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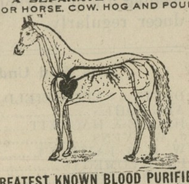

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Double Tulips	2c	15c	.90
Narcissus Single	3c	15c	.75
Narcissus Paper W	4c	25c	1.25
Jonquils	2c	16c	.60
Double Narcissus	3c	15c	.75
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CARD OF THANKS.

I take this method of extending to the public my appreciation for the assistance rendered me during the disastrous fire of Friday night and since.

It W. T. H. WHITELEY.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this opportunity to thank our friends of the Fire Company and others who so kindly assisted in putting out the recent fire at our warehouse, and saving goods from same. We assure you of our hearty appreciation of your great work under those trying circumstances.

H. R. GRAHAM & BROTHER.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends for their efforts in helping us during the fire at Grattitude on Wednesday night last.

CHARLES L. MILLER.
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SUPPER.

The ladies of Galena M. E. Church will hold a Poultry and Oyster Supper at the Chapel on FRIDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS, NOV. 19th and 20th. n13 2t

POULTRY AND OYSTER SUPPER.

The Ladies Aid of Shrewsbury Parish will hold a POULTRY and OYSTER SUPPER in Weer's Hall, Kennedyville, on SATURDAY, November 20, 1909. Supper to begin at 5 o'clock. Supper, 35 cents; with oysters, 50 cents; oysters alone 25 cents per plate. Ice Cream and Cake at the usual prices. Proceeds for interior of rectory. n13-ts

THE KING'S DAUGHTERS

of Chestertown will give an evening of ENTERTAINMENT in

STAM'S HALL

—ON—

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30th

the Drama entitled

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Local Talent—Vocal and Instrumental Music. This will be an evening of pleasure and fun not often enjoyed in Chestertown. Proceeds for worthy object.

SEATS ALL OVER HOUSE, 35c.
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DOG LOST.

A BLACK FEMALE FOX HOUND was lost near Fairlee this week. Reward will be given for information leading to its recovery.

C. ROMIE SKIRVEN,
n12-1t Worton, Md., R. R.

FOR SALE.

MY FOUR-TON POWER BOAT "Chester," equipped with 4 Horse Power White & Middleton Engine in first-class order. This boat has paid me half her value this year. Call and I will tell the reason for selling.

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will be open
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
Evenings Only.

Complete Change of Programme
Each Evening.

EVERYTHING NEW

THREE FULL REELS
AN HOUR'S ENTERTAINMENT

ADMISSION:
Adults.....10 Cents
Children (under 12 yrs.).. 5 "

Continuous Performance—7 to 10.

REFUND of money or exchange of goods the customer's right.
ROTE'S
Jewelry Store

THE Chestertown Volunteer Firemen will hold their annual carnival on Jan. 26, 27 and 28, 1910. Get ready for it.

PAID BACK FOR HER TROUSSEAU

Miss Maslin Wins Breach of Promise Suit—Rock Hall Schoolteacher is Awarded $4,950 by a Philadelphia Jury Because Thornton W. Shelmerdine Broke Their Engagement—Opposition of the Young Man's Family Said to be the Cause of Their Estrangement.

A special from Philadelphia dated November 8, says: "For breach of promise to marry Miss Martha Maslin, a Kent school teacher, of Rock Hall, Thornton W. Shelmerdine, a young stock broker of this city, must pay $4,950. This amount was awarded Miss Maslin this afternoon by a jury in the United States District Court, before which the case was held.

"Shelmerdine is the son of William H. Shelmerdine, 269 West Walnut lane, Germantown, and resides with his father at that address. He is widely known in the city, where the elder Shelmerdine has large financial interests.

"According to the testimony adduced by attorneys for Miss Maslin her engagement to Shelmerdine was broken as a result of opposition on the part of the young man's family. Judge McPherson, who presided over the trial, instructed the jury to find a verdict for the plaintiff. He said she was deserving of damages because of her loss of position in the Rock Hall school, where she taught, the loss of money she put into her trousseau and the distress and humiliation that followed the breaking of her engagement.

"Miss Maslin said that she became engaged to Shelmerdine in the spring of 1908. That summer her fiance's family had a cottage at Atlantic City, and he urged her to come to this city and accompany him to the shore, that she might be introduced to them. She did so shortly after an illness of a month.

"At the seashore cottage, testified Miss Maslin, she was looked upon with ill favor, and the Shelmerdine family vigorously opposed the match. As the result of this opposition, she declared, her fiance thought it best to withdraw from the contract.

"Miss Maslin said that she sought to have Shelmerdine keep his promise, or at least reimburse her for the expense she had been put to in assembling a trousseau, but was unsuccessful. On January 4, 1909, she instituted the suit, which was brought to trial today."

FALL ON STAIRS FATAL

Miss Clara Copenhaver, Sister of Mrs. T. Shafer, Found at Bottom by Friend.

Mistaking a stairway for the door of her bedroom, Miss Clara Copenhaver, about 45 years old, missed her footing and plunged to her death down the steps Monday night, breaking her neck, at her home, 1618 North Caroline street, Baltimore. It was not until Tuesday morning that her body was discovered.

Neighbors became alarmed for her welfare when she did not appear at the early hour in the morning she usually arose. Rev. Dr. W. T. Way 1611 North Caroline street, a friend was also alarmed and, ringing the bell, went to the rear to obtain entrance.

He forced his way into the house and went upstairs by the rear steps. He saw no one. Thinking Miss Copenhaver was ill, he went to her bedroom and rapped on the door. He received no response, but saw the bed which had not been used. Finding no one, he descended the front steps, and when he reached the first floor saw the body laying prostrate.

Miss Copenhaver was clothed in a night robe and by her side was a coat hanger with a coat on it. Dr. Way felt her pulse, but she was dead. He sent for Coroner Caruthers, who gave a verdict of accidental death.

Rev. Edgar T. Reed, 1524 East Biddle street, pastor of Mount Lebanon Methodist Protestant Church, of which Miss Copenhaver was a member, was notified. He went to the house and took charge until the arrival of friends.

From the appearance of the house it is thought that Miss Copenhaver had prepared to retire. Realizing that she had left a coat in another room she brought it back. As she was about to enter the room she mistook the stairway for her door and fell down. The lights were turned out.

She was a large woman of fine build, and, according to her neighbors, was never ill. She was said to be of a jovial disposition, but had led a solitary life since the death of her parents. Her father died about eight years ago and her mother soon followed him a few years later. Since then Miss Copenhaver lived alone.

She is survived by two brothers, Messrs. William Copenhaver, of Springfield, Ohio, and John Copenhaver, of Parkton, Md. Two sisters, Mrs. J. E. Todson, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Tilghman Shafer, of Kennedyville, also survive.

SOME of the residents of Crumpton are negotiating for a power boat. Capt. Geo. H. Brinsfield is one of the prime movers. He advertises elsewhere his boat "Chester," which is too small for the business.

SHERIFF MEDDERS undertook to take a number of his friends automobiling one day this week, Capt. "Kit" Carson, chauffer. They left town at 9 a. m., and after a number of mishaps reached Mr. T. E. Massey's at 2 P. M. On the return they did not get further than Lambson's where they took the train for home. Col. South, a guest, says he'll use a horse next time!

J. BLOOM has sold his store outfit at Worton Point to Wm. Pinder. Mr. Bloom will devote his attention to buying stock.

THE frequent fires should warn householders and property owners to look after defective flues, fire traps, etc.

LIVE pork is bringing 7 and 7½ cents per pound in Kent.

THE commissioners' office in Firemen's building is being made ready for occupancy. Mr. Maxwell Blakeney is lettering the large front window in artistic style.

OVER 75 scholars have been detained from Chestertown High School this week because of measles.

J. THOS. PENNINGTON'S WILL

The will of the late J. Thomas Pennington was probated in the Orphans' Court for Kent county Tuesday. It makes the following provisions:

To Edward M. Pennington, nephew, farm near Chesterville, called the Maslin farm," containing 217 acres, 25 perches, also the wood lot used in connection therewith and containing 19 acres, subject to an annuity of $150 given to Florence E. Pennington, niece.

To late wife's half brother, Lawrence Rochester Vansant, house and lot of land now used as home in Galena, and all furniture therein.

To late wife's half brother, Bayard Vansant, the sum of $1,000, to be paid out of personal estate and without interest one year from my death.

To Warren Vansant $1,000, 12 months from my death.

To Irving Vansant $1,000, 12 months after my death.

If George Thompson shall be in my employ at time of my death, then I give to him $100.

To Tenie Handy, servant, $600.

To my friend, B. Hayard Wallis, 4 shares of Kent County Savings Bank stock.

To Belle E. Taylor, daughter of my friend Colin F. Taylor, six shares of Kent County Savings Bank stock.

All the rest and residue of my personal estate I give to children of Noble E. Pennington, except Edward, heretofore provided for.

The "Jervis Spencer farm" including the part known as the John G. Miers farm and supposed to contain 321 acres, to Marion deK. Smith, of Chestertown, for following uses and trusts: To sell same at public sale or that failing at private sale—said trustee to pay out of the net proceeds of sale any deficiency or the whole of the legacies hereinbefore given to Bayard, Warren, Irving Vansant, Tenie Handy and George Thompson, in the event my personal estate should prove insufficient to pay said legacies. The balance or whole as the case may be shall be divided into three equal shares, viz., one to child or children of deceased brother, Harry C. Pennington; the child or children of any deceased child of my said brother to take the share or part its or their deceased parent would have taken if living at the time of my death. A second share to child or children of deceased brother William R. Pennington as above. The third share to go to child or children of deceased brother, Noble E. Pennington, except Edward hereinbefore provided for.

Lawrence Rochester Vansant is named as executor, the will being dated July 3, 1908, and witnessed by Frank H. Ruth and Jesse E. Ireland.

In a codicil made a few days before his death he revoked the gift of four shares of Savings Bank stock left Mr. Wallis and bequeathed it to Miss Belle Everitt Taylor making ten shares in all.

Real Estate Sales.—In the matter of the estate of Richard L. Turner, Jr., deceased, the Orphans' Court for Kent county, on Tuesday granted the petition of the executors to sell the "Greenwood Farm," at private sale to Thomas S. Silcox for $10,000.

Messrs. Lewin W. Wickes and W. W. Beck, trustees, sold at public sale Tuesday the farm known as "Hail or Hell Point" and advertised in the KENT NEWS to Mr. Nelson Stevens for $1520. This is considered a fine ducking shore and is located on Chester river, Shippen and Hail Creek. The late Richard D. Hynson and Capt. Thomas Hyland tried bedding oysters here but without success.

Dogs Killed.—Some miscreant has been poisoning dogs in and about Chestertown the past week. Messrs. Arthur M. Brown, J. E. Ferguson, Norman Sutton, George Brice, Jack Hughes, Capt. Harry Pfeffer and others have lost valuable dogs. A case in which poison was justified is that in which a chicken-killing dog was killed. Ministers of the M. E. Church have been losing chickens for sometime until recently when poison was placed about the coop and a few days afterward a small terrier was found dead nearby.

A PETITION is being circulated asking the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. to purchase the lot near the depot, made bare by the fire of Friday night, and improve it for the accommodation of patrons of the company. It certainly would add much to the appearance of the railroad property and be a great convenience to the public to have the additional ground space which this lot would afford.

WATER BOARD TAKES ACTION.

At a meeting of the Chestertown Water Board held Nov. 8th., the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, It is apparent to every citizen of this town that the water supply is growing more inadequate each year for domestic purposes, on account of the increased number of them, and more particularly for fire purposes, as is evidenced at all the recent fires we have had and realizing as we do the necessity for better fire protection. Therefore be it

Resolved, By the Chestertown Water Board in session assembled that a committee of seven of our citizens be appointed by this board (and earnestly request to serve for the good of the town) to make a careful investigation of the water system of our town, and how an increased supply of water may best be obtained, and report to this board at your earliest convenience.

The following gentlemen have been selected to serve on the committee: Thos. W. Eliason, Lewin W. Wickes Marion deK Smith, Thomas D. France, L. Bates Russell, W. B. Copper, Wilbur W. Hubbard.

NURSERY STOCK

I have a Fine Lot of Stock for the Fall sale. No YELLOWS. TENNESSEE PEACH TREES, GOOSEBERRY PLANTS, and PEARS, APPLE, CHERRY, PLUM—in fact a full line of Choice Stock . . . . . .

HARRY L. BOYD, Chestertown.

THE Beauty and Price will make anyone buy the Robes and Blankets offered by W. T. Bramble, "The Harness King."

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