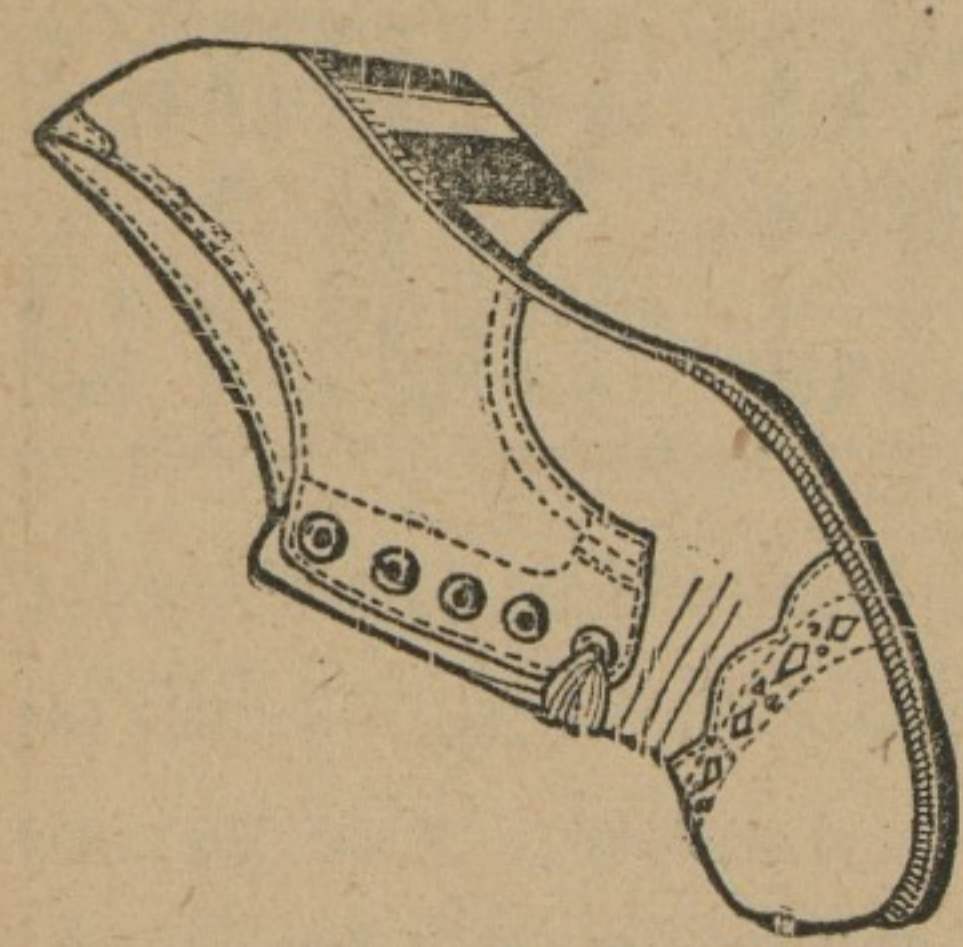


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LOCAL MATTERS

Murphy's Mill Sold.—The well-known Murphy's Mill property, situated near Warwick, Md., was sold by Joshua Clayton, attorney, to effect the sale, at the Court House door in Elkton, on Tuesday to G. Harry Davidson for \$4,600.

Wedding Invitations Issued.—Mr. George Trenchard Faithful, of Church Hill, has issued invitations to the marriage of his daughter, Sarah Eliza, to Dr. Hampton Emory Brown, on Saturday, the seventh day of June, 1913, at 12 o'clock, in St. Luke's Protestant Episcopal Church, Church Hill.

An Impressive Service.—The roll of probationers of Christ Methodist Protestant Church, elected to full membership, will be called at the morning service next Sunday, June 1st. This will no doubt be an interesting occasion and they will all be received into full membership in the church.

Church Improvement.—At a meeting of the trustees of the Chestertown M. Church on Monday night, it was decided to improve the auditorium by the removal of the big pipe organ and choir from the rear to the front of the church. This will be a decided improvement to the auditorium and will add much to the pleasure of the service.

The Game of the Season.—The game on Washington field this afternoon between Washington College and St. John's will undoubtedly draw a big crowd. There has been a friendly rivalry between St. John's and Washington, and whenever they come together there has been something interesting going. The game this afternoon will be the game of the season. Everybody go.

A Fine Appointment.—Miss Adele France, who for the past several years has been a member of the Mt. St. Mary's Seminary faculty, has been appointed a member of the faculty of Bristol School, one of the finest and most fashionable of Washington's girls' schools. Miss France is worthy of the honor in every respect, and her many friends here are delighted to learn of her good fortune. She will enter upon her duties in the fall.

Poultry Exhibit at Fair.—The TRANSCRIPT has asked the following ladies and gentlemen to assist in conducting the Poultry Exhibit at the Fair to be held August 26th to 29th, in Chestertown: Mrs. Arthur Harris, Betterton; Mrs. Harry Williams, Worton; Captain Edward W. Emory, R. Snowden Thomas, Charles H. Skirven, Owen C. Smith, Howard Anderson, John H. Moffett, Arthur Brice, L. Harris Crewe, Samuel J. Comly, Robert Wallis, William Elliott and Walter T. Bramble. These ladies and gentlemen will please meet Mr. Bowers in Mr. James G. Beck's office, Cross street, near Park Row, on Wednesday afternoon next, June 4th, for the purpose of organization of committee and arrangements of details.

Washington Graduates.—Washington College will observe its 131st commencement June 13th to 18th inclusive. The following are members of the graduating class: William DeWitt Allen, William Lester Baldwin, Newell Montgomery Cordry, Julio del Toro, Myrtle Tighman Derriekson, Margherita Lucille Dodd, Stephanie Marie Ford, Mary Naudian Hyland, Marion Howland, Gilbert Edson Meekins, Herbert Roy Meredith, Frances Marie Oats, Andrew Wendell Pardew, William Holton Parr, George Conrad Reier, Irwin Oliver Ridgely, Elizabeth Russell, Marie Christine Stokes, Clyde McMillon Stouffer, Paul Judson Wilkinson.

WE, TOO, will have a poultry show.

Our Baby Contest.—Our baby contest will take place on the first day of the fair in August. The contest is not confined to children of Kent and Queen Anne's but a baby from anywhere can be entered. The first day of the fair will be Children's Day, and all the children will be admitted free. Mothers, get the kids ready for a great day, and don't forget to have the baby looking spick and span. Prizes will be offered for the contest, which will be described later.

Time Limit Up.—The thirty days in which Mr. Adley H. Tracey, who entered into an agreement with Mr. R. G. Nicholson, proprietor of the Chestertown Ice Plant, for the purchase of the plant, expired on Wednesday last, and up to the hour of going to press nothing has been heard from Mr. Tracey. Mr. Nicholson addressed a communication to Mr. Tracey on Thursday morning in reference to the matter, thinking that probably Mr. Tracey in the rush of business had overlooked the matter.

Buy's Interest in Business.—Messrs. H. F. Jefferson & Bro., one of the hustling Chestertown dry goods firms, has purchased a half interest in the store at Crumpton, formerly conducted by Jefferson and Bowers, the Messrs. Jefferson having purchased the interest from Mr. James G. Beck. The new firm will be known as J. R. Jefferson & Brothers, and the big store in Chestertown and the one in Crumpton will be run in harmony with each other. The well-known clothing store of Crumpton store, will really be supplied from the Chestertown house. Good business, boys, push it, and let the TRANSCRIPT help you.

Lycem Theatre.—Stam's Hall, recently purchased and handsomely remodeled by the Lycem Theatre and Amusement Company, will be known as Lycem Theatre, and will be reopened June 14th, with a fine entertainment by the Paint and Powder Club of Baltimore, under the auspices of the Women's Federated Club. Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard, president of the Federated Club, and Miss Miriam Hubbard will give a dance after the play in honor of the Centerville, Easton and other neighboring towns will be largely represented. The members of the club are asked to meet at the home of Mrs. Hubbard this evening at 8 o'clock to transact important business in connection with the entertainment.

Our Merchants' Interest.
Brown Bros. have recently purchased the entire stock of spring and summer clothing from a large manufacturer and they are offering the lot to the public at greatly reduced prices. Look at their advertisement on page 2. They save them before the stock is picked over. Read H. Sachs & Son's change of adv. They have something interesting for the public to know. They are advertising inducements that will save you money. See their adv. on page 4.

Moving pictures in Millington Hall every Saturday night. 3 good reels of fine pictures.
Kilbourn & Bramble, the Fairlee merchants, are offering a fine line of harness, biggles and runabouts at attractive prices. See them while the assortment is complete.

The Peerless Fertilizer Company is improving its wharf property by the extension of a 60-foot pier into the river.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

St. Paul's supper is June 5th. That's all.
Additional stable room has been erected at Radcliffe Park by Messrs. Dwyer Bros. this week.
Spring lambs were quoted in Philadelphia markets this week from \$8 to \$8 apiece according to quality.

There is a change in the Tolchester schedule in another column.
Rev. H. P. Jester's fine driving horse has been getting sick during the week, and he was compelled to use a borrowed steed in his pastoral rounds.

Hope H. Barroll, Esq., has had the first sweet peas of the season. They have been blooming in his pretty grounds for several weeks.
Mr. Frank H. Howard has very generously donated to the Ladies' Improvement Association, the painting of the wastepaper cans on the streets.

The early cherry crop in the county is a fare. Romulus Byron, who usually grows large quantities of the White Grafton variety, has had scarcely enough to eat.
Proprietor Medford Brooks received this week a carload of spring wheat flour from Minneapolis, used in the manufacture of his celebrated brand of Maryland Seal Flour.

Mr. Robert G. Nicholson received on Thursday from Mr. J. F. Thompson, agent, a new 1913 Model 5-passenger touring car. He made his first trip to town yesterday morning.
It is reported that Mr. Thomas S. Bordley, senior member of the well-known clothing store of Bordley & Son, has joined the automobile ranks, and that he has purchased a 1913 model Overland touring car.

Mr. Samuel Vannort has some of the finest peas in Chestertown. His servant, Isaac, has an early garden that is fine. Corn knee high, tomatoes on vines, and everything growing splendidly.
Tolchester opened for the summer excursion season on Thursday. The Lycem brought good throngs from the city, and the opening was auspicious. May the management enjoy a profitable season.

Mr. A. J. Hackett, Jr.'s, blacksmith shop is a busy place these days. The race horses at Radcliffe Park have been shod and reshod, and Mr. Hackett's trade is growing immensely because his work gives general satisfaction.
Mr. J. H. Sides has accepted the agency for the well-known Empire automobile, manufactured by the Empire Motor Company, of Indianapolis, Ind. One of these fine cars may be seen at Mr. Sides' big garage on Cross street.

Stop! Look! Read! Still Pond Grangers will hold another in-door picnic in their hall this afternoon. Bring your lunch baskets just as full of good things as they will hold, and let's all have a jolly good time. An interesting program has been arranged.
Decoration Day was a great day in Chestertown. The banks and public offices were closed; Garfield Post decorated the dead comrades in the cemetery, flowers, flags floated from poles and stores, and about 800 people attended the races at Radcliffe Park in the afternoon.

Dr. Houston Toulson will be one of the graduates at the Maryland University Medical school commencement at the Lyric, Baltimore, this evening. Dr. Toulson has been appointed resident physician at the University Hospital, and after a short vacation will enter upon his duties. He visited his parents here several days this week.

B. Hyson Rogers, Esq., has purchased from Mr. Frank V. Simpers, the pretty building lot on Front street adjoining the home of Mr. James W. Crouch, and he has contracted with Messrs. Dwyer Bros. for the erection of a pretty home thereon. It is expected to have the residence ready for occupancy in the fall.

The Public Library will be open in the morning instead of the afternoon from 10 to 12 on and after next Tuesday. The management has added this week to the library the valuable Howard and Junior Classics, by Dr. Charles Elliott, former president of Harvard University. This is a most valuable addition to the library, and we are sure the patrons will appreciate being able to read the works.

Two fine farms were sold at public sale in Centerville on Tuesday, Indian-town, beautifully situated on Chester river was purchased by Mr. Blanchard Emory for \$55.50 per acre; and the Bryan farm was purchased by the mortgagee, Mr. Lowe, at \$56 per acre. Indian-town contains 659 acres of land, and is regarded as a fine farm, while the Bryan farm is also considered fine. Mr. Thomas G. Wroth, one of Kent's prominent landowners, made a substantial bid on the Bryan farm.

OUR DEATH RECORD.
MR. JOSHUA A. MCCLEARY.
Mr. Joshua A. McCleary, one of the most widely known men in this county and proprietor of the riding horses at Tolchester, was found on Thursday night by members of the family in the yard of his home near Tolchester, with a gun shot wound in his body. Life was almost extinct when found. The members of his family were awakened about eleven o'clock by the report of a gun. They went to Mr. McCleary's room and finding him there, they went into the yard and found Mr. McCleary lying on the ground in a pool of blood. He was past 70 years of age, and for years he had been in charge of the riding horses at Tolchester. Mr. McCleary was a fine man. He was a man also of more than ordinary intelligence. He possessed the gift of writing poetry to a marked degree, and on several occasions he had read before the Fairlee Grange, of which he was a member and in whose meetings he took great interest; several selections of rare merit. His sudden death was a great shock to his family and many friends.

He leaves besides his widow, who is a grand good woman, two sons—William and Frank, and a daughter—Mrs. Bowen, who assisted the father in business during the summer. Mr. Charles D. McCleary, of Chestertown, is a brother.

CAPT. SAMUEL B. GLADDING.
Capt. Samuel B. Gladding, one of the best-known men in the bay trade and for several years commander of the gasoline motorboat Lauretta Curran, plying between Baltimore and Centerville, died Thursday evening at his home, 136 North Kenwood avenue, of Bright's disease. He was 60 years old. Captain Gladding began his career on sailing vessels trading from Baltimore to ports in various parts of the Atlantic Ocean and had been a commander of vessels since he was 16 years old. Captain Gladding is survived by a widow, Mrs. Mary K. Gladding; three sons, E. Charles Gladding, Quincy A. Gladding and Sam'l Bennett Gladding, and by two daughters, Myrtle I. and Marie C. Gladding.

Funeral services at 10.30 at his late residence Sunday morning. Rev. T. N. Given officiating. Pall-bearers: John P. Nicholson, James Bramble, T. E. W. Crew, E. A. Corey, P. B. Hendrickson and Wm. G. Smyth. Charles L. Dodd, undertaker.

MRS. THOMAS H. JARMAN.
Mrs. Thomas H. Jarman, sister of Rev. Dr. Thomas H. Lewis, president of Western Maryland College, died at her home in Greensboro, on Tuesday of last week, age 74 years. She leaves a husband, three sons, one daughter and three sisters.

MRS. ANN RAWLEY HOFFECKER.
Mrs. Ann Rawley Hoffecker, aged 76 years, widow of Wm. D. Hoffecker, of near Kenton, Del., and mother of Mr. Denny Hoffecker and Mrs. J. A. Russell, formerly of Chestertown, and now of Chester, Pa., died on Wednesday of last week.

MRS. M. VIRGINIA SUDLER.
Mrs. M. Virginia Sudler, widow of John W. E. Sudler, formerly of Sudlersville, died at the home of her son, Carroll H. Sudler, in Chicago, on Friday. The remains were brought to Sudlersville on Monday for interment.

Church Notes.
Other Church Notes on page 3.
The subject for next Sunday in the Presbyterian pulpit, Kennedyville, Rev. Wm. Clews, pastor, will be: "Whither Goest Thou?"

Christ Methodist Protestant Church, Dr. W. R. Graham, pastor. Regular services will be held on Sunday, May 31, A. M. and 7.30 P. M. At the morning service the roll of probationers will be called and they will be received into full membership. Sabbath school 2.30 P. M. Juniors' meeting 6 o'clock. Christian Endeavor service 6.45 P. M.

IN MEMORIAM.
JOYNER—In sad but loving remembrance of our beloved father, Samuel Joyner, who died one year ago, May 28, 1912.
A beautiful life is ended.
A dear father laid to rest,
Safe in the arms of Jesus,
Safe on his gentle breast.
We leaned upon hopes that were all in vain.
Till the terrible word at last,
Told our stricken hearts he was out of pain.
And the beautiful life had passed.
In the years fast fleeting by,
Thou wilt not be forgot.
For in our hearts for thee still blooms,
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TUESDAY, JULY 1, 1913,
between the hours of two and four o'clock P. M., at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., the following described property, situated at Tolchester Beach, in the Sixth Election District:
One Large Elevated Gravity Platform, known as "THE TICKLER," containing several thousand feet of lumber, together with chain and other appliances and electric light connections. One Large Steam Boiler, about 12 H. P. and attachments. One Large Horizontal Engine, about 15 H. P., in complete order, and attachments.
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