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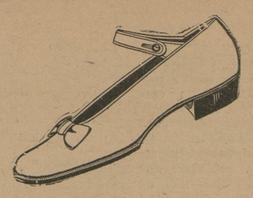

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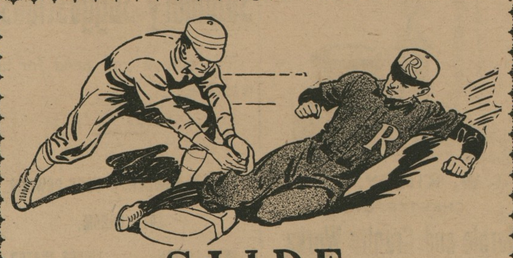

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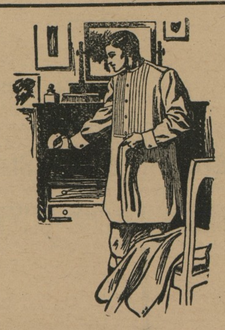

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Road Petitioners' Notice.

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We, the undersigned tax-payers, do most respectfully beg you to lay down and condemn a road for public use from McKenleyville to Pine Neck public road at William E. Edwards' corner

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D. W. CROSBY,
A. W. HUDSON,
WM. C. EDWARDS,
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CHAS. H. ASHLEY,
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May 13-tf.

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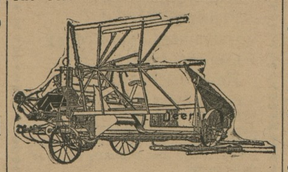

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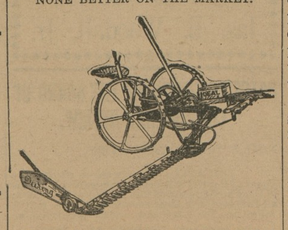

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LOCAL MATTERS

Wedding Announcement.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burris, of Millington, Md., announce the marriage of their daughter, Eva M. Burris to Mr. George L. Bartlett, of Wilmington, Del., on June 28th, 1911. The wedding will take place in Philadelphia after which the couple will return to Wilmington where they will reside.

To Bankers' Convention.—The following delegates to the Bankers' Convention which meets in Deer Park next week have been elected by the Chestertown Banks: *Third National*, Cashier W. B. Copper, *Kent County Savings*, Messrs. John D. Urie, J. D. Bacchus and William F. Russell, *Chestertown Bank of Maryland*, Messrs. Charles H Price and Merrick Clements.

Mr. Vickers' Will.—The will of the late Harrison W. Vickers, Esq., was admitted to probate on Tuesday. The will is extremely short, and was written May 24, 1911, and witnessed by Messrs. J. Cordray Loud and Sidney P. Townshend. After the payment of his proper debts and simple funeral expenses, the entire estate is left to his widow absolutely in fee, with the request that the Orphans' court exact of his widow, whom he names his executrix, only a nominal bond.

To Have School.—By a unanimous vote the School Board Tuesday voted to erect a school building in Pomona for the accommodation of the patrons in and near the village. The people of that section have long felt the need of school facilities for the village, but owing to the fear on the part of some that a building in the village would affect the middle school and the school near town, and prevent their opening the matter was never pushed. It has been demonstrated that there will be no such interference and the Board voted to place a school in the village.

NEWSY GLEANINGS.

Chestertown is to have a Posta Savings Bank.

Mr. John Bedwell has rented Mr. George Rash's farm near Worton, now tenated by Mr. Harper R. Carter.

Do you see the gas pipes lying along the streets? Lots of them ain't there! See any two footed ones in your travels?

Expressman John E. Matthews was slighthy injured on Wednesday by the falling of a heavy box of fish on his foot.

Mr. George W. Owens, of Baltimore, has just completed a fine cottage on Idlewhile Bayside for Mr. Floyd Crownhart.

Wheat is said to be scabbing badly in certain sections of the county. The heavy dews and hot suns are said to be the cause.

Wheat harvest will begin in Queen Anne's county to-day. Harvest will be general in Kent next week. The prospect is for a fair yield. Mr. I. R. Leaverton began cutting on Thursday.

Mr. William H. Lambert has a dog and six little puppies which are mothering nine motherless chicks. It is a curiosity to see the "happy family" together in their cosy box.

Eight thousand members of the Patriotic Order Sons of America celebrated the 134th anniversary of the birth of "Old Glory" at Tolchester on Wednesday. A number of members of the local order attended the celebration.

Mr. Robert Moffett moved into his new meat market this week and he is "fixed up" in fine shape. The frame building on the square heretofore used by Mr. Moffet thas been removed to his lot on Cannon street and will be used as a part of a double dwelling which Mr. Moffett will erect.

The water in Morgan spring is being pumped from the reservoir preparatory to a test of the water in the pool to determine its availability as a source of water supply for the town. A four horse-power engine is doing the work.

Capt. Curtis E. Crane received on Thursday his fine four-passenger Reo auto, which he purchased recently from Mr. P. E. Corkran, the agent for the Eastern Shore territory, at Easton. It is a beauty, and Capt. Crane is learning the art of managing the wheel from Mr. Corkran.

Alice the little 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dowling of Rock Hall, on last Sunday noon met with a very painful accident. She was holding a dish pan while her twin sister Mary was pouring hot water into same from a tea-kettle, when one of the handles on the pan broke which caused the child to scald her limbs very badly. We are glad to state she is getting along nicely.

Mr. Philip George Wilmer, one of the High school graduates in his excellent speech on Tuesday evening made a strong plea to the generosity of some one of our public spirited citizens for an athletic field where boys and girls may indulge in healthful and innocent sport. This is a plea from the youth of the town, and it would be a splendid thing if some one will heed it. Dr. S. E. Ford has very kindly donated his lot for base ball during the season, and he received the thanks of Prof. Smyth and his ball team on Tuesday evening. If we take more interest in the work the ladies are doing on the public playgrounds we shall soon have the desired field.

The storm on Monday evening did considerable damage to corn and shade trees in sections of the county. The wind was heaviest in the vicinity of Tolchester and many trees were uprooted in that neighborhood.

Those who hold tickets for the game of baseball between the married and single men for Thursday's game, will be entitled to admission at the game on Tuesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. The game on Thursday was interrupted by the storm.

THE GRIM REAPER.

MR. CHARLES FORD.

Mr. Charles Ford, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ford, of Still Pond, died last Sunday night, of kidney disease, aged 24 years. Funeral services were held from the home of his parents Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. Dr. J. H. Beauchamp and Rev. E. H. Collins, officiating. The pall-bearers, selected by the deceased before his death, were: W. H. Thompson, Jr. Elon Beauchamp, Carl Norris, Percy Jewell, Ralph Shallcross and Harry Stanley. The interment was in Still Pond cemetery, undertaker W. H. Krusen in charge. The deceased was of splendid character, loved by all his intimate aquaintances and respected by all with whom he came in contact. His bereaved parents have the deepest sympathy of the entire community.

HERMAN GRUBER.

Mr. Herman Gruber, a former well-known resident of this town, died last Saturday morning at 9.30 o'clock at the residence of his father-in-law, Camden, N. J. The deceased was well-known here, where for many years he was engaged in the bakery business with his mother on High street. He subsequently removed to Philadelphia, and later married a Camden, N. J., lady, removing to that city. He had a host of friends here with whom he was very popular. He leaves a brother, Mr John Gruber, of Philadelphia. Funeral services were held from the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. Wm. B. Lloyd, 53 S. 41st street, Camden, N. J., on Wednesday with interment at Hillside Cemetery, Philadelphia.

MRS. SARAH ANN EMERSON.

Mrs. Sarah Ann Emerson died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Sparks on High street on Wednesday, of general debility, aged 86 years. The deceased was formerly of Crumpton, but had made her home with her daughter for some time. She was held in the highest esteem by all who knew her. She leaves the following children. Mrs. Samuel Sparks, of this town, Mrs. John Seney, of Church Hill, and Mrs. Charles Walls, of Washington, D. C. She also leaves fifteen grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Sparks this Saturday morning at ten o'clock conducted by Rev. Dr. F. T. Little. Interment will be made in Crumpton cemetery. The pallbearers will be her six grandsons. Undertaker Chas. L. Dodd will have charge of the funeral arrangements.

MR. EDWIN ELLSWORTH HARDING.

Mr. Edwin Ellsworth Harding, principal member of the brokerage firm of E. E. Harding & Co., of Philadelphia, and son of Mrs. S. A. Copper, of this town, died at his home in Philadelphia on Saturday evening, of Bright's disease, aged 47 years. Mrs. Copper was notified of her son's extreme illnes and left on the afternoon train Saturday, but Mr. Harding died before his mother reached the city. The deceased was born in Baltimore, and had been living in Philadelphia for twenty years. He was one of the most prominent Masons in the country, being at the time of his death, first worshipful master of Wm. L. Elkins Lodge No. 606, of Philadelphia, the largest Masonic Lodge in the world. He leaves a widow and one son, Ellsworth Jr., a mother, two sisters, Mrs. Harry B. Rote, of this town, Mrs. Lee G. Holleman, of Anderson, S. C., and two brothers, Mr. R. W. Copper, of Pocomoke City, and Mr. Thomas Harding, of Laurel, Md. Funeral services were held on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at his home, in which Rev. Dr. L. E. Barrett assisted, and was buried with Masonic honors in Laurel Hill cemetery on Thursday, at eleven o'clock, the Masonic Lodge having charge of the services. His mother, Mrs. Copper, and Mr. and Mrs. Rote attended the funeral from Chestertown.

WM. N. NUMSEN.

Mr. Wm. N. Numsen, 75 years old, president of the William Numsen & Sons, Inc., packers of Baltimore, died on Sunday afternoon of kidney trouble: The deceased was well-known in this county, where the company is very largely engaged in buying tomatoes for canning purposes. He leaves a widow and two children. Mr. Geo. N. Numsen, the well-known former president of the Second Branch City Council of Baltimore, is a nephew.

JOHN ELLIS.

Mr. John Ellis, aged 76 years, of Delaney's, in upper Kent, died at the Delaware Hospital in Wilmington on Wednesday morning, from a complication of diseases. The body was taken care of by a brother who lives in Wilmington.

Chesterville Items.

Emmanuel: Sunday school 10 A. M. Preaching 11 A. M. Epworth League 7.30 P. M. followed by service at 8.

Trinity: Children's service 3 P. M. Epworth League 7.30 P. M.

Miss Mary Spry is visiting her grandmother in Queen Annes.

Mrs. Mary Solloway is spending several weeks with Mrs. Rebecca Bennett and other village friends.

Willie Falkner fell from a tree on Friday and received a very serious fracture of the arm.

Miss Alice Stephenson has returned from Endowood Sanatarium, Towson, and her many friends are glad to have her home. She has been very much missed since Jan. 1st.

Miss Edna Brinsfield, of Betterton, is visiting Miss Florence Skinner.

Mr. Chas. Hollett, whose knee cap was misplaced while playing in Chesterville, is able to be around on crutches.

CHURCH WORK.

Chestertown M. E. Church, Rev. Louis E. Barrett, D. D., Pastor—Next Sunday June 18th, services as follows: At 10.30 A. M., the pastor will preach, subject: "Sitting On the Fence;" 2.15 P. M. Sabbath school and Pastor's Bible Class; 7.00 P. M., Epworth League; 7.30 P. M., short sermon by the Pastor; All invited. Come and worship with us.

Pomona charge, Rev. W. M. McCann, pastor. Bond Chapel—Sunday School at 9.30 A. M. and preaching at 10.30 A. M., Mowbray Chapel—Sunday School at 2 P. M., Epworth League at 7 P. M. and preaching at 7.30 P. M. To all these services you are cordially welcome.

The ushers union of Mowbray Chapel held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mr. Goodman on Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock. A pleasant and profitable occasion.

Emmanuel P. E. Sunday School will hold its annual picnic at Tolchester on Tuesday June 27th.

Christ M. P. Church, Rev. Dr. F. T. Little, pastor. Testimony meeting at 9.30 A. M., preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. To all these services you are cordially invited.

Rev. Dr. F. T. Little arrived home on Thursday evening, and we are glad to state that he is greatly improved in health. He will occupy his pulpit on Sunday and all the usual services of the day will be held except at night.

The first quarterly conference will be at Still Pond M. E. Church this morning at 11 o'clock. The district superintendent will preach Sunday morning at 10.45.

Children's Day exercises were held in Kesley Chapel M. P. Church last Sunday. The program was splendidly rendered and the collection was good.

Preaching services will be as follows at Presbyterian Churches. Westminster Church 10.30 A. M. Grace Church 3 P. M. Children's Day at Worton Church 8 P. M. Sunday school, Worton 10 A. M. Mr. W. H. Krusen Superintendent.

The St. James Festival held Saturday evening in Turner's Hall, Worton was attended by a big crowd. A fine supper, of roast pig, mock terrapin, fine ham, chicken and potato salad, fried fish etc. was served, as well as ice cream and cake, and $148 was the gross proceeds.

Rev. G. A. Morris, the popular pastor of St. James and Lynch M. P. Churches, has been suffering from an attack of rheumatism during the week. He was able to fill his pulpit on Sunday, but was not able to be present at the supper on Saturday evening.

Rev. N. T. McGinnis, of Baltimore, filled the pulpit in Christ M. P. Church on Sunday morning and preached an able sermon. Mr. McGinnis is an exhorter in the Methodist Church, a prominent business man in Baltimore, and he will soon be a fullfledged lawyer. He was the guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Hall Denny, during his stay here.

A splendid Children's Day program was rendered at Mowbray Chapel last Sunday evening. We regret we have not space for it this week. The offering at Bond Chapel was $29.05 and at Mowbray $18.00. The total for the charge was $47.05, the largest for Pomona charge in many years. Good for Rev. W. M. McCann and his good people.

ON THE GO, TO AND FRO.

Other personals on page 2.

Miss Mettie Loud, sister of County Commissioner A. C. Loud, is in a Baltimore Hospital for special treament. Miss Loud was operated upon on Thursday, and we are glad to report that she is doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. S. Wilkins, of Baltimore, announce the marriage of their daughter, Maud, to Mr. Floyd Burdette, of Monrovia, Md. The ceremony was performed on Wednesday.

Mr. Claud Griffin, one of the graduates of Washington College, will please accept our thanks for an invitation to the annual commencement exercises.

Mr. Harry Stavely gave a yachting party Sunday afternoon to Tolchester in his new pleasure yacht, "Frances S." Those in the party were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boulden, Mr. and Mrs. John Atwell and daughter, Abigale, Mr. I. Whitcomb, of New York, Mr. Harry Stavely, Miss Pearl Coleman, Messrs. Herbert Bowers and A. Stavely.

Mrs. Calvin Coleman, of Baltimore, is spending a short time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Boulden, "Handy's Point," near Fairlee.

Mrs. J. C. Holtz, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. H. H. Klinefelter over the river.

Mr. Rudolph F. Tull, well-known in this town, where he frequently visits Mr. James G. Beck, has been bequeathed $7,500 by the will of his late uncle, Dr. Chas. M. Ellis, of Elkton.

Ex-Mayor J. Berry Mahool, of Baltimore, has been making a business trip throughout the middle section of Kent county the past week. While here he has been stopping with Harvey B. Moore, Betterton.

Improvements at Betterton.

MESSRS. EDITORS TRANSCRIPT: I am requested to call your attention to some inaccuricies in your notice of the Betterton Progressive Club. This club has been formed for the purpose of a betterment of Betterton along all lines, but especially as to improvements, both as to the town itself and the means of reaching it by water.

Mr. J. F. Gooding, president; Mr. Harvey Brice, 1st vice-president; Col. A. H. Supplee, 2d vice-president; Mr. John F. Green, secretary; J. A. Bowman, treasurer.

Situated as our town is, on the head of the bay, having access by water from Baltimore and Philadelphia and a short run from Washington and Annapolis. Not having a cemetery or sexton, undertaker, doctor, drug store or saloon, sanitary and health giving, we propose to let the world know of us.

Considerable improvement since last season in building of several residences, improvement of roads. Col. Mann has greatly improved the skating rink and bowling facilities, and Mr. Turner has in mind also improvements in his buildings. Betterton Hotel, Mr. James Crew, proprietor, has greatly increased his room capacity and also his porch facilities. Chesapeake Hotel, Mr. John Owens, proprietor, has also made changes for the peace and comfort of his guests. Rigbie is in the hands of competent management and looks bright, clean and bespeaks comfort and enjoyment for its guests.

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No. 602. 120 Acres, Kent County. Price $5,000.

All tillable except 15 acres in timber, level land and good quality, 1 mile from Pennsylvania Railroad station. 5-room frame dwelling with stable and barn. Handy to wharf and in a prosperous and thickly settled section. Price $5,000

No. 388. 75 Acres, Queen Anne's County. Price $2,800.

15 acres woodland and mill stream which affords fish; 4-room frame dwelling, new barn 20x30, and new potato house with chimney and plastered; new corn crib, wagon shed, fine spring water and well water; a fine tract of land adapted to grain, fruit, grass or truck. Fenced and near school, church, town, etc. Half cash, balance on time.

No. 243. 188 Acres, Kent County. Price $8,000.

Near town of 500 population and railroad and other conveniences, the land is level and adapted to diversity of crops, the dwelling is frame of 10 rooms, in good condition; the outbuildings are only fair; fine meadow with running stream and some woodland. Especially well located and a fine home and investment. Easy terms.

No. 580. 130 Acres, Kent County. Price $7,800.

The best water front farm for the money in Maryland. All the land is tillable, and the soil is kind and rich. Has about 200 pear trees, 25 apple trees. Beautifully located on Chester river, right at Quaker Neck wharf; 8-room frame dwelling, shade, fine drinking water from well; stable, barn and sheds in good repair. Land produced this year 25 bushels of wheat per acre. Unsurpassed for convenience. Desirable neighborhood and one mile from school. Near church, stores, etc.

No. 599. 42½ Acres, Queen Annes County. Price $2,700

42½ acres, Queen Anne's county, Md. 40 acres tillable, balance timber, white oak and chestnut; 4 fields; pears, apples, peaches, plumbs, English Walnuts, cherries, etc. Clay loam soil. Handy and convenient. Wire fenced. Near church, school, stores, etc., 6 miles from wharf. Frame 6 year old dwelling, 6 rooms and shed kitchen, one front and back porch. Stable, barn, carriage house, new implement shed, etc. Fine soft drinking water, drove pump. The dwelling is surrounded by fruit trees. Price $2,700. This is a very attractive farm and well worth all of $3,000.

No. 1,562. 130 Acres, Queen Anne's County. Price $4,500.

All tillable and medium loam soil, level and adapted to any crop. About 20 acres woodland, 6-room frame dwelling, with barn and stable and sheds; outbuildings in fair repair. Small orchard peach trees. About 2 miles from wharf and close to church and school, 6 miles from Chestertown. Price $4,500.

No. 550. 170 Acres, Kent County. Price $7.000.

Reduced from $8,000 to $7,000. It must be sold and is worth more than the price asked. One of the best propositions in this section. The farm has 120 acres tillable, balance pine, oak and chestnut; divided into 4 fields, well fenced, 2 miles from railroad station, canneries, etc. 3 miles from wearf, half mile from school and near churches, Methodist and Protestant. 8-room frame dwellng in first-class repair, with excellent cellar, and windmill affording water at house and barn, too. There is beautiful shade, maple, elm, cedar, etc., the house sits a nice distance from the public road, R. F. D. Tenant house in fair condition. Nice stable with loft, and barn in fair condition, sheds and tool house, 1½ acre fine asparagus, gooseberries, keiffer and bartlett pears. Nice easy and productive land. A decided bargain. The buyer gets a farm which he could not duplicate for the money.

No. 486. 217 Acres, Kent County. Price $6,300.

90 acres good timber, balance under plow, near school, church and stores. 7-room frame dwelling, old stable and barn. Well fenced, running stream, fruit for family use, 1 acre asparagus set out. The farm is a good grain producer. Timber in woods worth $4,000. Grows 20 bushels wheat per acre. Price only $6,300. This farm is only 3 miles from Pennsylvania railroad station and near wharf.

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