognize Peruna as being entirely within their approval.

BUT WE SHALL NOT DO THIS.

We shall continue to offer Peruna to the people. We shall continue to convey to the people our claims for Peruna as a household remedy. We shall continue to supply the people with free literature, teaching them how to use our medicine, teaching them how to avoid disease, teaching them many things of benefit to the home. We shall continue to do this, whether the medical profession like it or not.

We are proposing from this time on to take the public into our confidence. Notwithstanding that some imitators and substitutors will be attempting to put up something which they consider just as good as Peruna, we are going to draw aside the veil of secrecy and allow any one who chooses to know exactly OF WHAT PERUNA IS COMPOSED.

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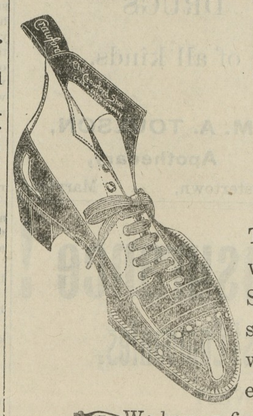
Men's	$3.50 Vests	$2.98
"	3.25 "	2.59
"	2.50 "	1.79
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"	1.50 "	1.29

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