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FUN! FUN! FUN!

• Prof. A. W. HAWKS, the Humorist, •

Will Lecture
AT BOND CHAPEL,
TUESDAY EVENING, March 19, 1895,
—ON—
"THE PEOPLE I HAVE MET."
Admission, 25 Cents.

TO FARMERS:

A small acreage of TOMATOES wanted for Canning. Will contract March 23d, at Rawleigh's Hotel, foot Cannon street, Chestertown. For Rock Hall see John W. Downey before April 1st. Price, $5 per ton.
m16-3t. JOSEPH DOWNEY.

ORCHARD GRASS SEED.

A FINE LOT OF ORCHARD GRASS SEED FOR SALE.

Clean and well matured.
JAMES T. DIXON,
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AT PRIVATE SALE:

The undersigned has for sale Two thoroughbred ALDERNEY CALVES, which will be sold cheap for the cash. One was bought for $45 a short while ago, but as the cash is needed both will be sold cheap. Pedigree furnished by Mr. James H. Baker, former owner. Apply to
m16-tf. JOHN S. VANDEGRIFT.

WANTED.

A DESIRABLE PLOT OF LAND, on the Chesapeake, having not less than Fifty (50) Acres. Address, giving description of property and stating lowest price, spot cash.
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A Baltimore ORGAN BUILDER, of high character, will visit Chestertown next week to tune Christ Church organ. He's fine in the tuning of organs and all other musical instruments, and gives this opportuniny to all others that may wish his services, at small cost. Orders may be left at KENT NEWS, office.

GOOD HANDS FOR HIRE.

The undersigned, a good, able FARM HAND, wants employment for himself and wife. The latter is willing to serve as cook, while Mr. Blackburn has had considerable experience on the farm. They have a boy ten years old. Can give recommendations.
Apply to A. W. BLACKBURN,
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MRS. WILLIAM G. TREW,
LANKFORD,
is prepared to do DRESS MAKING and FITTING in the best manner and according to latest patterns, and at prices to suit the times. Also, Plain Sewing. m2-3t.*

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100 seven feet six inches long; 100 six feet six inches long. SAMUEL DAVIS,
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ASPARAGUS CROWNS.

100,000 FOR SALE CHEAP, all first-class plants. Also, the best, cheapest and handsomest ASPARAGUS CRATES ever offered in this market. For prices, &c., call or address.
R. S. EMORY,
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FOR SALE:

100,000 PALMETTO ASPARAGUS CROWN!

Those wishing Crowns would do well to order early. F. P. COCHRAN,
Galena, Md.

This is to certify that the Palmetto Asparagus grown by Frank P. Cochran, of Galena, Md., is without any exception the largest and finest eating asparagus we have ever seen or handled, thus going to show that this variety is peculiarly adapted to this climate.
R. E. COCHRAN & CO.,
96 Park Place, New York City.

BALTIMORE, MD. 10, 15, '94.

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Very truly yours,
m16 tf. SNYDER & BLANKFORD.

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FRONT STREET, CHESTERTOWN, MD., opposite the Old Bank.

Permanent and Transient Boarders taken at low rates. Lunch served at short notice. Oysters in all styles. Firt-class Dinners to country people at 35c. Bride's Cakes made to order. We also carry in stock a general assortment of Cakes and Confectionery. Picnics and Festivals supplied with our celebrated Ice-cream at moderate prices. A call solicited. m16-1y.

MRS. WM. H. BROWN'S

BOARDING HOUSE, CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Having rented the large and commodious residence lately remodeled by Mr. Wilbur Eliason, on Spring avenue, I am now prepared to take Boarders by the week or month. Traveling Salesmen can find all the comforts of home here, and every accommodation that any hotel can offer. Very respectfully,
mar9-y. MRS. WM. H. BROWN.

ALCANTELL 21308,

Son of Great Alcantara, record 2.23, will stand at my stable for the spring season 1895, from March 15th to June 15th, at the low service of $10.00. Money payable at time of service.
G. ALLEN JARMAN,
VETERINARIAN,
m9-3t. Chestertown, Maryland.

EGGS FOR HATCHING

FROM PURE BRED POULTRY.

Golden Wyandottes, $1.00 per 15; S. C. White Leghorns, (Wyckoff strain) $2.00 per 15; Buff Plymouth Rocks (something new) $3.00 per 15. Orders filled in their turn.
G. ALLEN JARMAN,
VETERINARIAN,
m9-3t. Chestertown, Maryland.

TO THE LADIES.

It is the women who have the worry and care of Chickens, therefore we invite them to visit OUR POULTRY YARDS ON CANNON STREET and inspect our fine fowls and choose for themselves the birds they desire.
J. S. VANDEGRIFT & CO.

WANTED:

An active, reliable man to sell our goods to consumers in Chestertown and vicinity.
Adress GRAND UNION TEA CO.,
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Town Matters.

A meeting of the town commissioners was held Monday and several important matters presented for action. It is very much desired to open Spring avenue and as Mr. Eliason, who has purchased the Hall's hotel property, is willing to an improvement it is likely to be made. The point at issue is the cost of damages to be paid Mr. Eliason. Mr. Eliason was made an offer by the commissioners but refused it. It was then agreed to appoint arbitrators and settle the matter by law of 1882. The street at the corner of Spring avenue and Calvert street is only 20 feet wide and it is proposed to tear down Hall's hotel and one of the stables and widen the street to thirty feet.

The old market house is still in the market. Several offers have been made to the commissioners and last Monday they decided to accept one of them, but the party refused to take it, thus leaving the house yet for sale.

Officers Kelley and Copper have killed 127 dogs since Christmas and yet there are plenty of them left.

H. H. Barroll, Esq., has asked permission of the town authorities to erect a telephone line from his house to his office.

Death's Doings.

The body of Elwood Mirch was brought down on the train Wednesday, and interred in Chester cemetery. The pall-bearers were R. S. Startt, Herbert and Foster Perkins, C. S. Jr., and Alvey York and James Shuster. Rev. W. P. Compton was the officiating minister. The deceased was the son of Mr. James Mirch, formerly of Chestertown but now of Philadelphia. He died of consumption on Monday after a long illness, aged 17 years and ten months.

Rev. E. R. McGregor, a member of the Maryland Conference of the M. P. Church, died at Ballston, Va., last Friday, aged 78. Mr. McGregor joined the conference when it met in Chestertown and while here was the guest at our home. He was a noble worker in God's vineyard and has gone to his reward leaving a good record.

Plenty of Fish!

The first herring of the season was caught by Mr. James Byron, that skillful fisherman. Messrs. Percy Rawleigh and Al. Benjamin caught several bunches Monday which sold readily at 40 cents per bunch. The scene at the steamboat wharf Monday was an active one. Nearly a hundred bunches of perch were shipped while many men were getting ready to cast their nets. Mr. Joseph Downey put his big net over this week and made a small catch. The outlook is for an abundance of fish.

Superintendent Noland, of Tolchester writes us that the fishermen there are "in it." He states that he never saw so many fish. Good.

The first herring is considered quite a prize and generally goes to Denton or Easton but Chestertown beats 'em all this season. In Caroline when the coming of the herring happened to be on Sunday the announcement of it has been known to break up congregations in country churches. J. Fletcher Wilson, Esq., the veteran fisherman of Georgetown, was said to get very uneasy while in the Legislature just as soon as March came, and he was joked considerable about the first catch of herring. Judge Wickes, of the Circuit Court, whose spring term begins at Elkton in March, and ends at Easton the last of May says: "We get our first shad when on Circuit at Denton, and our first strawberries at Easton."

Chasing A Thief!

Messrs. Roland Bros., butchers on High street, had their first experience with a town thief Saturday. A colored boy walked into the shop, purchased some sausage and told Mr. Roland he would leave it on the counter until he came back. The boy went out, the sausage was left on the couuter, and Mr. Roland retired to a back room, as was his custom. Presently the boy came sneakingly in the front door, hurriedly grabbed up the bundle and ran off. But he was not too quick for Mr. Roland, for he was keeping a close watch on his shop, and saw the boy when he returned. A hot chase was had down high street, several joining in the fun and the scared darkey did his best to elude his captors. But the boy was outfooted by Mr. Roland and overtaken near P. T. McFeely's store. The sausage was taken from him and the little culprit was allowed to go his way.

THE Tolchester steamer came over Saturday morning, but owing to the gale that was blowing she could not land and returned to Baltimore. The afternoon trip was safely made.

Ashore in Chester River!

During a heavy gale which prevailed early Saturday morning a number of vessels went ashore. Captain Jack Anthony, of the B. S. Ford, stated that he saw a pungy and a schooner ashore near the ferry, East Neck Island, Saturday but on the trip up Thursday there was but one boat ashore.

Capt. Turner, of the McLane, was in the river Saturday and reports the schooners Lucy Virginia and Annie K. Dukes ashore at the mouth of the river. The McLane on Sunday attempted to relieve the Dukes, but could not get near enough to render assistance. The oysters were transferred and the tug Annie Bell came Tuesday and pulled them off.

A report reached the NEWS office Tuesday that a Baltimore sloop belonging to tho Webster fleet had capsized near Swan Point, and that the crew was supposed to be lost. Capt. Hyland, of the Anna B. Smith could not verify the report.

The Ida V. Seward, of Oxford, was lost in Broad Creek with all on board Saturday. The Captain was Benjamin F. Wilson, of Oxford, with three white men and two colored men as crew. Capt. John S. Crockett, of the oyster police sloop, and others towed the capsized boat to Oxford Sunday afternoon. The oyster police sloop is still searching for missing men or their bodies.

In the Social World.

The Lenten season does not put a quietus on all events in the social world as the following items will attest.

A party of masqueraders met at Miss Pearl Shuster's home on High Street Tuesday evening and surprised Miss Sue Ford, a popular young lady, living near town. Refreshments were served and games of various kinds were played during the evening. Miss Rose Frazier impersonated Anna Gould; Miss Minnie Peregoy, widow; Miss May Fallowfield, a dudene; Miss Katie Shuster, gypsy woman; Miss Belle Overend, Goddess of Liberty; Miss Claudia Thompson, Lady of Lyons; Miss Pearl Shuster, Dinah; Robert Shelton, Sing Lee; Elwood Baker, grandfather; James Shuster, lieutenant; James Lucas, a back number; Sereck Shallcross, an inhabitant of a grave yard; Dave Ford, coachman; Frank Simpers, a colored divine.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Nicholson entained a large party of young folks from Chestertown at their hospitable home near Fancy School Tuesday evening. The evening was pleasantly passed with games such as "Pansy," "Hurly-burly," "Who's Got It," etc. At 11 P. M., creams, ices, confectionery, cake, lemonade, fruits, etc., were served. Those present included Misses Gertie Lusby, Anna and Sue Lambert, Emma and May Knight, Lottie and Annie Russell, Fannie Baker, Julia Thompson, Palmer Carroll, Clara and Daisy Usilton, Marian Lusby, Miss Willis, Mrs. Chas. R. Twilley; Messrs. Harry Willis, Charles L. Dodd. Edw. Lambert, D. A. Bacchus, Jos. Watson, Alwyn M. Culp, Fred. G. Usilton, Dr. H. L. Dodd, Bertie Nicholson, R. Stockton Startt, J. H. Aldridge, Dr. C. R. Twilley, W. B. Usilton, Jr., Richard Merrikin, Mr. Carey.

Mr. George B. Lofland and wife entertained a number of friends at their new home on High street Thursday night. Refreshments were served and a social evening passed. Mr. Joseph Guest was master of ceremonies, and made every one feel at home. Among the number present were W. T. Matthews, Ambrose Frazier, Charles J. Reiche, Edw. Lambert, J. F. Howard, H. Collins, Geo. S. Biddle, J. Frisby Newcomb, J. W. Silcox, F. M. Miller, J. Frank Leary, L. B. Russell, C. C. Hopper, H. Meeteer Wallis, J. Randolph Rollison, Thos. Reiche, W. H. Lambert, Jr., Fred. G. Usilton, Wm. Davis, Harry Hoyle, Jas. W. Chapman and James Allen.

The young people of Fairlee and vicinity gave Miss Grace Hatcherson a surprise last Friday night. They numbered about sixty and filled the capacious rooms completely. Dancing was a feature of the evening, music being furnished by Messrs. C. H. and Warren Hurlock and Wm. Barnes. Miss Grace under stands how to entertain and treated her guests quite royally.

Frank Smith, son of Mr. S. F. Smith, was given a surprise by some of his comrades last Friday evening. "Mickey" was at home and did the honors of the evening nobly.

A lunch party was held at Miss Etta Edwards' home at Lynch's Station Tuesday evening for the benefit of Lynch's Church. Lunches sold well and considerable enjoyment was derived from their consumpton.

C. S. SMITH is making some decided improvements to the interior of his house. Mr. Frank Duyer is doing the work.

Shall The Basket Factory be Run?

Messrs. Reuben Jones, of Catonsville, C. H. Lake, of Baltimore, and F. M. Widerman, of Relay, were in Chestertown Tuesday investigating the outlook for the operation of a basket factory. One of the gentlemen owns part of the machinery in Collins' factory on Thompson's wharf, and does not want to remove it if proper parties can be found to run the concern. Capt. Wm. D. Burchinal showed the gentlemen about town, and they left impressed with the advisability of starting the enterprise, but did not state their decision in the matter.

MISSIONARY ANNIVERSARY.

Chestertown M. E. Church Crowded with People Sunday Night.

The missionary anniversary held in the Chestertown M. E. Church Sunday night was a success in more ways than one. The publicity of the event brought a crowded house, every seat being taken and many being compelled to stand in the aisles. The pulpit was removed and a platform erected. Across the front of the church was a good drawing of the old and new world by Mr. D. P. Jones, artist, while the starry firmament was also represented. Mottos including "Go ye into all the world and preach my gospel," "The World for Missions," etc., were inscribed about the globes. The program opened with an organ voluntary by Miss Belle Pippin, followed by an anthem by the choir consisting of Chorister Robert K. Pippin; sopranos, Miss Nettie Gooding, Minnie Peregoy, May Fallowfield and Mamie Copper; alto, Miss Clara Downey; bassos, Walter Pippin, J. H. Parrott, J. W. Bordley, Geo. B. Twilley, Arlie Sparks; tenors, Jos. W. Downey, M. W. Thomas, George Downey, C. S. York, Jr. Singing was followed with prayer by Mr. M. A. Toulson. Then came a solo by little Arthur Bordley, the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bordley. This was one of the pleasing features of the evening, and as he sang "Now I Lay Me," the whole audience was in sympathy with him. The solo by Miss Clara Downey was finely sung and little Miss Edith Fallowfield did beautifully. By request Mr. Pippin's quartette sang a pretty selection in their usual fine manner. Rev. W. P. Compton made an appropriate address, after which a number of scholars told in verse what had been done for missions, etc. This exercise was performed by Misses Barbara Anthony, Bertie Burchinal, Hallie Toulson, Josephine Thompson, Bessie Twilley, Messrs. Harry Anthony, Charley Pippin, Frank McWhorter, Eugene Lucas and Harrison Vickers.

The report of the classes was the principal feature of the program. Quite a rivalry was manifested for the banner, prizes, etc. Mr. R. S. Thomas' class of young men won the banner contributing $9.25. It was presented by Mr. Howard A. Covey. This class also received a bible for contributing the highest amount for the year, $27, Mr. M. W. Thomas making the presentation. Other amounts for the year were as follows:

Miss Fannie Stuart	$14 31
W. P. Compton	13 48
Miss Laura Thomas	11 55
Miss Mary Vickers	8 51
Infant Class	6 56
Mrs. J. F. Thompson	7 59

The total amount for the year was $165.91; for the month, $51.71.

The officers of the society are J. F. Davis, president; Miss Anna M. Downey, vice-pres.; Miss Minnie Peregoy, sec.; Miss Elizabeth Stuart, treasurer.

Big Day at Wesley Chapel.

Last Sunday morning Missionary Services were held as Wesley Chapel. The congregation, though small, was a very appreciative one, and as all efforts to have a rehearsal failed owing to so much sickness prevailing in the neighborhood, we felt very proud of our little ones for the manner in which they acquitted themselves. The following program was beautifully rendered:

Hymn.....All hail the power of Jesus' Name.
Prayer.....Pastor.
Introductory Address.....Miss Lillie Shaw.
Duet, In His Name.....Misses E. Stevens and B. Coleman.
What are we doing for Church extension?.... Miss Julia Burgess.
The Helpers.....Four little girls.
Solo, Not a Sparrow Falleth.....Miss Lula Shreeve.
Exercise.....Pastor and band of children.
Recitation, The best I can...Lilian McIntyre.
Solo, The Garden of Prayer.....Miss Edith Stevens.
Address.....Dr. Bates.
Recitation, Two Pennies...Douglas Gresham.
Offering.
Hymn.....Speed Away.
Benediction.

The recitation by little Douglass Gresham requires special mention, especially in the closing lines by his emphatic tones, "If little boys give their pennies, I think big men should give dollars, don't you?" Some dollars were given, for our collection amounted to $12, which was excellent taking into consideration the number present.

THE failure of Darrow & Co., of Philadelphia, has broken up all the small canneries in Delaware and there will be very few tomatoes planted.

Jurors for April Court.

His honor, Judge Joseph A. Wickes, drew the following names Thursday to serve on the jury for the approaching April term of court:

2 J. Herman Ireland.	4 George W. Smith,
4 Wm. H. Lambert.	2 Edw. W. Hepbron,
4 Cornelius C. Brown,	1 Colin F. Taylor,
3 Daniel E. Sewell,	1 A. Hendrickson,
4 Samuel Beck.	2 Jos. W. Harper,
3 Thomas Rasin, Jr.,	5 John E. Morris,
2 Charles H. Price,	3 Wm. D. Pennington,
1 Samuel Mallalieu,	3 Samuel F. Cooper,
5 Richard W. Jones,	4 Thos. D. France,
1 Wm. A. Hyland,	4 Wilbur Eliason,
2 J. P. Hendrickson,	5 Wm. H. Coleman,
1 Edw. E. Woodall,	1 Henry S. Cook,
2 John M. Comegys,	1 Wm. H. Cacy,
1 A. H. Johnson,	5 Robert S. Crew,
4 John K. Aldridge,	5 George Bell,
2 George M. Beasten,	2 Alday Clements,
1 Henry J. Gray,	2 John W. Jarman,
5 John W. Skirven,	4 Walter F. Morris,
5 Samuel J. Wickes,	4 Wm. D. Burchinal,
2 Wm. A. Kennedy,	4 Edward W. Emory,
3 Ellsworth Bowers,	5 Joseph Rasin,
4 Hiram M. Brown,	5 Columbus A. Leary,
3 G. W. Rodenhiser,	1 Edwin S. Morris,
2 John Hurlock,	1 Cornelius J. Scott.

Summary: First district, 11; second, 11; third, 6; fourth, 11; fifth, 9.

SALE OF FARMS.

J. D. Urie, Esq., attorney, sold Saturday the one-half interest of Edw. E. Clayton in the "Clinton Farm," near Still Pond, to H. H. Barroll, Esq., and Mr. George B. Westcott for $1025.50. This farm contains 107 acres of land. All Mr. Clayton's half interest in "Big Meadows," near Worton, to Mr. Samuel Merritt for $1225. This farm contains 285 acres. Also a one-fourth interest in "Little Meadows," near Hanesville, to Dr. James Urie for $580. This tract contains 180 acres.

Charles T. Westcott, Esq., attorney, sold at public sale Tuesday the Jeremiah N. Moffett farm called "Chester Grove" near Chesterville, to Andrew Woodall, Esq., for $2,000, subject to a mortgage and several judgments. Mr. Moffett attended the sale and stated that he wanted the farm to bring a good price. The farm contains 123 acres of land.

C. T. Westcott, Esq., attorney, also sold "Marsh Point," on Sassafras river, containing 157 acres of land, and the wharf, to Andrew Woodall, Esq., for $8,500.

IN CHURCH CIRCLES.

Methodist Conferences Draw Nigh—Who Do You Want for your Pastor—Lenten Services.

As the time for the convening of the Wilmington Conference is only a few days off, Methodists begin to wonder who will direct the trend of the spiritual affairs next year, and consequently speculation is rife among the churches. An authority who does not claim to be a prognosticator says: Some think that J. A. Arters will go to Galena, if so Mr. Nelson would likely go to Greensboro. But this contingency is not probable. Rev. W. R. Mowbray, now closing his second year at Smyrna, and who was the very popular pastor of Bond Church, is likely to come to Galena; or it may be that C. F. Sheppard will leave Sudlersville for Galena, and in that case Mr. Mowbray may go to Sudlersville. E. H. Nelson, having served five years at Galena, will likely follow J. D. Kemp at Still Pond, the latter going to Clayton or Laurel. G. W. Burke may change this year, and if he does, J. F. Anderson, of Pomona, will step in his place and T. R. Vandyke will go to Pomona. Rock Hall, Fairlee and Morgan Creek will not likely change.

The M. P. Conference will meet in Alexandria April 3rd. A president is to be elected and there is quite a rivalry for this honored position. Among the names mentioned as most likely candidates are Rev. F. T. Little, F. T. Tagg and J. L. Mills.

The Lenten services at the P. E. Church in Chestertown have been well attended notwithstanding the inclement weather. The choir will commence their rehearsals for Easter in a few weeks.

Father Ott expects to have some extra music in his church Easter Sunday. He has some talented material and expects them to do good work.

Mrs. Mary Van Cott, the evangelist, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is helping Rev. J. S. Bowers in his revival meetings. We had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Van Cott at Ocean Grove last summer and was impressed with her splendid character. She has met with great success wherever she has gone and will no doubt have a glorious meeting at St. John's.

The Baltimore M. E. Conference voted against admission of women as delegates to the general Conference. Not a single good reason was given except that the men wanted to rule things without woman. Can they do it? The individual communion cup also came in for discussion but no action was taken against its use.

Rev. S. R. Murray directed special thought to young men at both services Sunday and gave some rich food for their reflection.

Rev. L. E. Pool preached a sermon to the Knights of Pythias in Piney Neck M. E. Church Sunday night. A large audience greeted the young preacher.

PERSONALS.

J. Henry Baker, Esq., spent Sunday with his parents near Pomona. Mr. Baker has had several court cases and managed them with credit and ability.

J. F. M. Woodall, Esq., of Georgetown, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Clements several days this week. He was interested in the sale of several tracts of real estate.

Mr. Wilbur Eliason and Miss Anna Brown left on the train from Price's Station Saturday afternoon for Fort Worth, Texas, where Mr. H. Clay Brown is ill with fever. A telegram yesterday says he is improving.

Ex-treasurer C. S. Hurlock was in town Wednesday. He has been confined to the house with the grip for sometime but does not show any effects from it.

H. W. Vickers, Esq., returned from Baltimore Saturday, where he had been to see his daughter, who is sick in the city. She was much improved when Mr. V. left her.

Phil. H. Tuck, Esq., of Baltimore, spent several days in town this week on business.

Mr. Wm. A. Elliott has been in Baltimore this week consulting a specialist for catarrh and returns home improved, although not permanently cured.

Dr. Paul Jones, a guest at the Voshell House, received a box from his home in Mexico this week. Among the pictures was that of a patient who had been afflicted with leprosy but whose life had been saved by amputating the limb, something that the Mexican doctors declared was impossible. Grains of coffee plucked from trees in the doctor's home yard were also sent him.

Mr. Samuel Cacy has had several attacks of heart trouble recently and is yet quite poorly. He has the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

Miss Marie Hurlock is the guest of Miss Grace Greenweod on Queen St.

Mr. Clarence Dyott, of Baltimore, is visiting friends in town, recuperating his health. His wife is with him.

Miss Willis is the guest of Mrs. Harry Willis near Fairlee.

Mrs. C. V. Newman has received a beautiful collection of pictures from one of her friends who is in Italy.

Mr. W. T. Matthews returned Thursday from a business trip to New York and elsewhere.

Mrs. Annie Taylor, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. J. W. Lambert on Mill St.

Mr. Wm. R. Pippin is in town for a week. Mr. Pippin anticipates removing to town provided the prospect for work justifies it.

Mr. Wm. Rose, a stenographer in the late Congress, is visiting his grand mother in Chestertown.

Miss Cora Reed returned this week from a visit to Baltimore bringing home lot of new millinery goods.

Mrs. A. Alexander, of Rock Hall, has returned home after a pleasant visit of two months to relatives and friends in New York.

Miss Jennie Copper left town a few days ago for a trip in the South.

Mr. Joseph Guest received a letter from his daughter in Massachusetts a few days ago saying that she and her husband and four children had all been in bed with the grip.

Mrs. Jos. Guest is spending a few weeks in Baltimore.

Mr. Wm. McKaig, the shoemaker, has returned to Chestertown and placed his sign out at Mr. T. G. Wroth' shoe store.

Miss Guion, of Newberne, N. C., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Westcott on Queen street.

Mrs. R. Bergen has been on a visit to Eastern markets and will return next week with an assistant milliner and a fine line of spring goods.

Mr. Albert Hulme is visiting Mr. Jessie Usilton, nesr Melitota. Mr. Hulme states that his father is now doing business in Philadelphia, having opened a real estate office there.

Mrs. A. R. Chrisfield has been spending quite a pleasant visit with her father, Mr. W. T. Slagle in Queen Anne's.

Mr. A. Friedman is in New York selecting a new line of goods.

MARRIED.—Miss Agnes Frazier, formerly of Kennedyville and a well-known young lady in Kent society, and Mr. Jas. Redgraves, a successful young farmer of Cecil county, were married Tuesday, March 12th, at the country residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. James Roe, near Middletown. Only near relatives and a few intimate friends were present.

UNDER NEW HANDS.—Mr. John W. Silcox has been engaged by the Chestertown Roller Mill Co., to take charge of their mill, near Chestertown, superseding Mr. Wright. A carload of Wester[illegible] wheat was bought by Mr. Wilbur [illegible] son, manager of the mill, an[illegible] Wednesday. This foreign [illegible] bought becauseof their in[illegible] satisfactory supply in[illegible]

THREE PER[illegible] shocks f[illegible] this [illegible]

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