Kent News

SATURDAY, - - - DEC. 12, 1896.

Baltimore City Market.

The following quotations are from the Baltimore papers of yesterday:

Wheat, Longberry	90c.@91c.
Corn, White	26c.@29c.
" Yellow	28c.@29c.
Oats	25c.@26c.
Butter	23c.@24c.
Eggs	20c.@21c

Public Sale Record.

PERSONAL PROPERTY:

Saturday, (today)—W. F. Blackway.
Wednesday, Dec. 16—Sutton & Alrich.
Monday, Dec. 21—J. E. Hadaway.
Wednesday, Dec. 23—Samuel A. Merritt.

REAL ESTATE.

Wednesday, Dec. 16—Richard D. Hynson, as Trustee, the Miller Lots in Galena.
Tuesday, Dec. 29 — H. H. Barroll, assignee, Walraven farm near Chestertown.

THE "DOUBLE TERM" CLOSED AT LAST!

Final Proceedings of Our Circuit Court—Heavy Costs for the County to Pay—Ineffectual Efforts to Punish Local Opinion Violators—14 Cases, One Conviction!

The Circuit Court for Kent county closed on Thursday last after one of the longest terms on record. Nearly two weeks in December were added to two full weeks in October to finish up the business. Suits against the county and local opinion cases were most conspicuous during the term and most noteworthy for their costs to the county, which must add materially to the burdens of the tax-payer. Judge Stump arrived on Friday of last week and sat with Judge Wickes the balance of the term. John D. Urie, Esq., State's Attorney. Afternoon or evening sessions were held nearly every day.

Of the local option cases thirteen were before the court, and all but one—a colored man named Parker—were cleared without the jury leaving the box! This proves most conclusively the great difficulty of securing reliable evidence in these cases. The same results are noted in all the courts down the Shore. In Cambridge with numerous cases there was but one conviction; in Talbot, with 20 cases in one district there were but few convictions, and they were all colored men. What is the fault? Where is the remedy?

The most important case against the county was on trial when we went to press last week. It was a suit of Benj. F. Moffett for damages to himself, horse and wagon, near Galena, by reason of a collision with a pile of stone in the public road from Georgetown to Galena, on the 9th of May last. Jury trial. Barroll and Hynson for plaintiff, Urie and Westcott for defense. This is a section of road under the supervision of John D. Boyd. This case was given to the jury on Saturday afternoon. They remained in their room about two hours, returning a sealed verdict which was opened on Monday morning and was for the plaintiff for $75. This carries the costs which will amount to $1,000 in this one case.

MONDAY, Dec. 7.—State vs. Charles Ross, colored, for assault upon Bartus J. Wilkins, Rock Hall. Before the court. Not guilty. Beck for defence.

State vs. T. W. Wickes, charged with violating the local option law. Henry Hynson, colored, was the only witness, and he testified that the only time he ever got whiskey from Mr. Wickes was upon a prescription of Dr. Frank Hodgkin. The State's Attorney abandoned the prosecution and the jury announced the verdiet not guilty. Hynson for defence.

State vs. Margaret Kennard—charged with opening a letter belonging to Margaret Blake and appropriating $5. This case was tried before Justice Wilkins, who convicted the woman and sentenced her to the House of Correction for 15 months. The jury said guilty and the court said 18 months in the Penitentiary. Vickers for defence.

The damage suits of A. L. Baker and wife against the county commissioners was taken up Monday afternoon and continued all day Tuesday, and was given to the jury at 1 o'clock on Wednesday. The plaintiff claimed $5,000 damages for the injury of Mrs. Baker, and for damages to team, sustained in a run-away accident last December, at Martin's hill, near Mr. J. F. Copper's residence. The plaintiff's testimony was that the ravine or pond at this point was not properly guarded. The defence claimed it was a run a way horse, and at the time of accident the animal was uncontrollable to which the accident was due. Senator Westcott and State's Attorney Urie, attorneys for the county; Messrs. Barroll and Hynson for the plaintiffs. The jury after being out several hours returned a verdict for plaintiff in both cases, and assessing the damages at $60 for Mrs. Baker and $45 for Mr. Baker.

New trials were granted as follows; In the Benedict vs. Potts case, provided the plaintiff pays all costs to date. Also, in the Connor vs. Ford case.

A jury declared Joseph Worrell, colored, insane and the court ordered him sent to the Md. Hospital at the expense of the county.

Ben Scott, colored, was sentenced to ten years in the Penintentiary.

After some chancery business the court adjourned.

PERSONAL CHAT.

Mr. Colin F. Stam has been sick in bed several days this week but we are glad to report him much better at this writing.

Mr. W. W Chapman, teller in the Chestertown National Bank, has been on a visit to friends in Indianapolis the past week.

Mrs. J. H. Simpers returned Tuesday from a visit to friends in Delaware and elsewhere. She was taken sick while away and therefore hastened home.

Mrs. Adam Stengle, of Clayton, has been visiting friends at Still Pond. She is the wife of Rev. Adam Stengle, who had such a big revival in Dover recently.

Miss Lulu Boggs, of near Crumpton, is the guest of Miss May Cavender, near Clayton.

Miss Mary Hurtt attended a special recital by Prof. Burmeister Sunday afternoon at Notre Dame College. Prof. Burmeister is one of the best pianists in the country and his selections were of a very high order, but not too classical for Miss Hurtt, the skilled organist in Emmanuel Church, Chestertown.

Governor Lowndes has appointed Jas. A. Pearce Esq., a member of the commission to report upon the placing of statues of Maryland citizens in the Memorial Hall at the Capitol. The other members of the commission are Senator J. Wirt Randall, Reverdy Johnson, Charles J. Bonaparte and Thomas W. Hall.

Miss Bertha Hynson has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in New York.

A large picture in the home of Mrs. E. C. Reiche fell from the wall a few nights ago and was smashed into pieces. A handsome clock was knocked fron the mantel and also broken. The time piece was one of Mrs. Fitzpatrick's bridal presents.

Mrs. Wm. Hines, nee Miss Sue Wilkins, wife of Civil Engineer Wm. Hines, of Norfolk, Va., is the guest of her mother at "The Maples."

Miss Lula Downey, of Rock Hall, spent several days this week as the guest of Miss Carrie Reiche.

Miss Emma Groves removed to Baltimore this week, where she will open a boarding house.

Mr. H. L. Chew has sold his stock of goods to Mr. Bradley Johnson and will retire to Virginia for needed rest.

Mr. Harry Hodgkins, the rapid telegraph messenger, has accepted a position in Mr. C. S. Smith's big store during the Christmas holidays. Mr. Warren Hurlock is substituting at the railroad.

Miss Bessie Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Davis, of Rock Hall, and Mr. Wm. F. Ashley, were quietly married at the Rock Hall M. E. parsonage at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening. The most intimate friends and relatives attended a reception after the ceremony.

One of the handsomest receptions of the winter was given Thursday evening by Mrs. I. Freeman Rasin and daughters, Baltimore. In the receiving party were Mrs. Gibson, Miss Gorman, Miss Eleanor Rasin and Miss Anna Rasin, of Lankford.

Miss Clara E. Downey, of Rock Hall, has returned to her home after a visit of two weeks with Miss Claudia Thompson on High street.

Miss Katie Smith returned from a protracted visit to friends in Carroll county. She is improved in health and looks it.

Miss Hope Sappington returned Thursday from a visit to Baltimore friends.

Mr. Vernon Barnett and bride returned from their wedding trip Thursday and have taken up their abode with Mr. B.'s parents for the present.

Mr. Richards, helper in Mr. J. S. Vandegrifts' shop, left this week to accept a position in Philadelphia. Mr. V. will have the assistance of Phil Henson on Saturdays.

Lodge Officers. — Amicable Lodge, No. 117, I. O. O. F., on Monday night elected the following officers for the ensuing term: N. G., William M. Culp; V. G., H. Meeteer Wallis; Treasurer, James W. Chapman; secretary, J. Randolph Rollison; Marshall, Edward Lambert.

On Monday night the Heptasophs of Galena elected the following officers: Past Archon, L. C. Hayes; Past Archon, C. F. Lehman; Secretary, W. T. Hicks; Financier, W. T. Caldwell; Treasurer, G. W. Starr; Provost, B. F. J. Sparks; Inspector, John P. Sweeney; Prelate, Wm. Steel; Warden, Wm. Nickerson; Sentinel, Wm. Ford; Trustees, R. H. Hicks, B. F. Vansant, Ed. E. Woodall.

On Thursday night, Dec. 5th, the "Improved Order of Heptasophs" of Chestertown elected the following officers for the year 1896: Archon, J. Henry Hurtt; Provost, Samuel T. Newcomb; Prelate, John Bell; Inspector, Frank Blyman; Secretary, W. Harrison Collins; Warden, Joseph H. Lewis; Sentinel, J. B. Clothier; Financier, Joseph N. Wheatley; Treasurer, John E. Matthews; Trustees, C. C. Hopper J. Frisby Newcomb and Herman Gruber.

In Good Order.—Capt. Atkinson, of the Home Telephone Co., has been in Chestertown this week and placed the telephones heretofore in use in first class condition. For the first time for a year or more, we were able yesterday to talk satisfactorily with Still Pond. Mr. Toulson informs us that the line all over the county will be improved.

The Standard Company resumed work on their new line this week.

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Dec. 7, 1896.

The Christmas Store THE store is the better store for being so much besides. Beauty reigns, and from the big Orchestrion that keeps the Basement tuneful to the Toy Store Annex—third floor, Chestnut street—the holiday spirit of life and gladness pervades the building.

Dolls hold court everywhere, though the greatest array of them is in the Basement Toy Store.

Mechanical Toys—all sorts of contrivances that "go"—are in the third floor Toy Store—reached easily by elevators running from the Chestnut street Arcade.

Would you have just a moment of quiet from the good-natured hubbub? Step into the Art Gallery by the Toy Store Annex. Restful, beautiful.

A share of the carpet store is given over to a Christmas Bazaar—all sorts of useful and decorative

things that can be sold at Fifty (50) Cents and One ($1) Dollar. This is a collection from regular stocks, assembled for your convenience. Ready this morning. Second floor, Market street.

Every one within a hundred miles of Philadelphia should see and enjoy the Christmas Wanamaker's. Unique.

Handkerchiefs for Presents FROM Ireland, Scotland, Switzerland, France, China and Japan we have gathered nearly Three Thousand Styles, and the counters devoted to the selling would reach from Thirteenth street to the Mint and half as far again, if placed in a line.

And there isn't a poor lot in the collection, from the most modest every-day Pure Linen Handkerchiefs at 5c to the finest linen Handkerchiefs made—and they are $7 apiece. Two groups—

At 12 1-2c Each—

Fine Hemstitched Handkerchiefs for women; hand embroidered corners.
Good quality white Handkerchiefs for women; lace edge.
Women's unlaundered Handkerchiefs; hemstitched and revered.
Women's hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with prettily embroidered initial.
Men's hemstitched Handkerchiefs—colored borders; lots of styles.
Men's unlaundered hemstitched Handkerchiefs—handsomely initialed.
Children's Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs—hemstitched edges; white.
Children's Japanese Silk Handkerchhiefs—embroidered and scalloped; colors.

At 25c Each—

Women's hemstitched Handkerchiefs—lace edged.
Women's scalloped and embroidered Handkerchiefs—a score of pretty patterns.
Women's hemstitched Hankerchiefs—beautifully embroidered.
Women's hemstitched Handkerchiefs—embroidered open-work initial.
Women's very fine, plain white hemstitched Handkerchiefs.
Men's all-white hemstitched Handkerchiefs.
Men's plain white hemstitched Handkerchiefs—with embroidered initial.
Plain white Japanese Silk Hankerchiefs—hemstitched. For men or women.
Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs—scalloped edges; beautifully embroidered.

Silks for Presents UNUSUALLY little prices have been put upon silks at Wanamaker's, recently, thanks to various contributing causes—and now the most popular silks of the season have been put in convenient shape for holiday selling—

Waist lengths
Skirt lengths
Dress lengths

each neatly boxed. The prices are not a cent more for this helpfulness, and many of the silks are yours at less than half their fair worth.

FOR WAISTS—

5 yds. Figured Taffeta for $2.50.
5 yds. Figured Taffeta for $3.
5 yds. fancy striped Taffeta for $3.
5 yds. Glace Taffeta for $3.25.
5 yds. fancy striped Taffeta for $3.25.
5 yds. Brocaded Taffeta for 3.75.
5 yds. Brocaded Taffeta for $5.50.
5 yds. Brocaded Taffeta for $6.25.

FOR SKIRTS—

9 yds. Glace Taffeta for $5.50.
9 yds Black Taffeta for $5.
9 yds. Black Moire Antique for $7.
9 yds. Black Moire with satin figures for $8.75.

FOR DRESSES—

15 yds. Black Gros Grain, 24 in., for $11.

Black Dress Goods FORTY-EIGHT distinct styles and weaves of Black Dress Goods—from the best maker in all France are here to sell at an average half price. This seems strange, for the goods embrace a large share of the staple stuffs of this and every year. It is as though your grocer offered you sugar at half price. But we are chief distributors in America of these goods, and when the maker decided on a quick clearance of the contents of his stockroom of course the goods came here. Within sixty days the looms will whiz again, making more of these staple stuffs—to sell at more than double today's prices at Wanamaker's.

$1.00 French Serge, 50c.
$1.00 Mohair Diagonal, 50c.
$1.00 Wide Wale Diagonal, 50c.
$1.00 French Canvas, 50c.
$1.25 Fancy Canvas, 60c.
$1.25 Fancy Cheviot, 60c.
$1.50 Figured Canvas, 75c.
$1.75 Worsted Diagonal, 75c.
$1.50 Diagonal Cheviot, 75c.
$1.50 French Boucle, 75c.
$1.50 Rough Canvas, 75c.
$1.50 Rough Serge, 75c.
$1.50 Wide Wale Diagonal, 85c.
$1.75 Fancy Camel's-hair, 85c.
$2.00 Camel's-hair Canvas, $1.
$2.00 French Whipcord, $1.
$2.00 Diagonal Cheviot, $1.
$2.00 Broadcloth, $1.25.

JOHN WANAMAKER.

SANTA CLAUS' MAIL.

Some Important Letters From Little Folks to "Old Kriss."

The following letters to Old Kris have been received during the past week:

Chestertown, Dec. 1, '96.

Dear Old Kriss: Will you please send me a pare of gum boots, a set of goat harness and a wagon, a pony, bridle, sadle, candy, nuts, oranges and some marbles and please bring my little brother a set of steam cars, a sail boat and some candy, nuts and oranges. Please bring the colored boy a sute of cloths and a pare of shoes a cap and a pare of gloves some candy, nuts and oranges.

ROBERT C. BROWN.

Chestertown, Dec. 8, '96.

Dear Old Santa Clause: Please bring me a wagon and horn. Yours Truly,

JOS. R. WESTCOTT.

Chestertown, Dec. 8, '96.

Dear Old Santa Clause: Please bring me a doll and dog and little piano. Your little friend. NELLIE WESTCOTT.

P. S. A set of dishes, a baby carriage.

Chestertown, Dec. 8, 96.

Dear Old Santa Clause: Please bring me a drum and train of cars run by steam.

SIMON WESTCOTT.

P. S. A steam boat, a steam yacht.

Piney Neck, Dec. 8, '96.

Dear Santa Claus: You were so good to me last Christmas that I will let you know what I want this time. Please bring me, if you can a white muff and tippet, and a doll carriage with a doll that can shut its eyes. Of course you know that we like candy and nuts. Please bring the little boys and little sister some presents too. Your loving little girl.

HATTIE BECK.

Lankford, Dec. 4, '96.

Dear Old Kriss: Please bring me a Pair Kid gloves and a Pair of Mittens and lots of candies nuts and oranges and bannas apples.

From your friend
LIZZIE SAUNDERS.

Lankford, Dec. 3, '96.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little 8 year old school boy and I go to school nearly every day. Dear Santa Claus, please bring me a Pair of Mittens and a sled and an Indian Rubber ball and lots of Nuts and Candies and Oranges. Don't forget Mamma and Papa, please. From your friend,

OSWALD SAUNDERS.

Still Pond, Dec. 7, '96.

Dear Old Santa Claus: I thought I would write to you I would like to have a neck tie and a pair of gloves and a pair of gum boot and as many other little things as you think I need I want some candy, nuts and oranges to. From your little friend

TOM W. MANN.

Reese, Md., Dec. 2, '96.

Dear Old Santa Claus: Will you please bring me a Chest of Tools, A Drum and Horn and a great big grey hobby horse with a sadle A Story Book. I am a good boy 3 years old. Your little friend.

WILLIAM REESE.

Chestertown, Dec. 9, '96.

Dear Old Kriss: My brother wants a tar velocpiede and I know that you can not afford to bring it and I want a Bycycle and I known you cant afford to bring both of them, but Dear Kriss you bring me that Bycycle I will promise you that I will mind whatever my mother and father say to me about it and teach my little brother how to ride and if I can let everybody that has let me ride on theirs. So goodby from

KEMP BORDLEY.

NOW FOR XMAS!

Our Great "Christmas Bazaar" is in working order, and we have on exhibition the Greatest Quantity and Variety, of Xmas Goods ever displayed under one roof in this county. We propose to sell as heretofore:

Best Goods at Lowest Prices

Our Xmas show consists of many, many things, and you will find in abundance

Toys! ALL KINDS. **Toys!**

Dolls! ALL KINDS. **Dolls!**

Fancy Xmas Novelties.

Larger Line, New Styles:

BRIC-A-BRACK,
BOOKS and GAMES,
USEFUL PRESENTS, Etc.
EXPRESS WAGONS,
SLEDS, DOLL CARRIAGES,
WHEEL BARROWS,
SHOO FLYS, &c., just what is wanted.

98c. buys Extra Large Iron Axle Express Wagon, worth $1.50, only 98c.

TONS OF CANDY! TONS OF NUTS!

WE QUOTE OUR PRICES:

9½c. buys Very Best Large English Walnuts all new 9½c.
11c. buys Extra Fine Almonds, only.....11c.
7½c. buys New Large Butter Nuts.....7½c.
9c. buys Best Mixed (all nuts).....9c.
4¾c. buys Our Leader, Choice Mixed Candy, only 4¾c.
7½c. buys Extra Fine 10c. Candy.....7½c.
Several Kinds.
Fine Bon Bons, Cream Chocolates,
Butter Cups, &c., very low.
5c. buys Large New Raisins, only.....5c.
Figs, Currants, Dates,
Oranges, Lemons, Bananas,
and all other Fruits very low.
Fine Apples (good) only.....$1.50 Barrel.
12c. buys Fine Chocolate (½-lb. cake.....12c.

☞Come and bring the Children, our "Christmas Show" is yours.

MEDDERS & CO.

☞Know our Store by the Christmas Tree in front.

BARGAINS in General Merchandise.

Taxation in the Counties.

The following is the rate of taxes prevailing throughout the State in the different counties:

Allegany	87	Howard	71
Anne Arundel	96	Kent	92
Baltimore	80	Montgomery	88¼
Calvert	$1 10	Prince George	92½
Caroline	$1 03	Queen Anne	$1 00
Carroll	59	Somerset	$1 14
Cecil	70	St. Mary	$1 05
Charles	$1 02	Talbot	97½
Dorchester	$1 07½	Washington	78
Frederick	67	Wicomico	86¼
Garrett	$1 10	Worcester	$1 00
Harford	81		

In Carroll county the road tax is apportioned by Districts from 8 cents on $100 to 17 cents, which is to be added to the county tax. The State tax of 17¾ cents is to be added to the amounts as stated above. The rate in Baltimore city is fixed at $2.

....AT PARKS'....

Special Cash Prices for Xmas Holidays

Contemplating a change in our mode, if not in business, will offer

$6,000 or More Worth of Stock at Bottom Prices!

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Coats and Capes

REGARDLESS OF COST, FROM NOW ON.

Special Prices on all Boots, Shoes and Rubbers.
Carpets, Oilcloths and Rugs, Lower than ever.
Rag Carpets from 25 cents per yard up.
Ingrains from 25 cents per yard up.
Horse Blankets, Good Robes, Galaway Cow Robes, Etc.
Bed Blankets, Bed Comforts, Quilts.
Bed Blankets, full size, from 49 cents per pair up.
Bed Comforts, full size, from 65 cents apiece, up.
Towels, handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Etc.
Chambersets, Tea Sets, Glassware, Lamps, Etc.
Xmas Chocolate, 25 cents per pound.
Best Buckwheat 2¼ cents per pound, $1.95 for 100 pounds.
Best American Granulated Sugar 21 pounds for $1.00.
Enterprise Coffee 17¾ cents per pound.
Tobacco from 16 cents per pound up.
Best 175 Test, 49 Degrees Gravity Coal Oil, 12 cents per Gallon.
Gum Boots from $2.00 per pair up.
Trunks, Valises, Window Shades, Etc.

☞Just Received, New Invoice of SEAL PLUSH CAPES, 25 per cent. Less than Previous Prices. Underwear at a Sacrifice.

Give us a call.

R. F. PARKS,

December 12, 1896. CHESTERTOWN, MD

CHESTERVILLE ITEMS.

We have heard of many mean people and tricks, but the meanest man we know of is the man who forewarns his neighbors from gunning on him and then for he and his son to gun the very next day on the forewarned neighbor and the neighborhood without asking for the privilege.

Our school has been closed on account of the teacher, Miss Joe Harris, being sick. A substitute is expected in the person of Miss Nickerson, of Morgan Neck.

Miss Ida Weeks spent Thanksgiving with her parents in Baltimore, and visited many friends while there.

Mrs. J. Wesley Jarman and danghter Estella, visited Philadelphia last week. While there they attended the tenth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Foster.

Mrs. William Baldwin, Misses Ida Meeks and Viola Moffett, Messrs. Rob't Lusby and Edward Cooper spent a pleasant evening with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jarman, last Tuesday evening.

Among those who attended the ball at Millington Thanksgiving night from here were: Mr. Dennis McCauley and wife, John Comegys and wife, Miss Estella Jarman, Messrs. Chas. Jarman and Washington Pennington.

Mrs. Mary King was taken suddenly ill last Friday, and at this writing is but little improved.

Mrs. Frank Craner spent several days last week with her grandfather in Frederictown.

Mr. Wm. Jarrel visited the city of brotherly love last week.

Mr. Walter Morris and wife, of Chestertown, spent last Friday at their cousins, Mr. Wm. Lusby.

Mr. Charles Craner and wife, are visiting Mrs. C's sister, Mrs. Isaac Simms in Quaker Neck.

Misses Jennie and Blanche Davis visited their sister, Mrs. John Robinson, of Still Pond, last Sunday.

Our two merchants Messrs. Crittenden and Dill have opened their Christmas goods and are now ready to supply their customers with the greatest selection of goods they have ever had.

Our blacksmith has lost both of his valuable rabbit dogs and one of our prominent young men is accused of making away with them and a law suit is progressing rapidly. Much interest is being manifest over the affair, all over two old dogs.

Among those who are on the sick list are Mrs. King, Mrs. Wooffers, Miss Josephine Harris, Messrs. Thos. Clements and Samuel Pearson.

Hog butchering is about over and some heavy hogs have been heard from. Mr. Thomas Jones is credited with having the heaviest; it weighed 456 lbs. Mr. J. W. Jarman had eighteen averaged nearly 300 pounds. Messrs. Fogwell, Nowland, Conner, Comegys, Coppage, Pearson and Clements had several that weighed over 300.

Mrs. Henry Jones, of Chesapeake City is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Jones.

Mr. Richard Rasin spent last week with his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Vandyke, of near Locust Grove.

Mr. Samuel Pearson visited his cousin Mrs. Johnson, near Masseys, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. Charles Curlett is visiting Mr. James Spry.

The writer had the pleasure of visiting Mr. Lusby's poultry yards last week and I think as far as I am a judge of poultry he has the finest in the county. Any one would do well to look at his poultry before purchasing elsewhere.

Mrs. Noble Pennington, of Virginia, is visiting friends in this neighborhood.

Rumor says we are to have several weddings this winter. Who will be the first?

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Dance at Edesville.

The dance at Edesville last Friday was an enjoyable occasion. The music was furnished by Mr. W. E. Willson's orchestra, while the surrounding decorations were of evergreen and holly. The patronesses were Mrs. Thomas W. Trew, Mrs. W. B Strong, Mrs. Dr. Willson, Mrs. Robert Wickes. Chicken salad, sandwiches and coffee were served at midnight. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. W. Trew, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wickes, Mr. and Mrs. James Ringgold, Mr. and Mrs. Bartus Hatcherson, Mrs. Dr. Willson, Mrs. John Brice, Mrs. Lizzie Camp, Mrs. Mathiott, Misses Tenie Aldrich, Rebecca and Mattie Hepbron, Bertie Beck, Edna, Mamie and Lula Strong, Violet Beck, Laura and Celeno Jessup, Georgia and Bettie Wallis, Minnie Wickes, Anna Willson, Jennie Johnson, Katherine Willson, Mattie Ringgold, Isabella Frame, Gussie Mathiott, Louise Price, Marie Camp. Messrs. C. A. Jessup, Wm. and Edward Hepbron, T. B. Willson, Jr., Geo. and Wm. Camp, Clifton and Kidd Aldrich, Howard Parrott, J. R. Roseberry, Edward Strong, Jack Ruth, Thos. Wallis, Maurice Willson, Dr. Selby, Chas. and Nobley Willson, Horace and Scott Beck, Geo. Webb, Frank Sappington, Jas. L. Beck.

Floor committee: Messrs. Thomas W. Trew, Jack Ruth.

Beatty-Sudler. — Mr. Louis Lacey Beatty and Miss Mary Morling Sudler were married at half-past 2 o'clock Wednesday in the Methodist Episcopal Church at Sudlersville by Rev. G. E. Bacon. The church had been decorated with plants and evergreens, and a wedding-bell of laurel hung above the chancel. Mrs. N. N. Morgan played the wedding march. Miss Elizabeth Sudler, sister of the bride, was flower girl, and was dressed in white silk covered with mulle. The bride wore a traveling gown of navy blue broadcloth, with hat and gloves to match. The ushers were Messrs. Bates Stephens, Arthur Sudler, a brother of the bride, and her cousins, Foster Sudler and Oscar Goodhand. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Beatty started on a Northern trip. At 11 a. m. a wedding breakfast had been served to the bridal party at the home of Mr. S. S. Goodhand. Many presents were received. Mr. Beatty is superintendent of the public schools of Queen Anne's county, a position he has filled for a number of years. He was for about five years a member of the State board of education. He is the son of the late Dr. Beatty, of Ingleside, and a nephew of the late Judge Robinson. His bride is a daughter of the late Morling Sudler and a niece of Dr. Arthur Sudler, a member of the board of county school commissioners.

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