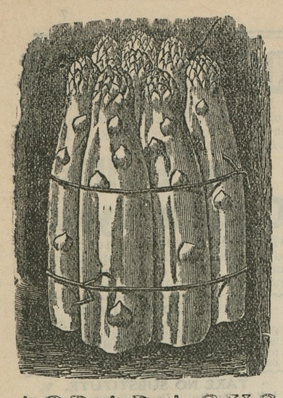

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IN MEMORIAM.

In loving sad rememberance of our precious little Bobbie, who went home to God thirteen years ago to-day, January 22nd, 1895.

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Far from sorrow, far from sin.
No more childish griefs or fears,
No more sadness, no more tears,
For the life so young and fair
Now hath passed from eathly care;
God Himself his soul will keep,
Giving His beloved sleep.

Christ when this sad life is done,
Oh join us to our precious one.

PARENTS, BROTHERS AND SISTERS.

THE advantages of Kent and Queen Anne's counties should be made known to those out of this section who desire to locate elsewhere. No section surpasses ours in the excellent drainage of our land; the quality and richness of the soil; the fine drinking water, the beautiful water fronts, the diversity of crops we grow: fruit, grain, grass, vegetables. Quick rail facilities; several steam boat lines, good roads, and efficient school system. Those seeking land here should correspond with J. Waters Russell, Real Estate Broker, Chestertown, Md. He has a large number of desirable farms For Sale. See his adv. on 4th page.

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Everybody desires good health, which is impossible unless the kidneys are healthy. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and cures all forms of kidney or bladder disorders. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and prevent Bright's disease and diabetes. For sale by all druggists.

Carving.—Sheriff Hadaway's son is an adept in wood carving. He has made a miniature tug boat from a block of wood with even the eagle ornament on pilot house. It is on exhibition in J. K. Aldridge's window. A colored prisoner in the jail also has on exhibition an imitation of Mr. D. B. Kendall on horse back with five dogs in pursuit of a fox all made of wood.

Anniversary Celebration.—The Chestertown Council Daughters of America celebrated its 7th anniversary last Monday evening with exercises. The program in part was as follows: Opening ode by the council; prayer by Rev. W. L. White; address by retiring past councilor, Mrs. Frank M. Miller; singing, "Star Spangled Banner", by council; recitation, "The Banner Betsy Made", by Miss Margaret Brinsfield, with Miss Mary Miller in the character of Betsy Ross; address on "True Patriotism", by L. Bates Russell; song by council; address by Prof. J. L. Smyth, theme "Women in History," reading of a historical sketch of the order by Miss Ethel Ringgold, benediction by Rev. W. L. White. At the conclusion of the literary features a sumptuous collation of chicken salad, ham sandwich, biscuit, cheese, pickle, coffee, etc., was served. The Council is in a flourishing condition.

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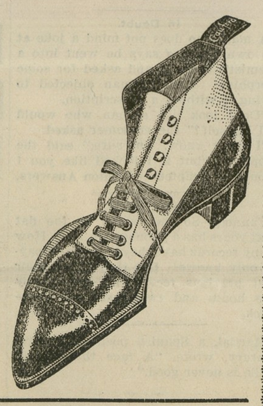

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FAIRLEE NOTES.

We have been hedged about since last Friday by snow-banks and at this writing it is with great difficulty that we get anywhere.

Rev. E. B. Taylor was summoned to the bedside of his mother in Virginia on last Tuesday. The telegram stated that she was extremely ill and not likely to recover. He took the afternoon train the same day.

As usual there have been a number of social functions in our community this season. Card parties, dances and a few social events relative to church work.

The snow blockade caused a postponement of the entertainment which was to have been held in our village church Thursday evening.

Our mails came in on Tuesday. The carriers, Messrs. Wallis and Willis are to be congratulated for their pluck and energy. Their trips are fraught with great difficulties. We were without mail from Friday until Monday, though Mr. Wallis went over part of his route on Saturday on horse-back.

Some sickness around yet, but it has lessened materially and Dr. Smith, has a little breathing spell because of this fact.

The proceedings of the State Legislature are very interesting and afford very entertaining reading these long winter evenings.

Citizens are looking forward with anxiety to the forth-coming "New Election Law."

We favor a Compulsory Education Law, and then if every male person in the State was 21 years old, and the provisions of the bill did not apply to them, then we would also favor a stringent Educational test in the Election Law. All persons are not 21 years old, but perhaps a paragraph could be inserted in the Election law which would not prohibit the elimination of the vote of a citizen 21 years of age, who was over 12 years old at the time or date the compulsory education law went into effect. Thus in 9 years we would have all of our voters with educational qualifications and not to the injustice of those who did not have the advantage of the compulsory education law, which would have features or provisions in it for the enabling of all financially, to procure education.

Just before the snow so many were out with their dogs on fox-hunts and they all had a merry time. Great sport in fox-hunting to those who like it, and many do.

STILL POND NOTES.

The Still Pond Farmers Club was entertained at the home of Capt. Daniel Hill last Thursday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. Shafer, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. William Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Webster Hill, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bonwill, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Price, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Jones, Mrs. Walters, Mrs. J. W. Harper, Mrs. Seward, Mr. and Mrs. Lin Redmile, Misses Emma Shafer, Louise and Lizzie Pennington Mary Jones and Regna Rasin, Messrs. G. R. Rasin and J. Jarrell. The next will be at the home of Mr. W. E. Bonwill in February.

The little three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Goodman, living near Still Pond, was seriously burned about the body and face on Tuesday morning about ten o'clock. Mrs. Goodman left the little boy and a five year old child downstairs while she went to her bedroom to attend to her necessary chores. She heard the little fellow scream, and rushing down stairs she found his clothing ablaze. She threw her dress about her child and extinguished the flames without injury to herself. The little fellow is supposed to have set fire to his clothing by playing with the fire in the stove in the room.

Mrs. J. C. Bowers spent several days at the home of Mrs. Sallie Price the past week.

Miss Cora Harding is visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. Frank and Wallace Ford are visiting relatives in Wilmington.

Master Howard Schofield has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. John Schofield in Baltimore.

Mrs. William Capps has been quite sick but at this writing is improving.

Miss Bessie Cooper, of Worton, has been the guest of Miss Alice Wood.

A jolly crowd of young and old visited the home of Mr. William Clark on Monday evening and gave them a good old serenade. A large crowd were present. Refreshments were served in abundance.

Mr. Goldey Warren is visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Owing to the terrific snowstorm of last Thursday evening a small crowd attended the box social held Mrs. Sallie Price's. Amount realized was $8.50.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boulden have returned home after spending sometime in Baltimore.

The land owners and citizens of our town held a meeting on Wednesday evening in the school building to discuss whether or not we wanted our town incorporated. What we need is respectable side walks and street lamps. We hope to have them in the near future.

Miss Alice Hepbron, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. John Robinson, Sr.

Our pastor's subject next Sunday morning, "The Question of an Ancient Lawyer." Mrs. Wm. Medders will have charge of the Epworth Service in the evening. A cordial welcome awaits you at all these services.

Our pastor will close his special meetings at Betterton on Sunday night. This series of meetings has been one of the most blessed ever held at Betterton. Forty-eight precious souls have been saved and much interest is still manifested.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving rememberance of our dear baby, Harry Benge Dickerson, who departed this life Nov. 1, 1907, aged ten months and three days.

Gone but not forgotten
In that fair land above.
We know that our darling is not dead,
God keeps him through his eternal years.
There's no baby voice,
On our face no baby fingers,
There's no baby anywhere.
Oh how he suffered we cannot tell,
And in our hearts we often prayed
That he might longer stay,
But God loved him too, and thought it best
To take him home in Heaven to rest.

FATHER AND MOTHER.

Dearest mother how we you,
More than hearts can tell,
Think we while the tear drops start,
But the memory of our dear mother,
Still is fresh within our hearts.
Nobly at your post you stood, our mother kind and true;
Beloved by all your friends so well, and kind to all you knew.
Farewell dear mother, thou art at rest,
And shall forever be.

W. T. NICHOLSON has forty lambs in his flock which keep him quite busy.

SASSAFRAS ITEMS.

Mrs. J. Harry Lowe, of Philadelphia, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Carolene Johns, near town.

Mr. John Tarbutton visited Annapolis several days last week and was caught in the terrible blizzard. He has an appointment there.

At the earnest solicitations of members of his congregation, Rev. W. A. Coale, Rector of St. Stevens, below Earlesville, Md., who has partially recovered from his recent illness, will on Sunday next deliver the sermon which he delivered at Trinity Episcopal Church at Elkton on the occasion of the seventy-fifth anniversary..

Mr. and Mrs. James Calhoun, of Sassafras, visited their rector, Rev. W. A. Coale, rector of St. Stevens, and his wife, for several days last week.

The Sassafras Council No 95, Jr. O. U. A. M. took in three more new members Harry Robinson, Edward Stradley and Olen Davis, of Sassafras. The Harmony Council assisted in the instalation. After all business was attended to an elaborate collation was served of cakes, ices, etc. The Lodge here is in a most prosperous condition and the members as soon as the weather permits, will repair and enlarge the lodge hall.

Messrs. B. F. Caulk, John R. Ernest, Harry Tarbutton, James D. Davis, of Wilmington, are visiting their parents and relatives here.

Mr. Olen Davis visited relatives in Wilmington for a day or two last week.

Mr. Augustus Dreka, our oldest resident here, who is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Eva Wilkoft, of Washington, D. C., for the winter, has been seriously ill there for some weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Robinson entertained the Mite Society under the auspices of the M. E. Historic Church on Wednesday evening last most royally. There was a large company of friends and an elegant collation was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crockett and his aged mother, Mrs. Crockett, have all been seriously sick suffering from the grip for the past fortnight, near town, and are now improving. Dr. E. N. Jeter of Millington, is in attendance daily. Dr. Jeter has quite a large practice and is a most excellent physician.

We have been visited with a most terrific blizzard which lasted from Thursday evening until Saturday morning and from the viewpoint of the artist, the storm was all that was picturesque. Nowhere was it more noticeable than in sleeping old Sassafras, which indeed looked beautiful, and in the suburban districts. The snow was of the soft damp kind, which clings to whatever it touches and as a result fences, trees, poles and buildings wore a coating of white that quite transformed their grim winter ugliness. Sassafras was a vertiable Fairyland.

Ground Hog Day—According to the superstitious next Sunday will fortell the character of the weather for the next six weeks. That day is what has become known as Groundhog Day, and that sagacious animal is supposed by his action to fortell the weather for the spring, or at least a portion of it.

Upon this day it is said that the groundhog arises from his sleep, after being burrowed in the ground during the winter for the purpose of determining the weather. Should the day be cloudy and the animal not see his shadow, it foretells a mild spring but in the event of the day being sunny and the shadow of the animal is thrown upon the ground it is seen and quickly the little "hog" darts into his hole in the ground and for the next six weeks winter weather will prevail.

The day is religiously watched by many, and if it is clear and there is a chance for the groundling to see his shadow, the superstitious ones decide immediately that there will be six weeks of real winter weather.

MISTAKE CORRECTED

Correct the mistake of risking pneumonia by neglecting a cough or cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will not only stop your cough, but expel the cold from your system. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is the best and safest throat and lung remedy. For sale by all druggists.

THE mercury registered 10° Thursday and ice covered the bay at Tolchester and Chester River.

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A NIGHT ALARM

Worst than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of croup bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. Foley's Honey and Tar has saved many little lives and it is the only safe preparation for children as it contains no harmful drugs. For sale by all druggists.

ROCK HALL ITEMS.

The meeting of the citizens of Rock Hall in Durding's Hall on Friday night to consider the feasibility of incorporating the town and petitioning the Legislature for an Act of Incorporation, establishing lines, etc., has not proven as satisfactory as was hoped, so far as regard the extent of territory. The consensus of opinion was that the town should be incorporated, and the following lines were agreed upon: Beginning at the entrance of Green Lane and running east 200 feet into the land of Mr. H. H. Kimball, thence northerly to the home of Mr. Wm. I. Ashley, thence to a point within a 100 yards of the arch over the head water of Grey's Inn Creek, thence westerly to the Haven road, thence to Deep Landing, thence along the water front to the landing of Green Lane, thence easterly along the north side of that thoroughfare to the beginning. These lines encircle a very large territory in which are some very expensive roads, some of which will soon require iron bridge work, hence the "kick." Further action will be taken at a meeting called for Thursday night of this week, when it is probable the lines will be redrawn, and the territory reduced to proportion more commensurate with the ability of the taxpayers to maintain the incorporate interests in an efficient manner.

"Religious Progress" was the theme of one of the best sermons of Rev. Warren Burr during his five years pastorate with us, and was delivered on Sunday morning before a good assembly in the M. E. Church.

His text was "First the blade, then the full corn in the ear." The three steps were thus emphasized: (1) "Religious Knowledge, It's Source, God's Word"; (2) "Religious Practice, Open Confession and Profession"; (3) "Religious experience, which none can have unless in possession of the first two." With these weapons a "Right christian character will result." The sermon has been frequently and favorably commented on during the week.

The blizzard of last week was of short duration, but it shot into us with terrific force, wood piles and coal bins suffered and many were compelled to dig their way out through high snow banks, and worst of all the readers were greatly disappointed in not getting their beloved KENT NEWS till Monday evening. As a rule our people were fairly well prepared to cope with a wintry siege, farmers were in good shape, oystermen having put in 16 days of January on the oyster bars, were jubilant. If any were in bad kelter it was the sick and indolent.

The "set to" between President Seth and the Ex-Governor, while most unfortunate, is being hugely enjoyed in these parts. All are looking for something more spicy still.

Mrs. James Davis, as the result of trying to stop a runaway team on Saturday suffered an attack of pneumonia on Sunday. Dr. Beale is in attendance.

Some thoughtless rider hitched his horse to the awning post at the postoffice on Monday. As a result the horse backed into the window breaking out one of the large glasses, letting in the wintry blast, much to the inconvenience of postmaster Downey.

Mr. Frank Wheatley, the butcher, having located in Rock Hall, has become one of the cozy corner members of pros. and cons, at the up-town headquarters.

The schooner Wm. McKenney is at G. E. Leary & Son's factory this week discharging a large quantity of lumber.

The next move of importance here is the organization of a Ladies Improvement Association. Efforts to that end are now in progress.

PINEY NECK WAVES.

Great preparations are being made for a musical entertainment in the church on February 7. The music will be furnished by Harry I. Chopourian, a native of Armenia, and his trio, who are now performing in Philadelphia. Chopourian is an interesting personality aside from his love for music. Thus far he has refused to play except for charity. The evening will be furnished with recitations and selections from selected ones. Tickets are being sold at every prominent place and all hope for a crowded audience.

Many of the young folks participated in the blizzard having a good time sleighing. Roads are heavily banked preventing traffic for a while. The road leading to Skinner's Neck was heavily banked and had to be dug out by the road menders. Otherwise we could travel very well.

Misses Linda Morris and Cora Moffett spent over Sunday here as they were unable to get home on Friday.

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Flannelettes and Outings

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Coats Coats Coats

At less than manufacturers price. We have only a few to select from but if you can get a fit and have what you want it will be quite a saving for you. All we have is the semi-fitted ones just the latest thing so you need not fear to find old styles here because we don't carry coats from one season to another. Nothing old style, all new.

89c Waists 89c

89c You can find them at centre isles on tables, real values, dark, winter waists. Some sold as high as $2.50 each, but we had only broken sizes and we put them all on the tables together and marked them at the unheard of prices of 89 cents for your pick.

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