# Kent News.

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SUPPER AT KENNEDYVILLE!

The ladies of the M. P. Church will hold a SUPPER in the TOWN HALL on FRIDAY and SATURDAY Evenings, March 26th and 27th. Come one, come all. A tempting meal is assured. COMMITTEE.

WANTED:

Situation as HOUSEKEEPER in a small family, by lady of experience. Address M. W. P.
m13-3t.* Chestertown, Md.

SITUATION WANTED.

To do GENERAL HOUSEKEEPING AND SEWING. Good experience. Apply to MISS BROWN,
mar6-3t*. Hanesville, Kent Co., Md.

5,000 SQUARE FEET.

CORRUGATED STEEL ROOFING,

(galvanized and painted) just received will be sold at small margin for cash, by JOSEPH GUEST,
m13-tf. Chestertown, Md.

BOARD DURING CONFERENCE.

During the session of the M. E. Conference persons can be furnished with BOARD by the DAY or SINGLE MEAL at any time at MRS. J. B. BURCHINAL'S,
m13-2t.* on East Queen Street.

JUST RECEIVED

First shipment of ALLEN'S ANTI-RUST JAPAN, for all exposed metals, viz.: Tin and Steel Roofs, Iron Fences and Railings. Said to last 10 years. Sold by JOSEPH GUEST,
m18-tf. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT:



The HOUSE on East Queen St., occupied by J. W. Reed, will be for rent after the 1st of April, for the balance of the year, 1897. Apply to MISS MAGGIE G. PLUMMER,
m13-3t. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT:



At Barclays, Queen Anne's County, Maryland, a commodious STORE-HOUSE, with STABLE, CORN-HOUSE, &c., a first-class business location. Also, BLACKSMITH and WHEELWRIGHT SHOP. The above properties are near to Railroad Station, and will be rented on very favorable terms to good parties. Apply to J. T. REYNOLDS, Media, Penn.
f27-tf. or MRS. A. B. MERRICK, Barclay, Md.

HAPPY JIM!



Spring Season from March 16th, to June 16th. One of the best bred horses in the State, a Chestnut Sorrel, 15½ hands high, 5 years old this spring; sired by the noted Happy Russell, No. 4,494, whose strain include a remarkable number of fast goers, being as quick as 2.15½. His record at 4 years old was 2.21½. Dam, Dairy, by Bashaw, Jr., No. 51, time, 2.24¾. Happy Jim went a mile in 1895 in 2.58. He will make the season in Kent and adjoining counties. TERMS:—$8.00 season or $12.00 to insure. The mare will be responsible. GEORGE P. HENDRICKSON,
m13-tm1. Chestertown, Md.

A Sure Corn Grower!

KANGAROO AND

Black Residuum Mixture.

Keeps the corn from FRENCHING, keeps it green and ears well. Farmers who have used this Mixture in Kent say it is the best Mixture on the market for CORN. A trial is all that is asked to know its merits, and it is cheap, too. For sale by JOHN BRICE,
m13-tf. Chestertown, Md.

WOOD FOR SALE:

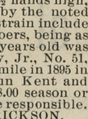
T. B. KINNAMON, AGENT,

gives notice that he will serve SAWED and SPLIT OAK and HICKORY WOOD, of any size or length, for $2.00 a load, Half Cord to load, to any individual in Chestertown. Terms cash on delivery of wood. Orders left at the Hardware Store of J. K. Aldridge & Co., will receive prompt attention. T. B. KINNAMON,
m6-3t.* Catlin, Q. A. Co., Md.

FRESH FISH FOR SALE:

Having rented the Primrose Shore in Queen Anne's, at the foot of Chester River Bridge, convenient to Chestertown, I will be prepared after the 15th of March to furnish Fresh, Live FISH to traders, hucksters and all dealers and users, in any quantity and number at the Lowest Cash Market Price. The patronage of the Kent and Queen Anne's public is solicited. W. W. WALTERS,
m6 3t.* 40 Prospect St., Chestertown.

GARDEN SEED, 1897.



M. A. TOULSON'S

DRUG STORE.

PURE SEED, FRESH THIS SEASON.

IN ANY QUANTITY.

AT THE LOWEST PRICES.

M. A. TOULSON,
m13. Chestretown.

CORN WANTED:

SHELLED OR ON THE COB,

for which the HIGHEST MARKET PRICE will be paid. Delivered either on water or railroad. Can be seen at the store of Mr. Geo W. Smith, Chestertown, on Saturday Morning and Tuesday afternoon. Address HARRISON NEWNAM,
f27-tf. Rolph's, Md.

WANTED:

A GOOD, RELIABLE AGENT

to represent a first-class Life Insurance Company in Kent county. Address S. M. BLOUNT,
m20. 401 Herald Building, Baltimore, Md.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

MISSES WILLIE and LOU MOFFETT

wish to announce to their friends and the public, that they will succeed Mrs. M. E. Blackiston of Millington, Kent county, Maryland, in the MILLINERY business, the 1st of April, and solicit their patronage.

They will also continue DRESSMAKING.

Give us a call. m29-3m.*


Number 3,305.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF—

## The Chestertown National Bank

at Chestertown, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, March 9, 1897.

RESOURCES:

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| Loans and discounts | | $177,167 49 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured | | 521 53 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | | 15,000 00 |
| Banking-house, furniture and fixtures | | 5,500 00 |
| Due from National Banks (not reserve Agents) | | 422 40 |
| Due from approved reserve agents | | 17,613 78 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 434 86 |
| Notes of other National Banks | | 2,500 00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickles and cents | | 162 55 |
| LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, NAMELY: | | |
| Specie | $9,505 00 | |
| Legal-tender notes | 2,250 00 | 11,755 00 |
| TOTAL | | $231,077 61 |

LIABILITIES:

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| Capital stock paid in | 60,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | 12,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | 12,597 43 |
| Due to other National Banks | 1,402 85 |
| Due to State Banks and Bankers | 15 60 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | 145,041 73 |
| Certified Checks | 20 00 |
| TOTAL | $231,077 61 |

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss:

I, HARRY RICKEY, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HARRY RICKEY, CASHIER,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1897.

CHARLES M. LUCAS, N. P.

Correct, Attest:—

CHAS. T. WESTCOTT,
THOMAS W. ELIASON,
MARION DEK. SMITH,
1t. DIRECTORS.


Black Residuum!

*25 Cent Corn Problem Solved!*

Use Residuum and you will get rid of Cut Worm, Insects, Frenching, and it is claimed will largely increase cour crop. Delivered at nearest station in bulk ear lots at $6.50 per ton, cash. Orders received for the General Agents by JOSEPH GUEST,
m13-tf. Chestertown, Md.

Plumbing AND Machine Work!

Executed in a Skillful Manner, in Every Detail. Steam and Hot Water Heating. PIPE and PIPE FITTINGS, PLUMBING MATERIAL, BATH TUBS and SANITARY ARRANGEMENTS. Also RUBBER HOSE and HOSE FITTINGS.

Wind Mills and Pumps of Every Description.

Special attention to

*Repairing Engines and Boilers.*

Also, BICYCLES REPAIRED.

FRANK M. MILLER,
KENT NEWS Building. Chestertown, Md.

Plows and Plow Castings.

STEEL KING—All Steel Plows—First-class in Material, Construction and Finish.
OLIVER CHILLED PLOWS and Castings.
ROLAND CHILLED PLOWS and Castings.
Plow Hames, Plow Traces, Plow Lines—14 yards long, at 8c. per pair. Chain Traces, Back Bands, Shovels, Forks, Spades, Garden Rakes, Hoes, Bush and Bramble Axes and Scythes, Grindstones from 50 cents to $1.25, all selling to suit the low prices of corn at J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.'S.

POULTRY WIRE:

1 to 6 feet wide.

Send for prices before purchasing and save money by buying of
m6. J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

Free Stop-over at Washington.

On all through tickets between the east, north, west and south, reading via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, stop-over at Washington can be secured, without extra charge for railroad fare, by depositing the ticket, upon arrival at Washington, with the B. & O. station ticket agent at that point. Washington is always attractive to visitors, and particularly so while Congress is in session. This arrangement for stop-over privilege will doubtless be appreciated by the public, and will bring to the National Capital many travelers to view its superb public buildings, monuments, museums and thoroughfares. 2t.

SHUSTER'S RESTAURANT.

We will be prepared DURING CONFERENCE to furnish TABLE BOARD by the Week, Day or Meal to visitors and all others attending conference, at moderate charges. Sunday Dinner will be a special feature. OYSTERS served at all hours. All kinds of ICES furnished families on order.

JOHN L. SHUSTER & CO.,
f27-3t. opp. Old Bank, Chestertown, Md.


## Local Spice Box

The Emma A. Ford was placed on this route Saturday, after undergoing a thorough overhauling. Capt. Taylor was in command, with his pleasant and courteous manner.

**Mr. Walter Maslin**, son of the late Wm. Maslin, died at his home near Pomona yesterday morning after an illness of less than two weeks, aged about 27. He was unmarried and lived with his mother. He was a member of Bond Church and a very estimable young man. The funeral services will take place Sunday afternoon at his late home, interment Chester cemetery.

**J. Waters Russell** endeavored to ride W. W. Beck's saddle horse Wednesday, and the animal got away with him, the young man falling off and bruising himself considerably.

**A big otter** was caught on Mr. James W. Lambert's farm, near Lynch's, last Friday by Mr. Crowding. It measured six feet in length and was killed with a stone while crossing a field.

**A fall** down a flight of stairs recently resulted in a number of painful bruises to Mr. George C. Adkinson, the faithful sexton of the M. E. Church. He is able to be at the church, but has not yet entirely recovered.

**The** lot at the head of town, near Lynchburg, has been leased of H. W. Vickers, Esq., by Mr. Senart, and will be utilized for the raising of celery and other marketable produce. This lot has been a play-ground for years.

**The** dredging season closed Monday. It has not been, so far as the dredgers are concerned, a profitable one. The prices for oysters have ranged low; whereas oysters have been fairly abundant. There have not been the same inducements to work in all weather and to take all kinds of risk, as when there has been a big demand for them. Last week was a good one for the packers, but this week orders have been few.

**James W. Chapman, Jr.**, of Chestertown, has been selected as one of the speakers to represent the Maryland University in a joint debate between his alma mater and the Georgetown University of Law. Among others selected are Wm. M. Maloy, C. B. Strayer, of Baltimore, and James T. Bright, of Queen Anne's. There are to be two debates, one in Baltimore and the other in Washington.

**Fees** charged for the inspection of grain at the port of Baltimore have been reduced 50 per cent. This action was agreed to Wednesday by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce after the subject had been investigated by a special committee. This cut extends in greater proportion on Maryland products, and on water borne grain grown in this State the reduction is from 50 cents a thousand bushels to 15 cents. The reduced rates become effective at once and displace charges which were established about three years ago.

**A. Miniger Thomas**, who was sentenced to jail two weeks ago by the court in default of $100 fine and costs for assaulting Miss Mary Deaver, now Mrs. Percy Towson, sister of Mr. Henry W. Deaver, of this town, while she was resisting his efforts to drive through her farm at Knoxville, last August, was released from jail Tuesday. His counsel, Glenn Worthington, petitioned the court for a reduction of the fine, which was reduced to $50, pending the petition for remittance of sentence which has been filed with the Governor. Several of his friends gave security for the amount of the reduced fine and he was released from custody.

**Death** came into the home of Mr. Daniel Smith, on High street, Monday and took therefrom the loving wife, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Smith, aged 69. She suffered a stroke of paralysis about a week ago and never regained consciousness. The deceased was a meek and lowly follower of Christ and a devoted member of Christ M. P. Church. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Charles Nelson, and two sons, Hubert, of Baltimore, and Wilson, of Rock Hall. Funeral services were conducted by Dr. S. C. Roberts on Wednesday; interment in Chester cemetery.

Mrs. Sarah A. Pearce died at the residence of Mr. James T. Thompson, at Quaker Neck wharf, last Friday, aged 80. She was a sweet character and very highly esteemed. Funeral services were held Sunday, Rev. T. B. Cooper officiating; interment in Chester cemetery.

**Mr. Wm. McCaig**, the shoemaker, has removed to Chestertown and opened a shop on Cross street. He says there's no place like this town. Justice Wright has moved his office in the same room with Mr. McCaig.

## M. E. CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS.

### Auspicious Opening and Daily Increasing Interest.

The advance guard of the Wilmington M. E. Conference arrived in Chestertown Monday, they being the candidates for examinations and the examining board. Those who presented themselves at Christ M. P. Church for examination were:

First year—C. P. Futcher, W. G. Chance, L. E. Poole, C. E. Hastings, T. G. Eiswald.
Second year—T. R. Vandyke, E. H. Collins, C. I. Stengle.
Third year—J. P. Outten, W. F. West, J. H. Beauchamp, F. E. McKinzey, H. G. Budd.
Fourth year—H. A. G. Westerfield.
Candidates—Harry Taylor, J. W. Prettyman, Thomas S. Holt, W. O. Bennett, J. W. Talley, W. E. Greenfield, W. G. Strickland, W. E. Matthews, J. S. Sparklin.

The examining board were Revs. R. Irving Watkins, S. J. Morris, D. H. Corkran, F. C. McSorely, T. E. Terry, Geo. W. Townsend, W. E. Avery and W. L. S. Murray. The results of the examinations will be announced later.

TUESDAY.

Most of the 200 members of the conference arrived by the train Tuesday and were quickly assigned to their new homes by Bro. Compton assisted by Mr. M. Wilbur Thomas. A brief pentecostal service was held in the afternoon by Dr. J. W. Fowler the conference evangelist.

At 7.30 in the evening a large audience filled the church and listened attentively to a missionary sermon by Rev. H. W. Ewing, Port Deposit. His text will be found in Matthew 28—18,19, 20—"The Church's Power and Her Mission." Her power, said he in brief, is not in truth alone but in God the embodiment of all truth, and a Godless ministry always implies a languishing church. Her mission—to hasten the day when every knee shall bow and every tongue shall speak his praise. There must be a universal religion and that shall have the lowly Nazarene as its God unmixed by any "ism." Its mission is as wide as the world and as comprehensive as the entire race. The speaker than spoke of the power of Mohammed as shown in the firing upon Crete. He foretold the overthrow of Salisbury and his government unless he changes front and exclaimed "this mystery of iniquity must be solved; I admire Greece and King George in their noble stand. Greece with all her grand history, her skilled men and patriotic sons will be the solution of the political problem of Europe and at the same time solve the problem of Christianity, for when Mohammed is overthrown that vast domain, so long held in blackest night will reach out its hand to the crucified Christ and a nation will be born in a day. Even tonight the guns are sounding over the Grecian waters." He spoke of what had already been accomplished and closed with a beautiful peroration picturing the second coming of Christ. The sermon was a most excellent discourse and delivered in a most earnest and polished manner. The services were conducted by Rev. Vaughn S. Collins and closed with an anthem by the choir under the leadership of Prof. R. K. Pippin, Miss Anna G. Lambert, organist.

RECEPTION TO CONFERENCE.

After preaching, the Epworth League gave a reception to the members of the conference in the lecture room. The room was transformed into a scene of much brilliancy with its newly carpeted floor, soft light from among silk shades, and sweet music by the Sunday school orchestra, while the members made everyone feel comfortable by their warm hand-shake and dispensed lemonade and cake to those who were thirsty. The reception committee comprised the following, viz., Rev. W. P. Compton, pastor; Revs. R. K. Stephenson and H. W. Ewing, conference cabinet and the local cabinet, M. Wilbur Thomas, Misses Fannie E. Stuart, Anna G. Lambert, Julia Burchinal, Cora Massey, Mrs. Edw. Ringgold, Thomas S. Bordley and John M. Toulson. Presiding Elder Smith made a short address of welcome to which the Bishop replied in his happiest manner.

WEDNESDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

When Bishop Walden opened the conference session Wednesday, nearly every seat in the church was occupied and not only did the orb of light shine brightly through the stained windows, but the light from the Heavenly Son shone in and out from each heart. As the communion service progressed the spiritual fire began to grow brighter and to warm up all who partook of the sacred emblems, closing with the Lord's Prayer and the beautiful praise service of the church.

The business session of the conference opened at 10.30 o'clock, Bishop Walden presiding. The learned divine was in his most pleasing mood, not that he has any unpleasant ones, but was very witty and spoke to the point. He stated that it had been his pleasure to preside over every Eastern conference but two and had looked forward with especial interest to the meeting in Chestertown. "I found that in every part of the country that Methodist preachers were very considerate and I feel sure that there will be no exception here. One thing that distresses me is to find our membership absent from the opening services and I trust we will meet promptly, make haste slowly, settle down in these good quarters and remain until all our business has been satisfactorily transacted. We want a *few things* for breakfast, less at noon and a good square meal at 6 o'clock. I notice plenty of Methodist fire in the handshake here, praise God. We want this old fire of early days and we want the trustfulness of our fathers. We are here to advance His Kingdom and whatever is done or in whatever field you are sent keep in mind that He will guide us in all things."

In the calling of the roll there were about twenty absent and two had died during the year. Dr. Ezra Tinker, the new pastor of Asbury Church, Wilmington, was introduced to the conference; also Rev. F. M. Dougherty, transferred from the Northern Minnesota Conference and Rev. Mr. Thurlow, of Baltimore Conference. The hour for opening the session was made 8.30 and to close at 12. Rev. Henry S. Thompson was named as assistant to the Bishop in opening the conference Thursday morning. Rev. G. W. Bounds was named as postmaster and was given his "commission" by the Bishop.

Rev. R. Irving Watkins offered a resolution to the effect that satisfactory certificates from conference schools should be received as sufficient credentials for young men to enter the conference examinations, as laid down in the discipline of the church.

J. W. Fowler, D. D., conference evangelist, was taken quite sick Tuesday and was compelled to return to his home on Wednesday.

The statistical reports of most of the charges were handed to Rev. W. R Mowbray, who will announce the result of same later. After the naming of the following standing committees the conference adjourned until 2 o'clock:

The election of officers resulted as follows: Secretary, A. S. Mowbray, Elkton, Md.; assistants, W. A. Wise, Z. H. Webster; journalist, John D. Rigg; statistical secretary, W. R. Mowbray, Smyrna, Del.; assistants, J. H. Geoghegan, H. A. G. Westerfield, V. P. Northrup, G. P. Jones, Edwin Gardner, W. W. Sharp, W. G. Chance; treasurer, C. A. Grice, Georgetown, Del.; assistants, A. G. Cox, H. S. Goldey, F. C. McSorley, J. M. Lindale, E.C. Atkins, T. F. Beauchamp, W. J. Duhadaway, A. Green, J. A. Brewington.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Public Worship—Alfred Smith, E. H. Nelson, W. P. Compton, T. B. Cooper.
Education—W. L. S. Murray, I. L. Wood, W. J. DuHadaway, H. C. Turner.
Bible Society—James Carroll, W. T. Valiant, H. S. Dulaney, Wilmer Jaggard.
Sunday School Tracts—F. J. Cochran, M. D. Nutter, W. H. Benford, Robert Roe.
Temperance—C. T. Wyatt, J. D. Kemp, G. W. Burke, T. S. Williams.
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society—W. G. Koons, Frank Fletcher, W. E. Avery, Warren Burr.
Woman's Home Missionary Society—E. P. Roberts, T. F. Tabler, W. F. Dawson, O. W. Deverish.
Freedman's Aid and Southern Educational Society—S. J. Morris, G. W. Bounds, T. H. Harding, J. F. Anderson.
Missionary Statistics, Local Preachers and Postoffices—W. B. Guthrie, W. H. S. Loller, J. M. Collins, J. P. Outten, J. F. Beauchamp, G. S. Conway, T. C. Smoot, F. F. McKinsey.
Sabbath Observance—S. M. Morgan, F. F. Carpenter, T. A. H. O'Brien G. T. Anderson.
Periodicals—J. M. Lindale, W. F. West, A. Green, W. P. Taylor.
Epworth League—R. K. Stephenson, C. P. Swain, V. S. Collins, W. O. Hurst.
Stewards' Endowment—T. E. Martindale, J. A. Arters, Robert Watt, C. A. Grise, C. P. Swain, Wm. Taylor, Wm. H. Jackson, H. S. Goldey, Jos. Smithers, Isaac Wright, J. F. Dawson, C. A. McKinney.
Ministerial Qualifications—E. C. Atkins, T. E. Martindale, John France, J. W. Easley, F. H. Nelson, C. S. Baker, H. S. Thompson, C. W. Prettyman.
Auditing Committee—Julius Dodd, J. O. Sypherd, L. P. Corkran, J. M. Mitchell, Adam Stengle.
Conference Stewards—*Ministerial*—Wilmington District, John France; Easton, C.F. Sheppard; Dover, F. H. Rawlins; Salisbury, J. S. Wickline. *Lay*—T. J. Vanneman, J. H. Hoffecker, J. B. Anderson, T. H. Williams.

LECTURE ON AFRICA.

Christ M. P. Church was "packed" with people Wednesday night to hear the lecture on Africa, by Bishop John M. Walden. He spoke for two hours and five minutes! His lecture was replete with information and comprehension, such as only a man who reads history philosophically and is possessed of large experience and deep learning, could give. He dwelt upon the material resources of the dark continent and showed that its mines and products will add


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## PERSONAL TIDINGS.

Ex-Senator Dawson, of Caroline, was a welcome visitor to the NEWS office yesterday.

William Salisbury, Esq., of the Dover *Delawarean*, is a visitor to the conference. Mr. Salisbury is one of the trustees of the the Conference Academy and also a member of the constitutional convention now in session in Dover.

Miss Nellie Walters, teacher in the Chestertown public school, has been quite sick this week, but was improved yesterday.

Mrs. Brownley, of Baltimore, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Pippin.

Mrs. Hennick, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. R. Twilley.

Master Samuel Plummer Jones was baptized Thursday night at his parents home on Queen street in the presence of a number of relatives and friends. Rev. J. V. VanBurkalow performed the ceremony having officiated at the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Jones some years ago.

Mrs. J. E. Hubbard, Mrs. F. A. Willis and Mrs. W. L. H. Hubbard, of Easton, are guests of Mrs. T. R. Hubbard on High street.

Mrs. James Wickes, of Dover, is the guest of Mr. James W. Chapman at the Voshell House this week.

Mrs. Helen Brown, Church Hill, Mr. James A. Pearce, wife and daughter, of Cecil county, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Guest on Cross street.

Miss Marie Westcott, of Catonsville, spent several days with her parents this week. She considers the town of Catonsville very unprogressive and far behind Chestertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Diggs, of Baltimore, were guests of Mr. H. M. Stuart and wife last week.

We are glad to report Mrs. G. W. Hatcherson much improved and able to sit up.

Our senior hopes to get out today after being housed for five weeks.

Dr. J. A. Perkins, of Landsdown, Pa., is an interested attendant upon the conference now in session here.

The Misses Downey, of Rock Hall, are guests of Mrs. Wm. A. Smith, on Market Space.

Mr. L. Winer is in New York selecting a new line of Spring goods.

Miss Anna May Downey, of Rock Hall, is the guest of Mrs. M. A. Toulson.

Mrs. A. J. DeKay, of Pocomoke City, spent several days last week with her son, Prof. E. J. Clarke, of Washington College.

Miss Annie Thomas, of Farmington, is the guest of the Misses Reed.

Misses Mary and Martha Slay, of Camden, N. J., are guests of Mrs. W. M. Slay, on Queen street.

Mr. H. M. Wallis spent several days in Washington the past week.

A letter from Mr. David W. Staats from Warrensville, Pa., says he is well and getting along all right. He wishes to be remembered to his friends in Chestertown and to thank them for their kindness to him while here.

Misses Edith M. and Lida Price, of Centreville, are guests of Miss Lizzie Baker, Pomona.

Mr. James Boston, son of Mr. Robert N. Boston, of Chestertown, took to himself a wife recently in his new Pennsylvania home and has steady employment.

Mrs. B. E. Potter, of Milford, Del, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mary E. Clendaniel.

Miss Bessie Clendaniel, of Milton, Del., is visiting her cousins, Misses Emma and Mary Clendaniel, Kennedyville.

The following is a well-deserved compliment and we give it just as "Mizpah" sends it: "S. H. McKnett, a highly respected and worthy young gentleman of Kennedyville, left Monday to accept a position with Strong & Sons, Wilmington, Del. We are sorry to miss his "smiling countenance" from our midst, for he was liked by every one who knew him. We will miss his help in the work of the Lord, for he was always ready and willing to lend a helping hand. We wish him much success in all his undertakings, and when he is down-hearted or discouraged we hope he will remember the one that sticketh closer than a brother."

Cards are out announcing the wedding of Miss Nellie Brown, one of Centreville's society leaders and only daughter of Hon. John B. Brown, to Mr. Hamilton Cromwell, a prosperous business man of Baltimore.

Mr. John Friel, of Philadelphia, and Miss Jane Friel, of Baltimore, were suddenly called to the sick bedside of their mother, Mrs. Margaret Friel, this week. Mrs. Friel was striken down on Sunday night quite sudden, but is now much improved.

**Elected.**—Messrs. J. P. Ahern, W. J. Toulson and Dr. E. G. Clark have been elected town commissioners for Millington by the largest vote ever cast in the town, 78. There were four tickets in the field and various interests entered in the fight.


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