## County News.

### MILLINGTON LOCALS.

**Pick-Ups in the First District Metropolis—A Terrible Accident—An Aged Citizen's Demise, etc.**

Mr. Pryor died at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Jack Benson, in this town Saturday night about 12 o'clock. He had been in poor health for sometime and died of general debility. He was about 83 years of age. The deceased formerly engaged in merchandising at Sassafras and at one time held a large trade. He was a most congenial companion and his familiar face will be missed on our streets.

Owing to the absence of Rev. Mr. Ware there was no preaching service held in the P. E. Church here Sunday. The very efficient rector has been granted a vacation by his parish and is enjoying it at this time. The Sunday school is being held as usual.

Mrs. Rees met with a very serious accident at her home near town last Friday. She was going up stairs carrying a pail of water when she accidentally tripped and was thrown down the whole flight. She was lifted to her couch Dr. A. J. Hackett at once summoned. Upon examination two bones in her limb were found broken. The doctor set the fracture and the patient is doing as well as can be expected. Dr. J. K. H. Jacobs, of Kennedyville, arrived here Sunday and was consulted in reference to the accident by Dr. Hackett. Mrs. Reese is about forty years of age and it is thought she will be compelled to remain in bed for about six weeks. She has a host of friends who sympathize with her.

A terrible accident befell a little girl not far from our town on Tuesday. Mr. Thomas Bradley, his wife, and 12-year old daughter started from home for the purpose of picking berries. After walking about a half mile from the house it was discovered that something had been left at home and the little girl was sent back to the house to secure the forgotten article. Upon reaching the house the child found the doors fastened and at once determined to get in through the window. Accordingly she hoisted the heavy sash and attempted to climb into the house, but she failed to fasten the sash, and just as she was about to spring into the house the sash came down with a crash falling on the child's neck and causing her death. The child not returning, the father returned to the house and there saw his little girl hanging across the window dead with the sash across her neck. All efforts to resuscitate the child proved in vain and a messenger soon brought the mother to the bereaved home.

Dr. Fred. Walls has been carrying a bandaged arm for a week past because of a wound received several days ago.

Mr. John Woodall, of our town, is the possessor of a Dutch cat which is different from the native cat in that it is short and chunky and has a remarkably short tail. Many persons believe that the tail has been cut off.

The M. E. Sunday school held their annual picnic in Seagar's woods Thursday and a delightful day in the country was enjoyed. The P. E. school held their picnic in the same woods last week.

Rev. G. W. Burke, pastor of the M. E. Church, will be at Tangier Island Sunday and Rev. Mr. Lister will fill the pulpit morning and night.

Miss Stella Johnson is the guest of relatives in Clayton.

Miss Mollie Wright, of Smyrna, visited friends in Millington Sunday.

Mr. Turbert Greenwood, of Chestertown, is visiting relatives in town, and is having a grand time.

Mr. George W. Burke, Jr., will play the cornet at Wye Camp and assist in directing the singing. This is quite an honor to Millington.

Thousands of young eels escaped from the lakes here during the recent heavy rains and may be seen trying to get back into their native quarters. Some persons call them lampers, a fish that is eaten in European countries and said to be palatable. We don't know of anyone here who wants to try them.

Mr. Wm. Price and family, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. P.'s mother in Millington. Mr. Price is engaged in the commission business and reports business very active. Salisbury peaches brought $1.25 per crate Saturday.

Mr. Charles Smith is talked of for commissioner from here on the Republican ticket. Messrs. Mallalieu and Scotton have also been mentioned for places.

Mr. Carroll Clarke is one of our best wheelmen. He visited Galena and Cecilton Sunday on his wheel. Mr. Messick is also a fast rider and is in training for the next Eastern Shore meet.

Mr. Benjamin Hazell returned last week from a visit to various points in Delaware and New Jersey and reports plenty of peaches.

Mr. Brooks, a salesman from Wilmington, thought he recognized in several tramps here persons guilty of robbery. The tramps were arrested and given a hearing but gave a good account of themselves and Mr. Brooks failing to testify as he had charged, they were released.

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The communication in reply to the article in our last issue, signed "Temperance," will be published in our next.

### TOLCHESTER NEWS.

On Saturday, July 20th, the Western Maryland Railroad Company will make another excursion to Tolchester, on which occasion the crack nine from Hagerstown, Md., and one from Hanover, Pa., will play the deciding game for the season. Quite a number of games have been played between these teams and they now stand a tie. The grounds at the Beach are being put in first-class condition for the deciding game. The gentlemen composing these teams are first-class players, and an opportunity will thus be afforded the public to witness the game played in professional style.

The Tuesday night balls at Tolchester are more popular than ever. A large gathering of the lovers of this pleasure succeeded in enjoying the hospitality of the Beach Company last Tuesday night. The dance master, Prof. Jackson, was at his best, being employed by the company in this particular vocation. The music consisted of three pieces, a part of Weber's celebrated band. Among those we saw and whose name we could get were: Misses Mabel Graham and Ethie Crisfield, of Washington, D. C.; Mary Hurtt, Sallie Beck, Isabel Beck, Page and Eloise Beck, Annie Brice, Grace Whaland, Katie Hines, Violet Beck, Mary Willson, Nettie Cosden, Allie Gale, Lida Gale, Sophia Beck, Nita Lusby, of Kent county, and Ella and Hallie McLaughlin, of Baltimore; Emma Gale, of Wilmington, Del.; Messrs. L. W. Wickes, Horace Constable, Bert DeCorse and wife, Thos. W. Perkins, David Ford, Charley Howard, Spencer Hurtt, Wilbur Eliason, Frank Simpers, Will and Wilbur Gale, C. F. Wheatley, Frank Sappington, John Wood, Bartus Hatcherson, J. Page Gale, Charley Jessop, Jos. Brice and Jos. Saylor, of Kent county; Fred. Garrett, George Brown and Fred. Gilpin, of Elkton; Charles Warwick and Charles Schuman, of Philadelphia; Commodore Falck and Will Roberts, of Baltimore. At 11.15 P. M. the musical strains of "Home, Sweet Home" filled the pavillion, followed immediately by the popular "Altogether Boys" (clapping of hands.)

The guests at Hotel Tolchester are: Mrs. J. R. Busey, E. Grimbel and wife, G. W. Sartoris, wife and child, Misses Hattie and Ella McLaughlin, Mrs. Jos. Crane, Mrs. Delaney H. Barclay, Commodore Wm. E. Falck, Miss C. Smith, Geo. W. Shelton, all of Baltimore; W. J. Locket and J. W. Thom, of Washington, D. C.; J. Guy Thompson, Annapolis, Md.; N. B. Rent, Charlotteville, Va.: A. P. Jones, Wilmington, Del.; Miss Kate B. Hines, Waverly, Md.; Samuel Bateman, Harry Orian and wife, Philadelphia, Pa.; M. B. Miller, of Pittsburg, Pa.; Jos. H. Robbinson, A. A. county, Md.; R. Hickman, Hatboro, Pa.; Mrs. E. W. Alrich, W. G. Crenshaw, Jr., Va; Miss Fanny E. Grant, of N. Y.

### Sassafras Items.

July has brought out in all its quaint and brilliant glory, the favorite of the grand-mother's garden. Many other bright bloomers are claiming attention but the stately Hollyhock now fringes many a lawn and brightens many a garden here.

Miss Buelah Bernheart, of North Carolina, and Miss M. Repass, of Allentown, Pa., daughter of Rev. R. Repass, D. D., is visiting Miss Blanche Wright at her beautiful home in Warwick.

Mr. George A. Dreka left on Monday for his home in Florida. Mrs. Dreka and sons will remain here until the fall.

Miss Alice Dreka was the guest of her cousin, Miss Agnes Clarke, daughter of Dr. Clarke, Millington, last week.

The nut crop promises to be very good in these parts.

Mrs. Wm. H. Spry left Wednesday morning to visit friends in Baltimore.

Rev. B. T. Truitt, in company with Wm. H. Spry, attended the Christian Endeavor Convention in Kennedyville last Wednesday week.

Mr. John F. Ernest and two sons, in company with Miss Lena Staats, visited Middletown on Wednesday.

Mr. Roy Caulk has friends visiting him this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Malsberger and children, of Masseys, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. George Dreka at Sassafras.

Mrs. George Kennedy, mother of Mr. George Kennedy, is lying very ill.

Miss Alice Dreka, with relatives, attended the musicale at Masseys on last Wednesday evening.

The Misses Echenhoffer, of Middletown, are being entertained by Miss Jennie Brice at her beautifnl home near Sassafras.

Quite a number from here attended the excursion from Georgetown to Tolchester on Wednesday. They report a most delightful time.

Miss Sue Lynch, of Wilmington is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Hartley.

The farmers are busy threshing wheat.

Miss Bessie Clift and Miss Gertrude Veasey returned home on Saturday after a most delightful trip in lower Kent.

Mr. Wm. Staats left on Tuesday evening on a business trip to Wilmington.

Deputy Sheriff John Voshell was in Sassafras Wednesday looking his best.

Mrs. Robert S. Griffith and Mrs. Dr. Tarbutton have a host of city relatives visiting them from Wilmington.

LOCAL NEWS from Still Pond, Galena and elsewhere will be found on 5th page.


# INIMITABLE!

DIRECTLY OPPOSITE COURTHOUSE

YES, WE HAVE MOVED, and our NEW QUARTERS are like our Prices, very difficult to imitate, for we have marked every garment in the establishment at prices that will sell themselves. Look in the window at the line of

## Men's Suits at $5, $6.50, $6.75

we won't tell you the original prices they were marked down from, but by way of explanation will say they are a BROKEN ASSORTMENT, one and two suits of a kind that we desire to dispose of, in order to make room for our fall line of Suitings. LOOK AT THE GOODS!

**MEN'S, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S SUITS!**

SEPARATE PANTS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.

**HATS and FURNISHING GOODS,**

must be cleared out, so be one of the many who have visited us, and were fully satisfied with our method of doing business.

Respectfully,

**MOODY & LUSBY,**

**Originators of Low Prices and Square Dealing Clothiers.**

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**Cabinet Photos = $1.00 per dozen.**
**Good Crayon Photos, Life Size, = $1.00**

THE ABOVE OFFER ONLY GOOD UNTIL JULY 20TH.

No need of going to the city when you can have a first-class picture made at home for less money. Call early and see specimens of our own work.

Yours to serve,
JOS. CLEM, PROP'R.

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## LIME, CEMENT, HAIR.

**THE NATIONAL BUILDING SUPPLY CO.**

**North and Lexington Streets, Baltimore, Md.,**

**Plaster, Paper, Bricks.** Write for "BOOK OF INFORMATION."

## Special Notice!

**Something NEW for FARMERS and HORSEMEN!**

A COLLAR without a Stitch-strong, neat and cheap. We also have the BEST and largest stock of Collars on the Shore! You will be surprised at our 75 cent Collars, and our $1 make can't be equalled.

We make a specialty of CHEAP HARNESS as low as $5.50, while we also make the FINEST RUBBER HARNESS USED. We make all kinds of Harness and Strap work.

Bits, Bridles, Boots, Pads, Brushes and Combs, Harness Oils, Whips, Blankets, Summer and Winter Robes and Lap Dusters, Fly Nets, Pump Leathers, the latest Dog Muzzle.

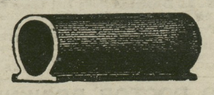
REPAIRING PROMPTLY DONE.

Thankful for the past 30 years' patronage, we ask a continuance of the same.

**JOHN F. HOWARD,**
Adjoining Postoffice. Court Street.

## COSGRIFF, BECK & HAZELL,

(Successors to Cummins & Cosgriff,



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## Porous Drain Tile!

Egg-Shaped, 2 to 8 inches calibre. Bound with collar, 2, 2½ and 3 inches calibre.

Send for price-list and circular.

Address, COSGRIFF, BECK & HAZELL, SMYRNA, DELAWARE. 2m5.

A FULL STOCK of H. J. HEINZ & CO.'S PICKLE GOODS. E. W. F. SIMPERS. m25.

## TURNER & SON,

**Betterton, Md.**

Note a few of our leading cash prices, and when in need give us a call.

**Seed Potatoes.**

Carefully selected.
Best Burbanks - $1.00 per bushel.
" White Star, 1.00 "
" Beauty of Hepbron, $1.10 per bushel.
Prices good while Stock Lasts.

**LUMBER of All Kinds at Bottom Figures!**

**Meats.**

Fancy S. C. Hams.
Fancy S. C. Shoulders.
Dry Salt Shoulders 7½c. per pound.
" " Sides 8½c. "
Dried Beef. Breakfast Bacon.

**Paints, Oils, Varnishes.**

Large Stock. Jobbers' Prices.
Regular Gloss Carriage Paints.
Fire-proof Metallic Roof Paints.

**Corn,**

to 100 bushels, sold only for cash.
HAY by the bale.

If you intend to build or paint give us an estimate to figure.

In any quantity from Half a bushel

**TURNER & SON.**
JUNE 1, 1895.

# A TIDAL WAVE FOR ONE MONTH!

## Yes for One Solid Month Our Trade Has Been A No. 1 Good, and Who Can Guess Why It Is?

**ANSWER:**

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| Brooms worth 25 cents, only | 18c. |
| Washing Soda, 3 pounds for | 5c. |
| 10c. boxes or Bottle very best Blue | 4c. |
| 5c. Bottle Best Blue | 2c. |
| 1c. Bottle Best Blue, 2 for | 1c. |
| Washboards | 9c. |
| Matches, 2,500 for | 13c. |
| New York Cheese | 13c. per pound or 2 pounds for 25c. |
| Prunes, a very few left at | 4c. |
| Blacking, 10c. Boxes only | 5c. |
| Tacks, half price, any size, 2 papers for | 5c. |
| Lamp Wickes, Dozen for | 5c. |
| Sweet Crescent Soop, per cake, including spoon | 5c. |
| A Lamp, Chimney, Burner, Wick, Match, Oil | 24c. |
| A Pound of Green Tea, only | 25c. |
| A Pound of Black Tea, only | 25c. |
| Or a Pound of Each | 45c. |
| This week only 10 Gallons of Molasses | 1.00 |
| Stove Polish, box worth 5c. | 4c. |
| 10 Pounds Best Rice | 50c. |
| Macaroni, packages one each | 9 and 13c. |
| Don't forget Cheese, 2 pounds for | 25c. |
| Best Pepper, 2 Pounds for | 25c. |
| Oleine Soap, 6 Bars for | 25c. |

SUGAR will be HIGHER, come and se us.

## Barrel Best Flour = $4.25

**TOBACCOS:**

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| 1 Pound of Good Smoking Tobacco, only | 20c. |
| 1 Pound of Good Chewiag Tobacco, only | 25c. |
| Smoking Tobacco in Bags | 3c. |
| 1 Bag Smoking Tobacco and Pipe | 5c. |

We keep Gravely's Superior, J. F. Clay, Maryland and Twist. We sell Honey Cut. Prices to Merchants 1c. per pound by the box lower than any city wholesale house. JOB LOTS of Tobacco a specialty.

## BICYCLES, Best, Cash, = $50.00.

SECOND HAND BICYCLES WANTED.

**CANDY:**

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| Best Mixed Drops | 10c. |
| Best French Candy | 10c. |
| Chocolate Drops | 20 to 50c. |

We wholesale candy and can knock out all the city competitors. Price, quantity, quality and sale guaranteed. The goods sell themselves.

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| Still goes Nicnacs and Ginger Snaps at | 5c. |
| 20c. Mixed Cakes, only | 12c. |

Peanuts 5c. a box, and a Gift in each and every box. Fresh daily.

## Vienna Bread, Buns, Rolls, Crullers,

5 CENTS A LOAF, 10 CENTS PER DOZEN.

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| A Wonderful Great Big Drum for | 25c. |
| A Game of Checkers or Dominoes | 10c. |
| A Bisque Doll with Natural Hair | 10c. |
| A Rubber Ball | 1c. |
| A Base Ball | 5c. |

Catch Gloves, Mits, Bats and Caps.

A few of those California Raisins again and this time only - 5c.

## Flour This Week $4.25 per Barrel

SPECIAL.—Don't forget the SMITH BORAX SOAP. This Soap is either for Laundry or Toilet use, and with Each and Every Cake for 5 cents you get a Good Spoon, and if you Save the Wrappers it may pay you. The person presenting the most Borax Soap Wrappers with my name on them August 15th, Will Get a Filled Gold Watch FREE. Get on to it. Come and see it. It will pay you to get in the swim and wash with Borax Soap.

Thanks for past. Call and gain. Respectfully yours,

THE CASH BUYER AND CASH SELLER OF CHESTERTOWN,

# CHARLES S. SMITH.


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