Kent News.

SATURDAY, - - MARCH, 30, 1895.

MR. W. R. KAY a few days ago lost a fine pair of young mules. Their death was from some unknown cause.

MR. C. S. SMITH, one of Chestertown's most enterprising merchants, has a wonderful store. Read his adv. in this issue.

The Emma A. Ford will be put on this route to-day.

Lettuce and onions have been sold in Chestertown for two weeks past by Mr. Senart.

Baltimore Market.—Wheat is quoted at 60@61¼c; receipts light. Corn, white, 50⅝c.; yellow, 50⅝c. Oats, 36½@38. Hay, choice timothy, $13@13.50 per ton. Clover seed, 7½@9c. per pound.

Bitten by a Horse.—Walter Gale, son of Mr. John Gale, was bitten on the shoulder a few days ago by a horse. Dr. J. H. Hessey was called in and dressed the wound.

Spring Chickens.—Mrs. S. C. Jones, an energetic resident near Lynch's, has shipped a number of spring chickens to Wilmington this month, for which she received twenty cents per pound. The chickens weighed over two pounds.

Fine Work.—Mr. Milton Baker has completed and put in place this week a very handsome book case for Mr. W. N. E. Wickes.

Messrs. W. S. and A. M. Culp have built a pretty and neat book case of poplar for Mr. H. L. Boyd.

Telephone Exchange.—C. T. Westcott, Esq., has communicated with various telephone companies and says that instruments may be provided the business men of Chestertown for $18 per year, provided fifty instruments can be taken. An agreement has been left at Stam's drug store, and our merchants and business men are requested to examine it, and if agreeable to them, sign it.

Big Catches.—Mr. Charles Johnson caught 2400 herring in his pound net Monday, off Chestertown. Mr. Johnson has one of the largest pound nets in this vicinity.

A colored fisherman caught over one hundred fine sized rock at Tolchester Saturday morning.

The first shad of the season was caught at Rock Hall Monday.

Sturgeon fishing is now at its height on the Delaware.

The Biggest Yet.—The steamer Sassafras is now carrying large quantities of fish from Georgetown, Betterton, Buck Neck, and the other wharves. On Monday this steamer carried one of the largest cargoes of fish that had reached the Baltimore market this year. There were about seventy-five boxes of perch, herring, rock, yellow perch and a few *shad*. The fish were quickly sold at good prices. Capt. Walmsley deserves the honor of catching the first shad in the Sassafras river.

"Is Dancing Immoral?"—This question was the subject of the debate before the Chester League at its literary meeting on Thursday. The three judges decided the question in favor of the affirmative. The debaters were, for the affirmative side, Messrs. W. B. Usilton, Jr., C. T. Howard, L. Bates Russell and T. D. France. The negative was represented by Messrs. Jonn Rollison, W. T. Matthews, J. Cannan and W. S. McDonnell.

To Sing at the Anniversary.—The Oddfellows have perfected their arrangements for their anniversary celebration next Tuesday evening. A special musical program is being arranged. Besides the R.K.Pippin and C. C. C. quartettes a grand chorus consisting of Misses Annie and Sue Lambert, Annie Russell, May Fallowfield, sopranos; Misses Julia Thompson, Hettie Greenwood, Marion Lusby, Clara Downey, altos; Messrs. R.K.Pippin, Jos. Downey, Edw. Lambert, A. M. Culp, tenors; Messrs. W. W. Chapman, J. W. Bordley, Fred. G. Usilton, bassos; will render "Praise the Lord" by Gounoud. Miss Rose Frazier will preside at the piano. The committee of arrangements consists of Messrs. A. Friedman, Edw. Lambert and H. M. Wallis.

Dance at the "Tabernacle."—The most brilliant assemblage of colored [illegible] ever brought together in Ches[illegible] were to be seen at the "tabernacle" at a swell ball Thursday evening. The orchestra was brought from Baltimore and was under the leadership of Prof. Fish. The committee of arrangement were Wm. Parker, James Thompson and Wm. H. Freeman. The dancers were attired in the latest style of dress and decollete dresses prevailed. "Froggy" says the girls certainly looked sweet!

A Live Merchant.—Elsewhere will be found the bargains offered by Mr. R. S. Crew, Rock Hall's live, energetic merchant. You can rely on these [illegible] and the goods advertised.

"HAPPY JIM," the fi[illegible] of Mr. John P. Hend[illegible] in Kent this Spr[illegible]

STILL POND NOTES.

Still Pond Church last Sunday night was crowded and many were standing in the aisles to listen to Bro. W. K. Galloway's last words. He left us Monday morning, having been with us three weeks, and a good work was done. Mr. Galloway has indeed made many warm friends both here and at Betterton.

Farmers are now beginning to work, much to the benefit of those who have been without employment during the winter.

Guiding Star Lodge is now in a flourishing condition. Many new members are being brought in, and we hope many will follow. The literary reports are very interesting. Bro. Wm. Watts' side had a good report last Monday night. Hope Mrs. William G. Rasin's will do likewise.

Mr. Bradley's horses ran away Thursday afternoon, creating much excitement. One horse was cut, but not seriously. We learn that they also run over Mr. Eugene Clayton's goat and killed it.

A masquerade party was given at Mr. A. J. Hackett's, in honor of Miss Lizzie Rasin, Thursday night. Many were present and enjoyed the fun of finding out "who it is." Vocal and instrumental music was furnished. Our friend D. looked charming in his mask, and made lots of fun. Refreshments were served about half-past ten, but not until a little later did they say good-bye.

Mrs. Watts filled Bro. Joseph W. Harper's place in the Sunday-school last Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph W. Harper will lead the Epworth League to-morrow evening, beginning at half-past six.

Those who attended conference from here were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Turner, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kemp and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. E. Clark, Mr. Joseph C. Rasin, Mr. William W. Watts, Mr. R. Stevenson.

The new minister, Bro. Nelson, will be with us to-morrow, both morning and evening.

Rev. J. D. Kemp will leave Monday morning for his future home this year at Crapo, Dorchester county, Md. His friends are glad to know that he has a good appointment. B.

M. E. CONFERENCE.

THE APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED BY BISHOP HURST.

Report in the Case of Rev. J. D. Kemp—Report of the Easton District Secretary—To Meet in Dover.

The M. E. Conference at Smyrna held two session Saturday. The committee appointed to investigate the case of the Rev. J. D. Kemp reported as follows:

"Your committee has given careful attention to the matter committed to them, and they are prepared to believe there is no necessity to impute an evil or wicked purpose to Brother Kemp in order to account for his conduct, still we are impressed with the conviction that his physical health is such as to make a rest from ministerial duties and responsibilities a necessity, that his nervous system may be restored to its normal condition.

"On behalf of the committee,
JOHN B. QUIGG, CHAIRMAN."

The Rev. J. D. Kemp, pastor of the church at Still Pond, was charged with writing unministerial letters to the wife of one of Still Pond's citizens. Presiding Elder Smith and a committee of the Easton district held an investigation last summer, at which time the charge of improper conduct was not proven.

When conference met Monday morning the first question taken up was the meeting place for next year. Scott Church, Wilmington, was nominated, and the pastor, the Rev. Robert Watt, and Presiding Elder Barrett made short speeches in favor of Scott Church. Chestertown, was nominated, and Presiding Elder Smith made a short speech. Dover was next nominated and the Rev. W. L. S. Murray and Principal Gooding of the Conference Academy made a few remarks. A vote was then taken and Scott Church received twenty-fiye votes, Chestertown none, while Dover received so many that Dover was made the unanimous choice.

The next conference will be a lay conference and Dover will be called upon to entertain about 400 guests. Chestertown wants the conference held here in 1897 and simply made the offer this year so as to be in line for 1897.

The report of Presiding Elder Alfred Smith was as follows:

Probationers, 1285; full members, 6794; local preachers, 18; deaths, 93; children baptized, 513; adults baptized, 47; churches, 85; probable value, $265,100: parsonages, 29; probable value, $61,900; paid for building and improving churches and parsonages, $3,428; paid on old indebtedness on church property, $1,661; present indebtedness on church property, $8,020; Sunday schools, 82; officers, 467; teachers, 849; total of officers and teachers, 1325; scholars, 7966; average attendance, 4743; books in libraries, 10,000; officers and teachers who are church members, 1202; scholars who are church members, 2566; conversions in Sunday school, 597; current, expenses, $2796; pastors' support, $29,375; receipts, $28,585; deficiencies, $690; paid for support of presiding elders, $1,591; apportionment, $1,729; paid for supports of bishops, $328; apportionment, $378; conference claimants, $1,308; cost of church expenses, $5986; collections; for missions, $4,369.

The appointments for Easton District were read as follows:

Appoquinimink (Smyrna,) W. R. Mobray.
Bayside (Whiteman, Md.,) I. G. Fosnocht.
Cecilton, R. I. Watkins.
Centreville, J. W. Easley.
Cheswold, Del., James W. Fogle.
Chestertown, W. P. Compton.
Church Hill, E. E. White.
Clayton, Del., W. O. Hurst.
Cordova, E. S. Mase.
Crumpton, W. L. S. Loller.
Easton, W. E. Avery.
Galena, Frank Fletcher.
Greensboro, J. A. Arters.
Hillsboro, F. F. Carpenter.
Ingleside, J. M. Collins.
Kent Island, E. H. Hynson.
Kenton, Del., J. T. Prouse.
Marydel, C. F. Sheppard.
Middletown, Del., S. L. Wood.
Millington, George W. Burke.
Odessa, Del., to be supplied.
Oxford, R. Van Dyke.
Pomona and Morgan Creek, Thos. B. Cooper.
Queenstown, J. W. Poole.
Rock Hall, Edward Davis.
Royal Oak, W. H. Benford.
St. Michael's, J. T. Otis.
Salem and Union, J. B. Merritt.
Sassafras and Masseys, (Golt's,) William M. [illegible]
[illegible] Del., Adam Stengle.
[illegible] H. Nelson.

SPORTING NOTES.

Who Are the C. C. C.?—$10 for a Home Run—Wise Action.

"Who are the C. C.?" We hear this question quite frequently, and that the public may know who compose this noted organization we give the list of members. The constitution provides for forty members. There are now thirty-nine who have joined the club, and three more have asked admission. The full list follows:

Harry Rickey,
C. F. Stam,
W. W. Chapman,
R. S. Thomas,
M. A. Toulson,
W. F. Russell,
Fred. G. Usilton,
C. S. Smith,
W. R. Aldridge,
C. W. Wroth,
Jos. Downey,
Prof. E. J. Clarke,
F. M. Miller,
J. H. Sides,
D. A. Bacchus,
W. E. Moody,
A. M. Culp,
Edward Lambert,
J. Hydie Thompson,
J. D. Bacchus,
W. S. Culp,
S. S. Shallcross,
Harry Simpers,
J. H. Aldridge,
Raymond Simpers,
C. C. Hopper,
J. Allie Thomas,
H. Rickey, Jr.,
Dave Ford,
Stockton Startt,
Arlie Sparks,
James Shuster,
Earle Usilton,
Harry Hodgkins,
John Toulson,
James D. Lucas,
Horace Constable,
Thos. W. Perkins.
G. D. Lofland,

The club's colors are old gold and blue. The club passed an order Tuesday night prohibiting members from riding on the pavement, unless the roads will not permit riding thereon.

Messrs. W. W. Chapman and Sereck Shallcross were compelled to walk from Goose Hill to town in the rain Sunday, their tandem having received a puncture.

The Rambler tandem is owned by a company and is hired for seventy-five cents the first hour, fifty for the second and twenty-five for the third.

Among the new riders this spring are James Shuster, Earle Usilton, Arlie Sparks, M. E. Baker, L. B. Russell, J. F. Davis and James Thompson. All the professors at the college are admirers of the wheel and several have ordered wheels including Profs. Micou, Stevens, Jones and Burris.

Mr. Harry Richardson, who managed the Dover baseball team last year will again take charge, and of course wants Zearfoss to captain the team. Mr. R. has plenty of cash and pays the boys $2 for a two bagger, $5 for a three bagger and $10 for a home run! What an inspiration!

It is now charged that the Baltimore team gave away the games in the Temple Cup series last year. Hanlon says it is untrue.

Messrs. Wm. S. Walker and J. Leeds Barroll visited Cedar Point ducking shore this week.

Turners Creek Locals.

Miss Winnie Price of Cecil has returned home from a two weeks visit to her cousin, Miss Willie Price.

Mr. Joseph Atwell and Mr. Wm. Price have killed two very fine wild geese this week.

Miss Lizzie Fowler was sick last Tuesday and could not teach school.

Mr. Frank Price has had a very sore arm all the week from a thorn sticking in it.

The grippe has been raging among the people around here this week. JACK.

[illegible] Wedding. [illegible] Walters and Miss Mary J. E. Copper were married at the home of Mr. J. F. Copper, on High street Tuesday evening by Rev. W. P. Compton, in the presence of a few intimate friends and members of the family. The groom is the owner of the machine shops near the mill and one of our most industrious citizens, while the bride is a popular daughter of Officer Copper. After the wedding a well-prepared supper was served at the home of the bride's parents, after which the happy couple repaired to their new home near the mill.

THE circuit court for Wicomico has decided that, under the oyster law, the public schools of each county are to receive two-thirds of the revenue arising from county oyster licenses, and the oyster fund one-third. Comptroller Smith and others contended that the oyster fund should receive one-half of the license money.

Wedding Announced.—The wedding of Wm. T. Mackey, of Queen Anne's, and Miss Josephine E. Senart, of Chestertown, was announced in the Church of Sacred Heart Sunday, to take place at the church Wednesday, April 24th.

AN interesting historical sketch and tribute to the memory of the late Geo. B. Westcott, Esq., of this county, written by his daughter, Mrs. Harriett L. Westcott Hill, will be published in our next issue.

Feeding Wheat.—Much interest has been taken by many persons in Carroll county in an experiment in cattle feeding by State Senator Bennett, who last fall purchased sixty head of stock cattle, averaging a thousand pounds each, and has fed them a considerable quantity of wheat. Forty of them were shipped Wednesday to Messrs. Myers & Hausman, of Baltimore, for export to Liverpool. It is estimated that four hundred pounds have been added to the weight of each.

A farm upon which is fed four hundred hogs can be seen at Mr. Wm. H. Jackson's in Wicomico. Mr. J. has 6,000 bushels of wheat in his barns and about 900 bushels of can peas which is to be fed to the swine.

MR. T. E. W. CREW, Lankford, advertises his fine stallion "Messenger" for the coming Spring season.

A Friedman tells some interesting facts about clothing elsewhere in the NEWS.

DIED.

In Baltimore, March 22, at 3 A. M., at the residence of her parents, 1431 E. Preston street, EULALIA HURST, aged 16 months, only daughter of Richard S. and Birdie F. Diehl.

CHRIST METH. PROT. CHURCH—Services as usual at 10.30 A. M.; Preaching by the pastor. Special Missionary service by the Sunday-school at 7.30 P. M.

TO THE LADIES.

It is the women who have the worry and [illegible] we in-

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FLOUR, $3.00 Barrel; best family and guaranteed.

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Pure Country Lard, 10c. lb.

California Prunes, 5c. lb.

Rolled Oats, 4c. lb. Every Wednesday Night, between 7 and 9, 3c.

Rolled Hominy, 3c. quart.

Grain Hominy, 3½c. quart.

Beans, 9c. quart

Hominy Grits, 2 packages only 5c. were 10c.

Vinegar—every Friday, between 9 and 12 o'clock a. m.—13c. per gallon. Other days, 25c. gallon.

Sugar Syrup, 13c. gallon.

Diamond Dust, better than Gold Dust, 4c. package.

Washing Fluid, 5c.; worth 10c.

Soda Crackers, 5c. lb.; every Thursday, all day, 4c. lb.

Water Bucket, 14c.

Pure Candy, 10c. lb. up.

Mixed Nuts, 10c. lb.

Dates, 5c.; Raisins, 5c.; Currants, 6c.

Buns on Tuesdays, 9c. doz.

Good Coffee, ground, 18c. lb.; two pounds for 35c.

10c. Box Mason's Blacking, 5c

A Can (quarter pound) Colem[illegible] Mustard, 15c.

Catsup, 4c. Bottle; worth 1[illegible]

5c. per pack[illegible]

COMBINATION OF

1 Box Soapine, 1 Bottle Blue, 1 Bottle Yeast Powder, 1 Lamp Chimney, Burner and Wick, - - 23c.

1 Bar Babbitt's Soap, 1 Crystal and 1 Toilet Set, 1 Box Rolled Oats, 23c.

2 lbs. Granulated Sugar and one-half pound Good Mixed Tea, - - 23c.

1 Can Corn, 1 Can Tomatoes, and Box Baked Beans, - - 23c.

1 Can Peaches, 1 Box Corn Starch and 1 Package Tea, - - 23c.

1 Cake Baker's Chocolate and 1 Bottle Washing Fluid, - - 23c.

23c. buys 5 Bags of Good Smoking Tobacco.

1 lb. Parrish Bro[illegible] tle French Sho[illegible] Tar Toilet Soap

23c. buys 1 lb. G[illegible]

23c. buys one-half [illegible] 45c. buys a whole [illegible]

23c. buys any 25c. Base-ball or B[illegible]

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