

KENNEDYVILLE ITEMS.

Mrs. C. C. Ball is visiting friends and relatives at Princess Anne and vicinity. J. H. Weer, the man who has the post card emporium, has quite a full supply and solicits your patronage. Our popular wheat buyer, William Archibald, is still paying top prices for wheat and is loading quite a number of cars at this and other points. Mr. William J. Ball, of Fruitland, Md., spent about a week visiting his brother, Mr. C. C. Ball and niece, Mrs. S. R. Henry, returning home last Tuesday. The long drought was broken as was the roof of the P. W. & B. railroad station here last Friday by an electric storm and we have had quite a number of refreshing rains since. Mr. Wm. Archibald bought Wednesday last 9000 bushels of old yellow corn to be loaded at this place from Mr. Alday Clements and others. The price paid was 81 cents per bushel. The Christian Endeavor Services were held last Sunday evening at the usual hour, 7:30 p. m. Brother Hague being the leader, and gave quite an interesting talk as to doing a little missionary work at home as well as afar off. Mr. D. T. Nickerson had the misfortune to get his buggy torn up last Tuesday night. Some kind and affectionate party went so close to him as to run into his buggy and demolish it but did not stop to inquire who was hurt. Rev. Q. L. Morrow, who has been working in the temperance cause for quite a number of years, and who is working at present in South Dakota, preached a very interesting sermon last Sunday evening in the M. P. Church in this charge and he seemed very much pleased to meet his old friends as did they to meet him. Rev. E. S. Hooks, our popular and energetic pastor, will hold the usual services in the M. P. Church, Sunday, August 2nd, as follows: Sunday School 9:30 a. m., preaching 10:30 a. m., Christian Endeavor services 7:30 p. m., Mr. D. T. Nickerson, leader, preaching at 8 p. m. Everybody invited to participate in these services. Subject for August 2nd, "The Baptism of the Holy Ghost."

A grand festival, consisting of a Country Store, ice cream, confectionery, etc., will be held at Kennedyville on Thursday and Friday evenings next week by the members and friends of the M. P. Church. It is hoped to have a large attendance. Proceeds for benefit of Church.

A HOUSEWIFE in Chestertown never fails to retire at night without a bell beside her bed, so that in case of burglars entering the house she can give an alarm with the bell.

MILLINGTON ITEMS.

Mrs. Ford and daughter, of Wilmington, were the guests of Mrs. B. W. Duling last Saturday and Sunday. Miss Ross, of near Clayton, is also visiting Mrs. Duling. Mrs. Scauling, of Wilmington, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Shahan. Mrs. Anna Wilson and daughters, of Wilmington, are the guests of Mr and Mrs. John Gillespie this week. Mr. John Phillips spent last Sunday with his parents in town. Mrs. Clendaniel and son, of Kennedyville, Miss Watts and Miss Watkins, of Chestertown, and Miss Erice, of Baltimore, spent the day last Friday with Miss Clara Bryan. Misses Mattie and Mary Hazel spent a few days this week with Miss Hazel, near Middletown. Miss Lottie Case, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Millie Comery. Miss Belle Weist has been visiting relatives in Philadelphia this week. Mr. Wm. Weist, of Philadelphia, is visiting his brother near town. Mr. H. Tonkin and family left Monday for Ocean Grove where they will spend the month of August. Miss Edith Caldwell, of near Galena, and Mrs. Jefferson, of Chesapeake City, spent last Monday with Mrs. Lewis Price. Mrs. Caldwell, of Galena, and Miss Wilhelmina Kenig, of Warwick, were the guests of Mrs. John Smith the first of the week. Misses Marie and Mildred Gillespie have returned home after spending several weeks in Wilmington and Seranton, Pa. Mrs. Mary Hubbard is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Andrew Lockerman. The town is placarded with posters announcing the fact that Sparks' show will be in this town August 10th. The delightful showers we have lately had have greatly revived vegetation, washed away the dust, etc., and consequently every body feels better.

Rev. Quincy L. Morrow, of Dakota, preached a strong temperance sermon in Kennedyville M. P. Church on Sunday evening last. Miss M. Julia Thompson, the sweet singer from Baltimore, delighted the congregation at Christ church Sunday morning with a beautiful solo "Satisfied."

CHESTERTOWN is being visited by thousands daily. It is a popular place and Col. Noland knows how to take care of the people.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

J. Henry Baker, Esq., and family, of Baltimore, are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Baker, near Pomona. Harry W. Dunlap, Esq., of New York, was a welcome caller at the News office Tuesday. Mr. Dunlap has an idea that he can propagate peach trees that will be immune from yellows and is in correspondence with Burbank, of California, looking to a trial of his experiment. Mr. and Mrs. Clara Gale returned Monday from a trip of 1675 miles which cost them less than \$33 apiece. They went to Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Thousand Islands, Kingston, Rochester, Watkins Glen and other smaller places. They were away from home ten days and enjoyed every moment of the trip. Rev. Minor Jones, of Tacoma, P. E. Church, Wash., has been spending the past week in town. Mr. Jones is a native of Chestertown but left here about 40 years ago. He graduated from Washington College in 1896. Mr. Jones was one of the best horsemen in the section and was reminded by one of his friends of the time he rode horseback up the "Horse Hill" in the mountains. Another occasion he was the only man in town who could ride a bucking broncho which came here from the West. He has a family of nine children some of them occupying high places in official life. Mr. George E. Lambert, Jr., has been made manager of a Government hotel in Panama. Miss M. Julia Thompson and Mrs. Ella Meyer, of Baltimore, were guests over Sunday at the home of their brother, Mr. Jacob F. Thompson. Master Clayton Wright, of Baltimore, is visiting the home of his uncle, Mr. William Carroll, of Elkton. Mr. Herbert Skipper, of Medford, Mass., has been visiting at the home of his brother, Mr. Harry P. Skipper, "Primrose Farm." Miss Nora Zimmerman, of Green Spring Valley, was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Parks. Mrs. Mary Walavan, of Gloucester, N. J., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Bacon, of High street. Mr. Robert Keown, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mr. Clyde Maslin at the home of his mother, Mrs. Wallis Maslin. Mr. Sterling, of Crisfield, has accepted a position as head clerk in Mr. Toulson's drug store. Miss Barbara Anthony is visiting her brother, Mr. Harry D. Anthony, of Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. Jonathan Anthony returned Monday from a few weeks stay with her daughter, Mrs. John Masten, at Harrington, Del. Mrs. Thomas Carmine, of Ridgely, is spending a few days at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Arlington W. Carmine, of Rock Hall, Md. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Dover, Del., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Simpers. Mrs. A. Thompson, of near Middletown, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Perkins, at Lansdown, Pa. Misses Edna and Hallie Cooper spent several days the past week with relatives at Middletown, Del. Mrs. H. Benge Simmons and son, Walter, are visiting friends at Principio, Cecil county. Mrs. Hudson, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Howard. R. Groome Parks, Esq., of Baltimore, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Parks. Miss Laura Richardson, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Richardson, of Rock Hall, has been the guest, for the past week, of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Y. Simpers. Miss Elizabeth Ball is spending a few weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. C. C. Ball, of near Clayton. Mrs. Mary Merritt, of Baltimore, is the guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Kibler, of Philadelphia, is visiting his father Mr. Charles W. Kibler, on Queen street. Mrs. Edna and Mrs. John A. Hense and little daughter Marie, of Baltimore, have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Joseph Lewis, on Cross street during the week. Mrs. Claude Parks and children, have been spending past two weeks in Centerville. Miss Roba Davis is visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. G. Vanetta, of Philadelphia, Pa. Mr. George W. Perkins is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Perkins, on Front street. Miss Rose Vickers is on an extended trip to Minneapolis, Duluth, and other western points with school friends. Mrs. Frank E. Dwyer and daughter, Rose, are visiting friends in Cecilton and Philadelphia. Mrs. Mame Dodd has been spending a few days with her mother at Hill Pond. Mr. Robert France and Mr. Merrick, of Baltimore, spent several days last week with Mr. Thos. D. France. They enjoyed fine fishing at Lankford Bay. Miss Miriam Hubbard is visiting friends and relatives in St. Louis and Mexico City, Missouri. She accompanied Mr. Merritt Beck and daughters, who have been visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Beck, Woodmender, of Westchester, Pa., is the guest of Miss M. Olive, of Hattiesburg, Miss. Masters Wilbur Hubbard and Sherman Garrison are guests of Mr. Frank Legg, on Kent Island. They took along their pony and cart and are having a royal time. Mrs. Marjorie Finley, of Queen Anne's county, entertained Wednesday last the Ladies Literary Club. Mrs. Hubbard took the club down on her launch. Those on the party were: Mrs. Jervis Spencer, Mrs. Frank E. France, Mrs. Barroll, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Chas. Perkins, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Stam, Miss Susie Roberts, Misses Anna, Louise and Lillian Stam. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones, of Kennedyville, are entertaining a very enjoyable house party this week. Among those present are: Rev. and Mrs. Quincey Morrow, of South Dakota, Mrs. Lee Elliott and son, Jack, of Newark, Del., Mrs. Willis, of Chesapeake, Mrs. A. Z. Claire and children, of Wilmington, Del., Mr. Henry Barchending, of Baltimore, Mr. Hicks, of Chestertown, Mr. and Mrs. George Jones, of Galena, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kennedy. Many callers have also been entertained and a general good time prevailed. Mrs. William Price Milby and little daughter, accompanied by Miss Mildred Morris, of Trappe, have been spending some time with her parents, Mrs. S. A. Evans. Miss Susie Roberts has been appointed teacher of Quaker Neck public school, vice Miss Stam resigned. Mrs. Wash. Woodall and daughter, Dorothy, are visiting friends near Chesterville. Rev. J. S. Powers, of Baltimore, spent several days in Kent this week. Master Paul Groves, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. J. C. Loud. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene N. Bell, of Philadelphia, are registered at Pippin's Park Hotel for three weeks. Mrs. Fred Williams, of Middletown, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George D. Lotland, on High street.

Mrs. Willard Melvin has retired from keeping boarding house and is on a visit to friends. Mr. and Mrs. Moore have rented the house on Queen street and are now occupying same. Mrs. Melvin conducted one of the best houses in town and always had a full table. Miss Clara Mellvain, of Magnolia, Del., is the guest of Miss Ada Barnett on Kent Circle. Mr. Boyer Lusby is spending his vacation roustabouting along the bay. Col. W. J. Vannort is convalescent from a week's sickness. Miss Hope Wickes has arrived safely in Edinburgh, Scotland, news from her having been received Monday. Mr. Walter L. Lusby has been confined to his home by sickness this week. Miss Jeannette Russell, of Baltimore, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Frederic H. Russell, Washington ave. Clarence W. Perkins, Esq., is a guest of his mother on Front street. Mr. Kemp Bowley, who has been appointed a member of McDonogh School faculty, gave a farewell supper to his classmates at his home on Spring avenue Thursday evening. It was a very enjoyable but impressive affair. Mr. Thomas G. DeFord, of Catonsville, is the secretary for the opening of the Baltimore Life Insurance Company and president of the Aged People's Outing of the Catonsville Methodist Episcopal Church last Sunday night, fell over a conduit pipe on the pavement, breaking his right leg and dislocating his shoulder. He was attended by Drs. Charles L. Lottsel and Mann. Miss Nellie Mackie, a graduate of Washington College, has been appointed principal of the Fair Hill school succeeding Miss Mary C. Anderson, who takes charge of the central course at Elkton. Mrs. William J. Elliott, High street, Chestertown, was given a postal card shower Saturday afternoon. There were 42 cards in one package. Mrs. Dave Kendall and daughter are visiting friends near Sudlersville. Commissioner Harry Davis returned Monday from a visit to Atlantic City. Misses Lily and May Crow are spending a few weeks at the seashore. Miss Mabel Watson, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Flora Wheatley on High street. Mrs. C. V. Newman is spending a few weeks at Ocean Grove. Pete Waters, Wright, Jarman and Joseph Hild are camping out on Chesapeake river. Master Philip Wilmer is substituting at telephone exchange. Mr. B. P. New is returned from a visit to son in Wilmington. The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Freeny, Fairlee, Monday July 27 and left a son. Mother and baby are both doing well. Mrs. Charles Matters spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freeny. Mr. Benj. B. Freeny, Mrs. Wolf, Miss Clara Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Younger, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Freeny. Mrs. William White spent a week with her parents, Mrs. John H. Younger in Fairlee. Miss Margaret Skipper will leave today for Medford, Mass., to visit her grandfather. Miss Lillian Johnson, of Coatsdown Normal School, Pa., has been engaged as instructor in primary department of the Teachers' Institute in Kent on Sept. 7-11. Miss Anna Fogwell has resigned as teacher of Lambson public school and Miss Jennie Bowers has been appointed to the position. Mrs. George Ernschaw, nee Miss Clara Baechus, and two children, of Washington, D. C., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Baechus, on High street.

Mrs. Herbert Moore is visiting Mrs. George Moore. Miss M. Katie Crew and Mrs. L. M. Owens, as managers of the Rightie Hotel are making a success of it. Prof. Gilbert Taylor is day clerk and Prof. Simeon Jester is night clerk. Miss Minnie Jester, of Philadelphia, is spending the summer with her grandmothers, Mrs. E. Owens. Miss Daisy Clarke has returned from a visit to Philadelphia relatives.

ROCK HALL NOTES. In the absence of Rev. J. T. Richardson, who is visiting a sick relative in Pennsylvania, Rev. J. M. Downey occupied the M. E. pulpit on Sunday. Mr. Downey was at his best, indeed he broke his own record in excellence. He preached one of the best sermons ever delivered here. He held the closest attention of his hearers who showed their appreciation by happy responses. A number of visitors from other sections were present and it was an inspiration to witness their enjoyment. Mr. Downey's theme was "Things of this world are the old beaten paths," from the text, "Ask for the old paths, where is the good way, and walk therein."—Jer. 6: 16. Early morning service at St. John's R. C. Church was largely attended on Sunday. For regular and punctual attendance the membership of St. John's sets here unprecedented. Nothing less than a worthy cause prevents church attendance. Rev. Samuel Stevens and wife, of Baltimore, are being entertained by relatives and friends here the past week. The closed season is now on the home stretch and oystermen are getting boats and rigs in order for the opening of the oyster season. A number of the fishermen have been trying the bars and, as usual, report them as poor. Shoal banks are in fine condition, oystermen are a rule place no confidence in the reports, hoping the season will be a fair one. Farmers holding on to their grain for higher prices are making it somewhat dull for our freighters. Mr. Wm. T. Harrison has been extremely ill the past week. At this writing she is unimproved. The high transportation rates is making the crabbing and fishing business here unprofitable. Fish and crabs have been selling for good prices in the city, but the expenses on shipments cut out the profits, etc. Mr. Og. Leary is the happiest man in town. Nightly he is the captain of stardust composed of a bevy of lively girls, but when he and Jack Joiner meet and have that scrap, woot' Og's happiness turn to gloom? Messrs. Eds. put your printer on the lookout for one Wm. R. Coleman whom the News stated last week stated he had purchased a home for himself and young wife. The young man has purchased a home in Kent and is now in Kent, as he is a confirmed bachelor, a wife is out of the question. Blunders will happen, perhaps he will let this one go this way.

ONE RING ENOUGH. The original design of the circus was to furnish a delightful form of entertainment for all, and those who remember the exhilarating, bizarre performances of their younger days are firm in their belief that the old time show was the best. The reaction seems to have come. People have tired of mere bigness and demand excellence. They want the old time flavor, the fun, the dash; the "old clowns" with their songs and jokes and funny antics. In short, they demand that the circus return to first principals and once more perform the proper function of dispensing real joy and rich entertainment for old and young. John H. Sparks is the man who has felt the trend of popular sentiment and has provided an exhibition in which all the old time flavor is combined with modern "thrillers" and up-to-date features, and the whole is presented in one ring in full touch with the entire audience. A big company of real arena stars appear in a programme that is chock full of novelty and excellence. Chestertown, Tuesday, Aug. 11.

NO MORE DRUGS. Sufferers from constipation and indigestion need not use drugs. Thousands have been relieved of stomach and bowel troubles eating the Sun's Health Biscuits. These biscuits are composed of wheat, barley and rye, ground into meal, leaving all nutritive elements for building up of muscle, bone, teeth and nerves and at the same time possessing cathartic qualities. They regulate the stomach and bowels in a natural way. One lady says: "Enclosed find \$1.20 for which send me at your earliest convenience 12 packages of Health Biscuits. I sent you an order for a dozen packages some time ago and have been much benefited by their use." STOP drugs and use instead a food that is PURE, NOURISHING and PALATABLE. Costs a package at your grocer. If he does not keep them, have him order them for you.

HEINTZ FOOD CO, Chicago, Ill. C. W. KIBLER WITH Miller Fertilizer Company

TO THE FARMERS OF KENT AND QUEEN ANNE'S: I am in a position to offer to you this season all of MILLER FERTILIZER BRANDS in morning. GIVE it reasonable prices. Also insist on all kinds of Fertilizer Material. Get our price before you buy. These goods need no recommendation as they are the best in the county with good results.

C. W. KIBLER, Court Street, Chestertown, Md.

THE LADIES' STORE. Chestertown, Md.

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OPPOSITE STAM'S HALL.

SEMI-SUMMER REDUCTION

AS THE Summer is fast passing away and finds us with a few "odds and ends" in the various lines yet on hand which we will close out at a Great Reduction to rid our shelves in order to make room for the vast array of Fall Goods, which will soon begin to arrive. While the price on these "odds and ends" on exceptionally low. They are in no wise damaged or inferior, but genuine, first class stock and as represented or money cheerfully refunded. We desire to call especial attention to the fact that the "Ladies Store" is the only Dry Goods and Notion House in the town that closes at 7 P. M. during July and August and hope the public will appreciate this and call during the day and secure some of the rare bargains offered below.

Our Millinery At Half-Price

Our Millinery Parlors must be cleared AT ONCE. We need the room, we need the money. There are some few Choice Pattern Hats, Sailor, Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats; Flowers, Ribbons, etc., here which must go. We say 70 cents on the dollar takes them; yet pursue can find real bargains. Don't wait but come, inspect, but meditate not for they will not last long, the price will surely take them away.

Muslins: Muslins

We have recently purchased a job lot of Muslin Remnants—from one to ten yards to the piece. Regular price 8c, 10c and 12 1/2c per yard, we offer them while they last at 7 1/2c.

White Goods

We have just finished our largest season on WHITE GOODS and the cause for the amount of business has been the quality of the line which has been as large and as well selected as any seen in the City. We are now ready to close out the ends and remnants at great sacrifice.

Persian Lawn 15c and 18c..... 12c, 32 cents. Persian Lawn 30c and 35c..... 27c, 45 cents. And Woven Batiste, Chiffons, Kristol Organdes, French Muslins, 50c and 60c, at..... 45 cents. And Woven Batiste, Chiffons, Kristol Organdes, French Muslins, 65c and 70c, at..... 50 cents.

Lawns: Lawns

In our stock of Lawns and Colored Goods we have quite a number of short ends, which will be closed out at prices to suit all, and the patterns are some of our best, the price has been dropped, they are going. All 25c and 35c Colored Goods, at..... 15 cents. All 15c, 18c and 22c Lawns, at..... 12 cents

A Great July Shoe Clearance

You know what that means. It's clearing up of Spring and Summer Shoe Stocks. "Six Months And Out" is the rule—and here they go. Pumps and Oxfords, every pair, good, reliable shoes, no trash, all our regular stock. It's the opportunity of the season to get Good Shoes at little prices. First choice is always best. Just look at this list. We think the prices will make your purse uneasy.

All Tan and Gun Metal Pumps—the regular \$3.50 line go in this Clearance Sale at..... \$2.90 A number of pairs of Black Kid, Patent Leather and Gun Metal Oxfords. Regular \$3 line, go at..... \$2.50

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THE LADIES STORE, Chestertown, Maryland

Ladies' Low Shoes That Please. Every woman admires a well shod foot. Neat and attractive footwear accurately reflect her taste as emphatically as does the rest of her apparel. The attractive styles, perfect fit and general appearance of our Oxfords carry conviction. The combination of style and comfort is hard to resist. We only ask the opportunity of showing the new style and demonstrating their superior fitting qualities. C. C. JONES "THE SHOE MAN" CHESTERTOWN, MD

Vansant & Newsome Gents' Furnishers and Shoers Great Reduction Sale. A RARE opportunity to buy Low Cut Shoes, all leathers, at a GENUINE REDUCED PRICE. Men's, Women's and Children's Low Shoes must go to make room for Fall stock. We need the money—you need the shoes. \$1.50 Boys' Tan Oxfords go at..... \$1.39 \$2.00 Boys' Black Oxfords go at..... \$1.59 \$3.00 Men's Tan Oxfords go at..... \$1.79 \$3.50 Men's Tan Oxfords go at..... \$1.98 \$3.50 Men's Patent Colt Oxfords go at..... \$1.98 \$3.60 Men's Gun Metal Oxfords go at..... \$1.98 \$3.00 Men's Tan Oxfords go at..... \$2.49 \$2.50 Men's Patent Colt Oxfords, special \$2.65 THE CELEBRATED CRAWFORD OXFORD needs no eulogy from us. They speak for themselves. A rare chance to buy a strictly high grade shoe at the very low prices named below while they last. \$3.50 Crawford Oxfords, Patent Colt, Tan, Gun Metal or Velour Calf..... \$2.65 \$4.00 Crawford Oxford, Patent Colt, Tan, Gun Metal or Velour Calf..... \$3.05 HALF PRICE—All Stiff or Yacht Shape Straw Hats h.l.f. price. 50c Balbriggan Shirts, long or short sleeves, go at 30c. Drawers to match. THIS STORE OPEN EVENINGS.

BETTERTON ITEMS. Capt. James P. Malone's annual trap shooting tournament has attracted many visitors here this week. There were two lady participants, Miss Annie Reiker, of Lancaster, Pa., and a young lady from Rising Sun, Md. Miss Reiker made excellent record. Mr. John Erice, who is considered the champion of Kent, has been enjoying the shoot. The Walbrook Reserves defeated the Betterton team in an eleven inning game of ball Tuesday afternoon. The score was 3 to 2 and the game was very exciting at times. The Eastern Pennsylvania Y. M. C. A. who have been camping five weeks at Chesapeake Haven, left Wednesday morning. Our town people have enjoyed the religious services held by the members of the camp Sunday evenings. The Epworth League will hold a lawn party at Mrs. Elizabeth Crew's Wednesday evening. Miss Bessie Leigh was a visitor in Baltimore this week.