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NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby forwarned not to trespass upon the lands of the undersigned with either dog, gun or otherwise after this date, as all such parties will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

H. J. GRAY,
WM. SPRY,
JOHN McGUGAN.

Oct. 24, 1896—3t.*

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby forewarned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise upon the premises of the undersigned after this date, as we shall prosecute all such to the full extent of the law.

J. L. CROWDING,
C. M. SUTTON,
J. H. CLENDANIEL,
HOWARD CLENDANIEL.

Oct. 24, 1896—3t.* Near Kennedyville.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS!

All persons are forewarned from trespassing upon the lands of the undersigned with either dog, gun or otherwise. All persons disregarding this notice will be subject to the strict provisions of the law.

WM. T. H. WHITELEY,
GEORGE S. BIDDLE,
J. FRISBY NEWCOMB,
WM. H. STEWART.

oc17-3t*.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

ALL PERSONS, white and colored, men and boys, are hereby forewarned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned with dog or gun, or by crossing over with horse or on foot, after this date, as all such trespassers will most positively be prosecuted. M. A. WILKINS,
"The Maples."
WM. THOS. MASLIN,
"The Oaks,"
ALFRED C. LOUD,
"Frying Pan" farm,
J. CORDRAY LOUD,
"Riverside."

Oct. 24, 1896—3t.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are hereby warned from trespassing upon or crossing the lands occupied by the undersigned with either dog, gun or otherwise. Those who do so will be punished to the full extent of the law.

W. H. WALLIS,
THOS. REDMILES,
GEORGE RASH,
L. A. HICKMAN.

Oct. 24, 1896—3t.*

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons—white or black—young or old—are positively prohibited from gunning or hunting, or in any other manner from trespassing upon the premises occupied by the undersigned after this date.

GEORGE H. WATTS.

Oct. 24, 1896—3t.*

CAUTION TO GUNNERS!

All persons are hereby cautioned against gunning and hunting upon the premises occupied by the undersigned, as the law will be enforced.

JAMES BRAMBLE,
SAMUEL H. TODD.

o24-3t.*

NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

All Persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog or gun or by passing over the lands occupied by the undersigned, after this date, as we shall prosecute all such to the full extent of the law.

I. R. LEAVERTON,
R. C. LEAVERTON,
V. HENDRICKSON,
J. WALTER SKIRVEN,
WM. E. DeFORD.
JOSEPH RASIN,
FRANK TOULSON,
JOS. S. TREW, Jr.,
THOS. L. MEEKS,
WILLIAM CLOUGH.

Oct. 24, 1896—3t*.

NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

Do not trespass upon my land with dog, gun or otherwise. All who do so will be punished to the full extent of the law.

BENJAMIN H. COBURN,
Oct. 24,1896—tf. ROCK HALL.

OYSTERS in all STYLES,



And Meals at all Hours and Lunch, on Cross street opposite the Marble Yard. MRS. LYNCH.

o24-3t. Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters testamentery on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

BENJAMIN F. BECK, Sr.,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of April, 1897, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 20th day of October, 1896.

BENJAMIN F. BECK, Jr.,
October 24, 1896—4t, Executor.

WANTED:

A GOOD WHITE WOMAN

to keep house. Must understand General farm and house work. For further particulars apply to B. J. McGUGAN,

o10-3t. Galena, Maryland.

PHOTOGRAPHS CHEAP!

The undersigned is prepared to do as good work in his line as can be done in the city, and asks for a trial. I have opened a Gallery on Queen Street, next door to the corner, and guarantee to give satisfaction. Pictures furnished promptly and at low rates. Give me a call.

J. M. SOUTH,
o17-3m. Chestertown.

FOR SALE:



TWENTY THOROUGHBRED POLAND CHINA MALE SHOTES. Price from $5 to $10. Also TWO HOLSTEIN BULLS, 8 months old. All the above stock entitled to register.

F. P. COCHRAN,
se12-3m. Galena, Md.

FOR SALE:



STOCK SHEEP.

Arrived this week two hundred head. Price from $1.50 to $3.00 per head. I can save the farmers money, as I attend the stock yards weekly. JOHN GALE,

o10-3t.* AGENT.

WAGNER GREEN HOUSE.

WEST PRATT ST., BALTIMORE, MD.

J. & B. L. WAGNER, Proprietors.

This Restaurant is the oldest and most extensive in its accommodations of any in the city. The crowds which lunch and dine daily at this restaurant attest the public approbation of its management, a25-tf.

SUPPER and FESTIVAL!

On SATURDAY EVENING, Nov. 7th, the ODD FELLOWS of Maxwell Lodge, No. 27, will hold a SUPPER and FESTIVAL in Downey's Hall, Rock Hall, Md. Oysters, and all the delicacies of the season, will be served at the supper. The public cordially invited.

MEALS ON ELECTION DAY.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will serve MEALS at all hours on Election Day, Nov. 3, at the Town Hall, Kennedyville. Oysters in abundance. Meals 25 cents. Patronage solicited. COMMITTEE.

A BIG OYSTER SUPPER!

The ladies, gentlemen, trustees and stewards of Salem Church will hold their ANNUAL OYSTER SUPPER in the third story of the Fairlee Hall, on SATURDAY EVENING, Oct. 24, 1896. Supper will begin at 5 o'clock. Come and help the village church, rain or shine, remembering "charity never faileth." It.

GRAND OYSTER SUPPER!

To be held for the benefit of Mill Branch School, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 7 P. M., at the residence of Mrs. Thomas Smith, formerly known as the Price Farm. Public cordially invited. oc17-2t.

GRAND SUPPER!

The ladies of the Sacred Heart Church, Chestertown, will give a SUPPER in the CHURCH BASEMENT, on TUESDAY EVENING, OCT. 27. Fish, Oysters and all the delicacies of the season will be served in most approved style. o17-3t.

NOTICE!

I wish to inform the public that on and after this date I can serve them with FINE FRESH OYSTERS in all styles. MEALS SERVED at all hours, and BOARDERS SOLICITED.

MRS. WILLIAM PRATT.

Still Pond, Md., Oct. 17, 1896—3t.

STAM'S HALL - TO-NIGHT!

THE LANGDON DRAMATIC COMPANY!

will produce Irving's Great Legend of

RIP VAN WINKLE,

—OR—

THE SLEEP OF 20 YEARS,

as played by Jefferson.

The cast of characters is strong and a very fine program is assured. Prices 15, 25 and 35 cents. Buy seats at once.

It. COLIN F. STAM.

SERIES OF DELIGHTFUL

Instrumental and Vocal Concerts

Classical and Humorous, to be given by Messrs. ALGER and SCHARF, assisted by Mr. WINFIELD AMOS (baritone.)

At STILL POND Town Hall (tickets on sale at Medders & Co.'s,) TUESDAY, Oct. 27th.

At MILLINGTON Town Hall (tickets for sale by R. W. Comegy's) WEDNESDAY, October 28th.

At KENNEDYVILLE (tickets for sale by Wm. E. Sanders,) THURSDAY, Oct. 29th.

At CHURCH HILL, Guest's Opera House, (tickets on sale at Drug Store under opera house,) FRIDAY, Oct. 30th.

At ROCK HALL, in Downey's Hall (tickets on sale at Downey's store,) SATURDAY, October 31st.

☞Admission, Adults, 25c.; Reserved Seats, 35c.; Children, 15c.

These gentlemen are all stars in their respective roles, and musical treats are assured. Mr. Alger as a humorist and impersonator stands unexcelled. Mr. Scharf has toured America and Europe as a banjo soloist, and Mr. Amos has sung in grand operas with marked success. y24-3t.

FOR RENT for 1897:



The DWELLING on Queen St., in Chestertown, formerly occupied by Dr. J. A. Perkins. For terms apply to H. M. STUART,

o24-3t. Chestertown.

FOR RENT for year 1817:



My DWELLING HOUSE, "Maple Croft," now occupied by Mr. Charles H. Lehman. The privilege to pasture one horse and one cow given. For further particulars call on or address D. W. Crosby, Rock Hall, Kent county, Md.

o24-3t. MRS. HETTY E. CROSBY.

FOR RENT for year 1897:



A SIX ROOM DWELLING HOUSE; water on the premises; situated on High street, Chestertown, Md.

Apply to LEWIN S. FOWLER,

o10-3t. Chestertown.

FOR RENT FOR 1897:



The DWELLING HOUSE, with suitable Outbuildings, in Lynch's Station, now occupied by the undersigned who wishes to board with the family for the rent. Garden and Lot of One Acre attached.

Apply to MRS. JULIA A. HOSSINGER,

o17-tf.* Lynch's, Md.

TO RENT:



SEVERAL DWELLINGS in Chestertown, two of them for the balance of the present year, and others for the ensuing year. The dwelling in which I live will be sold at a reasonable price or will be rented at once, and the rent taken in board by the undersigned, if they so prefer.

I have also a lot of Household Goods which may be bought at private sale.

For terms apply to MRS. L. C. SHAW.

s26-tf. or her attorney, J. D. URIE.

TO RENT for 1897:



STORE and DWELLING, on corner High and Mill Streets. Dwelling roomy and in first-class order. Papered throughout. Hydrant and water in kitchen.

Apply to J. B. SAPPINGTON,

s26-tf. Chestertown, Md.

TO RENT for 1897:



TWO DWELLING HOUSES in Chestertown, one on High street, and one on Mill street. Apply to

a29-tf. AMOS B. KELLEY.

THE "WATTS HOUSE,"



(formerly Hall's Hotel.)

MRS. M. E. WATTS, Proprietress.

I am now prepared to accommodate boarders by the day, week or month. Special attention given to TRANSIENT BOARDERS. My table will always be supplied with the best the market affords, and every attention will be given to make our guests comfortable.

COURT NOTES.

Snap Shots of the Sayings and Doings of Lawyers, Witnesses and Others.

It is not required for a witness to kiss the bible in making oath, the new law requiring only the laying on of the hand. This is an advanced step. But few are aware of the change and Crier Greenwood finds it difficult to restrain many from kissing the bible.

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A number of visiting attorneys have been present at court this week including Albert Constable, Esq., of Elkton, who by the way, is a great silver man this year. He voted the Republican ticket last year. He is engaged in several cases here. John B. and Edwin H. Brown, P. B. Hopper, J. H. C. Legg, T. J. Keating, Jr., Esqs., of Centreville, W. R. Martin, Esq., of Easton; C. W. Perkins, Esq., of Baltimore, have also been here.

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Judge Russum arrived Tuesday thus making a full bench. He is enjoying excellent health. Judge Stump arrived Monday. He is a great walker and may be seen enjoying an early morning walk every good day. They are both stopping at the Voshell House.

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The burden of His honor, Judge Wickes', charge to the grand jury was not directed, as usual, against the violation of the local option law, but in denunciation of *hog pens*. He spoke in no uncertain tones, but in his characteristic manner referred to the terrible odors and annoyance caused by the existence of these stenches. He denounced the town ordinance granting permission to persons to keep hogs in town and declared it to be a legal medical fact that they are a nuisance and a menace to health and that everyone was entitled to free, pure and unpolluted air. No one has the right to grant privileges which would render the home intolerable and unpleasant.

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The grand jury have been investigating the hog pen nuisance and will make a report on same. A number of citizens of the town have been before this body in reference to the nuisance. The court stated that they meant no reflection on the commissioners as they were known to be intelligent and represantative men who would not knowingly permit any nuisance to exist.

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A petty appeal case was before the court this week which called forth the censure of the court. A crowd of boys were playing together which finally ended in a fight, the injured boy carrying the case to court. The court very properly stated that such affairs should be settled in the home by parents giving the boy in the wrong a good licking.

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A "Kittie" is the name of the box where the tolls taken from gambling table are placed. This fact came out in the trial of a Mr. Lowe charged with keeping a gambling table at Millington. The evidence showed that Mr. L. was accustomed to play cards at the hotel and to collect toll, the accused claiming that he did it for Mr. Scotten, the proprietor.

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Visitors to court are struck with the youth and vigor of the men now at the bar. James A. Pearce, Esq., is the "father" of the coterie, viz., Eben F. Perkins, H. W. Vickers, W. M. Slay, C. T. Westcott, M. deK. Smith, H. H. Barroll, R. D. Hynson, J. D. Urie, Chas. H. B. Massey, W. W. Beck, L. W. Wickes, H. W. Catlin, Esqs.

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A case of considerable importance will come up for trial next week, especially serious is it since the court defined the law applicable to such cases. Rev. T. C. Smoot, pastor of the Millington M. E. Church, by his attorney, Hope H. Barroll, Esq., has brought suit for $5,000 damages against the town commissioners of Millington, for having failed to abate a hog pen nuisance. It is alleged that the hog pen of Willard H. Scotten, situated a distance of fifty-two feet from the home of Mr. Smoot, was allowed to get and remain in such a condition of filth as to impair the health of the family and cause the pretty parsonage to become almost uninhabitable. The commissioners were appealed to, as also was Health Physician Urie, but no relief was given and Mr. Smoot as a last resort appeals to the court.

Later.—Rev. Mr. Smoot, fearing lest it may cause discord in his charge, has instructed his attorney, Mr. Barroll, to dismiss the case. Mr. Scotten has torn away the pen and removed the hogs.

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In the suit for damages against Wm. Potts, the plaintiff's lawyer, Mr. Constable, endeavored to show the high moral character of his client, who stated that he had belonged to the Presbyterian Church for ten years or more. Mr. Barroll, counsel for the defendant, objected to this testimony, remarking that some of the hardest drinkers were in the church.

Mr. C—— "Don't judge others by your church. That is not the case in my church!"

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Mrs. Benedict in speaking of kissing in Tolchester Pike's Peak railway tunnel remarked "Don't know how a fellow could strike a girl's mouth in such a dark place!"

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A settlement was said to have been proposed in the Tolchester case, Mr. Potts remarking, "I would rather give Mr. Benedict the benefit of the money than give it to the lawyers!"

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A telegram from Centreville Thursday, said: The acquittal of Thomas R. Brown created no little surprise in this county. Brown returned to the county today. He has not yet decided where he will take up his residence. The farm he owned was sold for debt during his incarceration. It is estimated that the two trials cost Queen Anne's county over $3,500.

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The suit of B. F. H. Rouse's guardian, against Mrs. Elizabeth Walraven, was to have been tried at this term of court, but on Tuesday the case was called and the court granted its removal to Queen Anne's. It will be tried in Centreville next month. This is the case which the jury, after having been out about twenty-five hours and not agreeing was discharged. Mr. Rouse has employed Albert Constable, Esq., to represent his interests. Mrs. Walraven, it will be remembered, denies that her signature to the bond which C. W. Stephens, guardian for Rouse, gave, was genuine. Her son, who appeared as attesting witness, claims that his signature was forged. The amount involved is about $2,500.

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Talbot county was represented in court yesterday in an insurance case by Wm. R. Martin, Esq., R. B. Dixon, M. M. Higgins, P. A. Jump, J. A. Richardson and others.

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Peter Targarona the well known proprietor of the fancy bazaar at Tolchester, is attending court on a charge of selling goods on Sunday. He is known as the Tolchester *orator* his favorite *poem* being like this: "Draw away, pick 'em out, some draw the large and some the small, no blanks. I have come all the way from the rock-ribbed coasts of Maine to this, Tolchester, the fairest spot on earth, where money grows on trees and the women all look pleased!"

ALONG THE RIVER FRONT.

The Corsica met with a mishap on her way to Chestertown Tuesday. Bogle's Wharf was safely reached, and the damage repaired. She was delayed about four hours.

The pretty skiffs and yachts along the river front of Chestertown have been hauled up and put away for winter. Messrs. Eben F. Perkins' Maskan, H. M. Brown's Helen, Wm. B. Usilton's Minnie and others are snugly quartered until spring.

Messrs. Sparks and Lewis have succeeded in anchoring their ark on the Queen Anne's shore opposite Chestertown, and are now enjoying their new-made and novel home.

Capt. J. Fletcher Wilson, of Georgetown, reports the catch of rock fish to be most excellent this fall. He says the fishermen of Carpenter's Point have made about $8,000 the past season and most of this sum was made from rock fish.

Entertainment.—The Junior Order of American Mechanics had a grand supper and dance in the Odd Fellows Hall, Rock Hall, Tuesday night. There were about 150 ladies present, besides the 103 members who participated in this grand affair. After supper this great gathering was entertained by Misses Ethel Taylor, Eva Downey, Beatrice Maslin, Oneida Maslin and Arthur Greenwood. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Chance, Rev. Mr. Carroll and Mr. A. M. Godwin, of Baltimore, who complimented this order in the highest degree, as well as the Rock Hall band, which rendered most excellent music to help the cause. Dancing was indulged in, music being furnished by Prof. Eugene Wilson and Ayres Bros. Among the dancers we noticed Misses Hallie Lambert, Nan Taylor, Orilla Downey, Cooper, Goodman, Senora Perry, Bisowsky, Ethel Taylor, Lula and Ida Downey, Katie Seemond, Alvirda Woolyhand, Louisa Reiche, Nettie Reynold, Minnie Sewall Mrs. Merimer and Messrs. Will Taylor, Frank Urie, Jake Kendall, Gus Ayres, Baker, Greenwood, Goodman, Warmsly, Urie, Howard Taylor, George Ashley and many others.

Little Locals.

Sale of Farm.—The W. O. Shallcross farm near Locust Grove was sold Tuesday by James A. Pearce, Esq., attorney, to Mr. W. O. Shallcross for $10,000. The farm contains 306 acres.

Chicken Thieving.—Mr. Richard Leaverton's hen-house was robbed a few nights ago of some of its best fowls. Suspicion is very strong against a certain colored man in the neighborhood. Mr. Leaverton lives near Pomona and will give the next comer a warm reception.

A Preacher Farmer.—Messrs. Westcott & Dodd advertise a special brand of buckwheat procured from Rev. J. S. Bowers. The Rev. gentleman is the popular pastor of St. John's I. M. Church in Baltimore. He owns a 60 acre farm in the mountains of Penn., in York county, near New Freedom, Md., where he spends his summer vacation. As an evidence of farming thrift we are informed that his crop this year consists of 1,000 bushels corn; 350 bushels wheat; 400 bushels potatoes and 10 tons hay, besides quantities of vegetables and poultry, hogs, cattle, etc. What 60 acre *farmer* in Kent can beat this?

Big Meeting.—The Worton Silver club held a rousing meeting in the hall Monday night. About five hundred persons were present including a number of ladies. Mr. A. S. Goldsborough, of Centreville, addressed the crowd and did so in a most effective and entertaining manner.

Another big meeting will be held at Fairlee this Saturday evening. The Rock Hall band will be present and Messrs. H. W. Vickers and H. W. Catlin will be the speakers.

Next Tuesday the silver men of the county will hold their big rally in Chestertown. Speaking by prominent men and music will enliven the proceedings.

On Wednesday evening Hon. Joshua W. Miles will speak at Rock Hall, and on Thursday evening Hon. James A. Pearce will speak at Kennedyville.

Robbery.—Rev. Jesse Shreeve, pastor of Kennedyville M. P. Church, lost $10 Monday evening while he and his wife were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hague, near Lynch's. The money was stolen from the parsonage during the absence of the pastor. Mr. Shreeve is treasurer of a fund now being raised for the improvement of the church and had $100 in his keeping, but fortunately he left this money with one of the merchants, otherwise it would have been stolen too. It is thought the thief was aware of Mr. S.'s position, the amount of money in hand and other facts, judging from the circumstances. The thief entered the house by means of a side window in the kitchen.

Curios.—Mr. Bartus C. Legg of Rock Hall, brought to the News office last Thursday an oyster curiosity. A perfect young oyster, measuring 2x1½ inches, was grown in the mouth of a clay pipe and so tightly wedged into the bowl as to render it impossible to remove without breaking. It was caught by Mr. Henry Davis on Huntingfield bar. Mr. Legg proposes to place it in a bed to experiment in future development.

Mr. Josiah Massey has left at our office a curiosity in corn. It is a nest of little corn ears, *sixteen* in number, surrounding a boss ear; the latter is less than four inches in length and the 16 additions range from 2 inches down to a half inch, all however bearing perfect grains of corn. It is a veritable "16 to 1" ear of corn! Mr. Massey says it is indicative of the coming principle in finance.

At last we have a rival to Capt. D. Hill's fine sample of yellow corn. Mr. Wm. Reed, in the same district with Capt. Hill, has left at the News office eight mammoth ears of yellow corn; the six longest measures 12¾ to 11½ inches and weigh 9lb. 10½ ounces. One of the shortest ears measured around the butt eleven inches!

A Bold Thief.—Edw. Rusk, a young white man who has been in the employ of Mr. Wm. H. Stewart, is charged with misappropriating money. He has been living with Mr. Wm. H. Stewart, near town, since last July and had become quite a valuable hand. On Monday morning Mr. Stewart sent Rusk to Worton Station with a wagon load of sheep consigned to "Dad" Kiker. Rusk was instructed to collect the money and bring it home with him. He was given about $39, the possession of which proved a great temptation. He left the team at the creamery saying that he was going to Mr. Crowding's. Instead of going to Mr. C.'s he was tracked by Mr. Thomas Parsons to Betterton, then to Grove Point, to Havre de Grace, to Baltimore, to Reybold's and the officers at last reports were still on his track.

TOWN TOPICS.

The Langdon Company showed every night this week in Stam's Hall to fair audiences. Mr. and Mrs. Langdon are good performers and the entertainments have been with few exceptions of a high tone. The support is not equal to that of last year.

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Mr. Harry Willis, who expected to open a store in the Bordley room, concluded not to undertake it and the same store has been rented to Mr. Merritt Miller, of Baltimore. Mr. Miller is a native of Kent but has been traveling for Hurst, Purnell & Co., for several years.

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Mr. Geo. B. McWhorter, who recently purchased the Stam property on Washington avenue, is improving the same preparatory to removing there next year. Mr. McW. has been living on market square more than fifteen years in the house belonging to Mrs. Ivens, of Worton. Mr. and Mrs. Knight expect to remove in this house next year.

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Superintendent Stacey is making a decided improvement at the Chestertown depot. The old high platform that surrounded the station has been removed and a cinder path built in its place.

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Mrs. C. W. C. Johnson made a most fortunate escape Tuesday from death by fire. She was filling a *lighted* stove with oil and had emptied nearly a gallon can, when the flames came in contact with the oil and a big blaze resulted. Fortunately the servant, Tom, happened in the room at the very nick of time, and seeing the first flicker of light, grabbed the stove and threw it in the yard, where the flames shot up 40 or 50 feet.

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The vacancy caused by the resignation of officer Copper has been temporarily filled by Mr. Samuel Cooper. There are several applicants for the place including James Roe, George Dilhofer, Samuel Cooper, Charles Nelson, George Burke, and others.

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Mr. Waterman has made rapid progress in placing the numbers on the houses of the town and will finish naming the streets and numbering sometime next week. It looks quite "citified" to see the numbers and streets named. Use them in writing to friends and others.

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Mrs. Annie V. Duyer, wife of Mr. W. T. Duyer, died Sunday afternoon at her home on College avenue extended, after a lingering illness of consumption, aged 27 years. The deceased was a daughter of the late Eli and Sarah Lusby. She leaves one child, an interesting little boy aged three years. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. W. Easley, who married the deceased, assisted by Rev. J. M. Gill. Interment at Chester Cemetery. The pall bearers were J. W. Elliott, Stephen T. Kirby, Frank E. Duyer, Jesse G. Duyer, Lawrence R. Duyer, S. R. B. Lusby.

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Rev. J. Alfred Smith, presiding elder of Dover District M. E. Church, will address the Students' Christian Association of the college. He will, no doubt, give an interesting talk. The lecture will be given in the college chapel, and commences at half-past four. Everybody is invited to hear him. Mr. Beal has presented the Christian Association with an excellent Bethoven organ. They have long needed this important factor, and their wishes have at last been gratified.

An Important Card.—*Messrs. Editors*:—Please say to the people of Kent and Queen Anne's that I have been so very busy this week that I am compelled to omit my weekly advertisement. Singular it may seem when I say Queen Anne's, but 'tis a fact I have had people in my store from near Middletown, Del. Centreville, Queen Anne's county, and the noble 5th District of Kent county are daily represented by some cash buyer. We are Chestertown's only cash advocate. We stand alone in this cause and so we do in Cash bought bargains we offer you. Come and see us.

Chas. S. Smith.

The Price of Wheat and Free Coinage.—James H. Gambrill, a wealthy grain dealer of Fredrick, made a speech recently before a Democratic club of Hagerstown, in which he made a proposition to buy 500,000 bushels of wheat for $1.29 a bushel in the event of Bryan being elected and free-coinage bill being passed. He offered to give good bank security to any one who would take him up. He has already purchased last summer's crop from a Republican customer for $1.29 on the above conditions.

Perot, the manager of the Fraud ticket in Maryland, after relating a woeful fizzle for his "meetings" in Centreville closes: "These people are unreconstructed Bourbons, pure and simple!"

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