

Kent News

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ROCK HALL LOCALS, Sassafras and Fairlee notes and other items are unavoidably left out this week but will appear in the News next week.

The Baltimore Sun's 1909 almanac has arrived and is the best safe now. It is the "nift" for all Marylanders and is larger and better than ever this year with 250 pages of valuable information.

J. Frank Cochran, of near Galena, was in town Tuesday and brought the first political breeze of the season. He says he is a candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court belonging to no faction nor wing and will support whoever is nominated.

The oystermen of lower Kent complain that there are scores of colored and white men who have been oystering for some time without a license. There have been 584 licenses issued by Clerk Dixon up to this time 90 of which were for colored men.

The first report of the Water Department, since the property came in possession of the town, will be found in another column. It is for the half year beginning in July and ending January 1. It is a gratifying report in every particular and if such favorable results continue it will prove a profitable investment for the town.

The Carnival held in Stam's Hall this week by the ladies of Chestertown for the benefit of the Volunteer Firemen, of our town, was one of the most successful, if not the most brilliant affair of its kind ever held in the town.

The Water Outlook.—The results of our artesian well boring work are not yet successful. A good vein of water has been reached at 135 feet but it is thought to be salty. Dr. Hall, of Washington College, made an analysis of a sample of this and reported the presence of salt.

The political trend in the Democratic party all over the State is for nominations by popular vote. This certainly seems to be the fair way. Let the people nominate the ticket and they will elect it.

Caught a Coon.—Mr. Leonard M. Crew on Mr. Alday Clements' home farm near Crumpton caught a fourteen pound coon this week in the marsh near the house.

Mr. John Gillespie spent the week in Wilmington, visiting her sister. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boonhorst, spent the first of the week in Philadelphia.

Mr. Seaford Leager and bride have moved into the house vacated by Mr. Howard Hazel.

Miss Millie Moffett spent several days this week in Wilmington.

Rev. C. W. More has introduced the cottage prayer meeting in our town. Meetings at two homes were held this week. Friday evening at Asbury M. E. Church. Rev. Dr. Root held prayer-meeting at Trinity M. E. Church Thursday evening.

Mr. N. E. Waller has been elected Secretary of Millington Building & Loan Association, in the place of John Turner resigned.

The weather for the Carnival was ideal. The St. James Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Mr. Edwood Morris on Friday night next, February 5th.

Notice was received yesterday that calves, hogs and sheep may now be shipped to Philadelphia on Mondays and Thursdays, in less than carload lots.

NEWS IN CHURCH CIRCLES.

Rev. W. L. White, by special invitation, addressed a meeting for men, in Seafood M. E. Church, last Sunday. Rev. Mr. Arters filled the pulpit in Chestertown.

The religious revival to commence at Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown, tomorrow, will be specially attractive for the presence of the Berg Sisters, two lady evangelists. Rev. Dr. Little, the pastor, is very happy in having secured these estimable and talented ladies for the meeting.

The Ladies Sewing Circle of St. Paul's Church met at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Smyth, Fairlee, Tuesday evening and an elegant supper served to more than a hundred guests.

On Wednesday night, Feb. 3rd, a temperance mass meeting will be held in the Methodist Protestant Church of this town, under the auspices of the Anti-Saloon League of Maryland.

Emanuel Church, Chestertown, Sunday School, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; Epworth League, 7 p. m.; illustrated sermon, 8 p. m.; Junior League every Tuesday at 3.30 p. m.; prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7 p. m.

Trinity Church, Millington, Sunday School, 2 p. m.; preaching, 3 p. m.; Epworth League, 7 p. m.; prayer meeting every Thursday, 7 p. m.; Woman's Home Missionary Society meets Thursday, February 4th, 2 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Lydia Jones.

The new hall at Wesley Chapel was opened with a big supper Thursday evening which was largely attended.

George C. Kennard, died Thursday, Jan. 21st, at his home, Atlantic, Va., after a short illness, in the 45th year of his age. Mr. Kennard was well-known in Kent county, being a son of the late Moses Kennard.

Look for Owens & Co.'s weekly bulletin of sales—it is interesting and their Muslin Underwear Sale is a winner.

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JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk. True Copy—Test JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk. 1904

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Executor's Sale

OF THE

Hardware Business

—AND—

Store Properties

OF THE LATE

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In Chestertown, Md.

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inches, more or less, between the lines of the lands of Arlington L. Sparks and Lot No. 1 to the centre of said division wall, and extends back an even width throughout of 101 feet, more or less, from the building line to a point 4 feet from the stable on Lot No. 2.

If at any time the purchaser of Lot No. 1 desire to remove the stable as it now stands and to change the right of way over Lot No. 1 for the benefit of No. 2, then the purchaser of said Lot No. 1 shall have the right to change the right of way into the rear of Lot No. 2 by making said right of way 10 feet wide along the line of the Chambers-Nicholson property, and near said portion of the lot now occupied by the stable and stable yard, so that the said right of way will run across the stable yard or lot or along the north-west line of Lot No. 1 until it enter Lot No. 2 in such convenient manner as the owner of Lot No. 1 shall lay same down, provided said right of way, 10 feet wide, shall always be kept free and open for the use of the purchaser of Lot No. 2.

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REPORT OF THE

Chestertown Water Department

For the Six Months Beginning July 1, 1908, and ending January 1, 1909.

RECEIPTS. Received from W. B. Usilton, Supt., for collections for water rents from July 1st, 1908, to Jan. 1, 1909, \$510 10

Delinquents for same time, \$ 31 50 Advance Payments, " " " " 50 14

M. W. Thomas, for coal, 12 00 (payment being delayed by defective meter), 129 99

Received from Town for extra coal in boring for new artesian well, (this sum being included in the bill for coal noted in disbursements), 111 00

Total, \$751 19

DISBURSEMENTS. J. D. Bacchus, for coal, cement, etc., \$507 82

J. D. Bacchus, for coal used in boring new well, 111 00

W. B. Usilton, Supt., salary, 250 01

John Ringgold, engineer, 280 00

Garlock Packing Co., supplies, 42 98

Castville Boiler Works, new grate, 13 00

Laborers for cleaning pool, 3 75

Express, hauling, postage and miscellaneous items, 24 86

Crane Co., Balto., for pipe, 8 40

W. B. Usilton, for grating lot, 12 50

W. B. Usilton's Sons, printing, 6 00

Transcript Pub. Co., printing, 4 35

Bacchus, for coal, 16 10

A. P. Matthews, oils, etc., 4 13

Extra help at Pump house, 5 00

M. W. Thomas, for grating lot, 12 00

Stam Drug Co., for blank books, 1 75

Diamond State Tel. Co., rent and calls, 16 10

W. G. Sutton, work & material, 49 67

Thos. Gale, Treas., for taxes, 82 82

T. W. Ellison, lumber, 7 08

J. K. Aldridge & Co., hardware, 42 62

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