Kent News

SATURDAY, - - AUGUST 29, 1896.

TOLCHESTER FAIR.

Kent, Queen Anne's and Cecil Turn Out in Force on the Opening Day.

Thursday was a big day for the Eastern Shore folks at Tolchester. Manager Noland had gotten up what he called a Tolchester Fair to last three days. Thursday was the opening day. The Queen Anne's people commenced going through Chestertown at an early hour and kept it up for several hours. Thursday is called by many Queen Anne's day, but she did not have everything her own way last Thursday. Kent vied with her in sending a large representative crowd to "The Beach." Cecil landed a boat load of her best and fairest sons and daughters and helped very materially to swell the crowd. Besides the country people, Baltimore sent over a boat load of city cousins.

The base ball match was played by Waverly and Aberdeen and Waverly had a very easy time in defeating her opponents. It was not an ideal day for base ball, neither were the grounds of the character to play professional ball on. The contest was for a prize of $25. Waverly piled up 30 runs while Aberdeen succeeded in getting only 7. The boys from Waverly have a first class team and are a hard aggregation to beat.

The racing is what riveted the attention of most people. The first race was the 2.30 trotting race. There were four entrees and three starters: Victor B., a beautiful, stylish bay, owned and driven by Mr. George Stephens, of Worton; Happy Rose, driven by Mr. E. B. Emory, Queen Anne's; Lord Baltimore driven by Dr. Allen G. Jarman, of Chestertown. Victor B. won easily in three straight heats. Happy Rose second and Lord Baltimore third. Time 2.42, 2.45, 2.43. This race was for a purse of $100.

The second race was a running race open to Kent county horses. It was an interesting race. There were four entrees and three starters: John Ruth, Eastern Neck Island; J. A. McClary, Tolchester; M. Smyth, Melitota. John Ruth's horse is a fine bay and fast, but very wild. He won first heat, with J. A. McClary, second, and M. Smyth, third. In the second heat John Ruth's horse became unmanageable on the back stretch and ran off the track, J. A. McClary coming in first and M. Smyth second. John Ruth won third heat and race; J. A. McClary second and M. Smyth third. Purse $25. Time 1.2, 1.6, 1.1. Judges—Wm. B. Stephens, A. J. Hynson and C. H. Davis.

The exhibits, though not very large were very good. This is especially so of the needle work. Several baskets of fruit were very fine. Bread, pies, cake, grain, bicycle, carriage, dollbabies were exhibited. The name of the exhibitors were not divulged until yesterday afternoon, when the prizes were awarded.

Today (Saturday) will be the last day of the fair.

Places and Dates of Registration.

Following are the dates for Registration of voters; and the places for same as designated by the board of Supervisors:

1st District—Millington Precinct—Registers, F. A. Walls, Rep.; Wm. H. Ford, Dem.
Dates—Sept. 15, 22, 23, 29, 30, Oct. 6, 7. Revision Oct. 13th.
Galena Precinct—Registers, C. H. Smith, Rep.; R. C. Morgan, Dem.
Dates—At Golts, Sept. 16, Oct. 6, 7, 13.
Dates—At Galena, Sept. 22, 23, 29, 30.
2nd District—Registers, S. J. Comly, Rep., J. P. Hendrickson, Dem.
Date—At Morgnec, Sept. 15.
Dates—At Still Pond, Sept. 22 and 23.
Dates—Kennedyville, Sept. 29, 30, Oct. 6, 7, 13.
3rd District—Registers, Geo. L. Bowers, Rep., Joseph R. Usilton, Dem.
Dates—Worton, 15, 22, 23, Oct. 6, 7, 13.
Dates—Betterton, Sept. 29, 30,
4th District—Registers, Wm. H. Brown, Rep.; J. Evan Thomas, Dem. At Chestertown, all sittings.
5th District—Registers, John W. Downey, Rep.; T. Romie Strong, Dem.
Dates—Rock Hall, Sept. 15, 29, 30. Oct. 9, 7, 13.
Dates—Piney Neck, Sept. 22, 23.
6th District—Registers, T. H. Morris Bramble, Rep.; W. E. Keyser, Dem.
Dates—Fairlee, Sept. 22, 23, 29, 30, Oct. 6, 7, 13.
Date—Melitota, Sept. 15th.
7th District—Registers, John C. Davis, Rep.; J. Cordray Loud, Dem.
Dates—At Pomona, Sept. 15, 29, 30, Oct. 6, 7, 13.
Dates—Broad Neck, Kilbourn's store, Sept. 22, 23.
October 13th is for Revision only.

Police News.

Williams was before Justice Wright on Monday charged with the abduction of Magaline Mitchell. Justice Wright, after hearing the testimony in the case, held Williams for court.

Henry Hicks, colored, was arrested by Officer Kelley, charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct and fined by Justice Lambert $1 and costs and placed in jail in default of payment.

Geo. Williams, a Baltimore darkey, is in jail charged with a "breach of trust." Williams was engaged to pick peaches in Queen Anne's, and was advanced money and clothing. After coming over he refused to fulfill his engagement. Justice Lambert sent him to jail for court.

Robbed.—Isabella Strickner, an industrious colored woman who lives on College road, met with a heavy loss last Wednesday. She sells second-hand clothing for a number of ladies in town and had about $10 in hand, which she kept in a tin safe in her bureau drawer. While she was away at work some thief got in her house through the window and by means of false keys unlocked the bureau, took every cent of the poor woman's money, and decamped, leaving everything locked as before he entered.

The Courts.—The Board of County Commissioners met on Tuesday and transacted routine business. The Orphans' Court also met and transacted business of a routine character.

Now is your chance to get winter wood at less than half price. Crane & Trenchard Bros., at their basket mill, are closing out a lot of good wood cut in stove lengths at $2 per cord.

The County Assessors.

Messrs. Corey and Morris, the county assessors, have now been hard at work for seven weeks and only two districts are finished. It took just 29 days in the first district, and they expect to finish the second to-day, which will be about 22 days. They will then go through the third district. It is absolutely impossible for them to get through in the time specified, and the Governor will be petitioned to extend the time. The assessors visit every farm and make personal inspection of property. The belief is that the basis will be lowered considerably, as the additions to the personal lists will not offset the reduction in the real estate.

Accidents.—Capt. Wm. Jones, a former keeper of the Chester bridge and a well-know old gentleman of this town, met with a very painful accident on Monday. He was engaged pulling some long sticks of wood out of a large pile; in trying to loosen one that seemed to be wedged in very tight he gave a hard pull and it gave way very suddenly, the end of it striking him very forcibly directly in the right eye. The blow was a hard one and very painful. The sight has been entirely taken away from the eye and he suffers terrible pain. He says it is doubtful if he will ever be able to see out of the eye at all again.

Mr. George B. Twilley, a popular young Chestertown cyclist, was taking an early morning spin on Thursday when he met wit quite a mishap. He started to coast down the Chester cemetery hill, when a short distance down the handle bar became loose and he was unable to guide his wheel. The result was the wheel and rider landed in the ditch on the side. George was very severely shaken up and bears the marks of a very hard fall. His left arm and side are skinned and bruised in half a dozen places occasioning him much pain.

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WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Aug. 24, 1896.

POINTERS TO PROFIT

Very many classes of goods never before touched such low prices as have ruled this past summer. But now we've started to change a summer store into an autumn store. Hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of merchandise must be quickly turned to cash and into goods again. We're always willing to lose money wisely, and it is wise losing if it hastens this annual metamorphose of the store. The daily store news now is largely made up of notes of price reductions—of price inducements for you to forestall wants. August business was never so great at Wanamaker's—so great in volume of goods handled, so great in dollars received. It is mutually helpful to drive business.

DRESS STUFFS FOR AUTUMN

Despite higher prices on dress stuffs abroad; despite uncertainties at home—we dis-

count, these latter August days, the littlest prices you ever paid for Dress Stuffs. Every item offered is suitable for autumn wear—is meant for autumn wear—and though the lots are gleaned from stocks on hand—ours and other folks' stocks—the styles with few exceptions will be among the fresh arrivals shown next month.

The wide range of plainish, neat stuffs, known as tailor suitings, with stuffs having knotty or rough face, will be in highest favor this fall. To buy now means to buy cheaper than we can afford to sell the stuffs by-and-by.

And these stuffs are ready just in the nick of time for choosing by those who are touching at Philadelphia on their return from summer outings.

Almost every lot we tell of is in ample supply.

32-in. all-wool Mixed Cheviot at 18c, former value 25c.
50-in. Mixed Homespuns at 37½c, former value $1.
38-in. two-toned Jacquard Suitings at 37½c. former value 50c.
36-in. Silk striped Suitings at 37½c, former value 50c.
40-in. Cheviot Serge, navy blue, at 37½c, former value 50c.
40-in. Twilled Mixed Suitings at 40c. former value 50c.
42-in. Paris Cords at 50c, former value 75c.
50-in. French Clavy Serge at 50c, former value 75c.
38-in. Silk-Figured Checked Suiting at 50c, former value 75c.
40-in. Silk Plaid Tartans at 50c, former value 75c.
23-in. Silk-Figured Suitings at 60c, former value 75c,
38-in. Silk-Stripe Checked Suiting at 60c, former value 75c.
50-in. Bouretted Diagonal Homespun at 60c, former value 75c.
52-in. Fancy-Figured Suiting at 65c, former value $1.
48-in. Paris Cords at 65c, former value $1.
45-in. Fancy Stripe Suiting at 75c, former value $1.25.
45-in. Fancy two-tone Diagonal Suiting at 75c, former value $1.25.
50-in. Fancy-figured Cheviot at 75c, former value $1.25.
46-in. Fancy Heather Cheviot at 75c, former value $1.25.
42-in. mixed Cheviot Etamine at 75c, former value $1.25.
44-in. two-toned Boucle Cheviot at $1, former value $1.50.
44-in. two-toned pin-stripe Cheviot at $1, former value $1.25.
50-in. fancy Diagonal Cheviot at $1, former value $1.25.
46-in. two-toned Novelty Checked Suitings at 75c, former value $1.
46-in. two-toned worsted Granite Suiting at 75c, former value $1.
46-in. two-toned Suiting Checks at $1, former value $1.25.
46-in. Armure Silk-Stripe Suiting at $1, former value $1.25.
50-in. Fancy Boucle Checked Suiting at $1, former value $1.50.
46-in. Diagonal Covert Cloth at $1.25, former value $1.50.

Black Dress Goods—

38-in. all-wool Figured Challis at 25c, former value 37½c.
38-in. all-wool Figured Armures at 87½c, former value 50c.
42-in. Paris Cords at 50c, former value 75c.
48-in. Paris Cords at 75c, former value $1.
45-in. French Crepon at 50c, former value $1.

JOHN WANAMAKER.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. H. D. Smith, a brother of Presiding Elder Smith, will preach in the Millington M. E. Church at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M., on Sunday, Aug. 30th. The pastor, T. C. Smoot, will remain at Rehoboth another week.

Rev. Mr. Compton being away the M. E. Church service was conducted in the morning by Dr. J. T. Twilley, and the Epworth League services in the evening by Rev. Chas. S. York. Tomorrow evening the Epworth League will hold a special hymn service.

Christ M. P. Church had no preaching service Sunday, Rev. Mr. Gill, the pastor, being on his vacation. The usual Sunday-school services were held in the afternoon. No service except Sunday-school tomorrow.

Dr. Roberts held regular services on Sunday.

Rev. T. B. Cooper, who has been a sufferer from rheumatism for several weeks, is a little better. We hope he will soon be restored to his usual good health, as well as his usefulness in church work. Rev. Elmer E. Jones, of Cecilton, Md., will preach at Bond M. E. Church Sunday morning, Aug. 30th. He is a recent graduate of Dickinson College, and a son of Capt. Daniel Jones, of Cecil county.

Their Little One Gone!

Mrs. George Holt, nee Miss Katie Benjamin, writes us sadly of the death of her little girl. The following clipping from the Collingsdale, Pa., paper gives particulars:

"We are sorry to announce the death and burial of Mrs. Holt's only child, a little girl ten months old. The funeral took place on Monday at 3 o'clock. The services at the sesidence and burial ground were conducted by Revs. Burke and Gernant. There was a large number of relatives and many Collingsdale friends present. Mr. and Mrs. Holt have the sympathy of all the people in our village. The little one was ill for some three weeks. A week before death it was thought all danger was past, but a relapse hastened on the little one's departure for a better land."

NOTICE.

We are in the market for WHEAT, and will pay highest market prices. It will be to the farmers' interest to call on our buyers before selling. The following parties are authorized to buy for us:
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	Your choice of 50c., 45c., 40c., 35c. Straw for 25 cents.	
$1.15	Women's $1.50 Oxfords	$1.15
98c.	Women's $1.25 Oxfords	98c.
25c.	Men's Working Shirts	25c.
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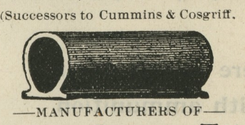

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